



## Narcotic Agreement

This agreement is between patient and Center for Pain Relief & Rehabilitation (CPR&R). It is agreed that narcotic medication will be given by Dr. Nisha Jain or staff to patient **only** if the following terms are met:

1. By signing a contract for narcotic administration, the patient indicated that he/she has understood the discussion about the use of narcotic medications, including side effects, and is agreeable to start this treatment under the terms set by CPR&R.
2. The patient has the chance to ask questions regarding alternatives to the use of narcotic medications.
3. CPR&R should be the **one and only source** of narcotic medications unless written permission is given by CPR&R physician for the patient to get narcotic prescriptions from another physician.
4. **Only one pharmacy** will be used for filling narcotic prescriptions.  
The name of pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_  
Pharmacy phone number: \_\_\_\_\_
5. If it is found that the patient received prescriptions for narcotic medications from a source other than CPR&R physician, without written permission, CPR&R may void this agreement and discontinue any prescriptions of narcotic medications to the patient.
6. The patient agrees to have **urine tests** for medications done randomly at the physician's request.
7. The patient must agree to allow the CPR&R physician to communicate with the referring physician and any pharmacists regarding the patient's use of controlled substances.
8. The patient must supply documentation of treatment by other physician for co-existing, or related condition, including psychiatric conditions.
9. The patient understands that CPR&R will not replace any lost or inaccessible narcotic prescriptions or narcotic medications, for **ANY REASON**.
10. The patient must take the narcotic medications **exactly as instructed** by the CPR&R Physician.
11. Any unauthorized increase in the dose of narcotic medication may be viewed as a cause for discontinuation of the treatment with narcotic medications.
12. If the patient demonstrates unacceptable behavior patterns, the CPR&R physician may discontinue prescribing the narcotic medications for the patient.
13. The patient must **keep all regular follow up appointments** as recommended by the CPR&R physicians. Failure to comply may cause discontinuation of narcotic prescriptions.
14. The patient must comply with **all** aspects of the treatment plan, including, but not limited to, Physical Therapy, Behavioral Management, and self-help programs.
15. All prescriptions must be picked up by the patient himself/herself. If the patient is too debilitated or sick, an exception may be allowed.
16. **No narcotic prescriptions will be refilled on weekends or over the phone.**



- 17. **Narcotic prescriptions WILL NOT be refilled early.**
- 18. the patient understands that the benefit of the narcotic medications will be evaluated periodically using the following criteria of pain relief, increase in general functions, increase in exercise, completion of rehabilitation program, return to work, maintenance of job, etc.
- 19. The patient understands the narcotic medications can be discontinued immediately, at the treating physician’s discretion, if the patient does not fulfill the terms of this agreement. Medication can also be discontinued if there is evidence of rapid tolerance, loss of effectiveness or if significant side effects develop.
- 20. The patient certifies or agrees to the following:
  - a) That he/she is **not currently abusing illicit** or prescription drugs.
  - b) That he/she has never been involved in the sale, illegal possession, diversion or transport of controlled substance (narcotics, sleeping pills, nerve pills, or pain killers).
  - c) That she is not pregnant and that she will use appropriate contraception during her course of treatment.
  - d) **Sharing your narcotics is strictly prohibited.** Any sharing will result in immediate cancellation of your prescription refills.
- 21. Evidence of medication hoarding, increasing the amount of medication with out communication to your CPR&R physician, refilling your prescription too frequently, getting the medication from multiple physicians, increasing the amount of medication despite significant side effects, altering prescription, medication sales, unapproved use of other drugs (alcohol, sedatives, or using non-prescription, medications inconsistent with drug labeling) during narcotic analgesic treatment or other unacceptable behavior will result in tapering and discontinuing of narcotic therapy.
- 22. **If the patient is non-compliant or un-cooperative with the Physician or Office Staff we reserve the right to discharge you at any time.**

I fully understand the explanations regarding the benefits and the risks of this method of treatment. I agree to the use of narcotic medication in treatment of my pain problem.

This for has been fully explained to me, I have read it or have had it read to me, and I understand it. I have had the opportunity to ask questions, and have received acceptable answers. I agree to the terms of this contract.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_