



## Physician Return to Work Authorization – Physical Health

**Directions:** To be completed by the employee's health care provider in anticipation of employees return to work from medical leave.

**Submit to:** AACPS Office of Integrated Disability & Leave Management, 2644 Riva Road, Annapolis, MD 21401; **e-fax:** 443-458-0140.

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|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Employee Name         | Date of Birth              | Job Title |
| Doctor's Name         | Next Scheduled Appointment |           |
| Body Part(s) Involved |                            |           |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> The patient may return to work <b>without any limitations</b> on _____ Date | <input type="checkbox"/> The patient may return to work <b>with limitations</b> on _____ Date |
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☐ The patient can return to work **Part-time** \_\_\_\_\_ hours/week for \_\_\_\_\_ (duration)

**If there are any limitations, ALL boxes below must be filled out.**

### Limitations (if applicable)

|  |                         | No<br>Limitations | Frequently<br>(3-5 hours) | Occasionally<br>(1-3 hours) | Not at all |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| <b>1 Patient may:</b>                            | a. sit                  |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | b. stand                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | c. walk                 |                   |                           |                             |            |
| <b>2 Patient may lift:</b>                       | a. Sedentary to 10 lbs. |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | b. Light 10-20 lbs.     |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | c. Medium 20-50 lbs.    |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | d. Heavy 50-100 lbs.    |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | e. Very heavy 100+ lbs. |                   |                           |                             |            |
| <b>3 Patient may carry:</b>                      | a. Light 0-10 lbs.      |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | b. Medium 10-25 lbs.    |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | c. Heavy 25-50 lbs.     |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | d. Very heavy 50+ lbs.  |                   |                           |                             |            |
| <b>4 Patient may:</b>                            | a. Push                 |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | b. Pull                 |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | c. Twist                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | d. Climb                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | e. Balance              |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | f. Stoop                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | g. Kneel                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | h. Crawl                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | i. Reach                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | j. Grasp                |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | k. Typing               |                   |                           |                             |            |
| <b>5 Patient may perform repetitive movement</b> |                         |                   |                           |                             |            |
| <b>6 Patient may drive:</b>                      | a. With clutch          |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | b. Without clutch       |                   |                           |                             |            |
|  | c. Heavy equipment      |                   |                           |                             |            |

Please explain further any of the limitations marked above.

Are these limitations: ☐ Temporary ☐ Permanent  
If temporary, for how long?

Specify any environmental requirements or assistive devices, e.g. crutches, sling, boot, cane, etc.

Signature of Doctor

Date

Phone Number

Address

Fax Number