PLASTIC SURGERY CLINIC
OF EAU CLAIRE

Plastic Surgery Clinic of Eau Claire
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BREAST REDUCTION QUESTIONNAIRE

PATIENT NAME: _____ DATE: _____

Most insurance companies are requesting 3-6 months of documented conservative therapy for symptoms associated with large breasts before they will authorize surgery. This questionnaire is to help us to provide that information to your insurance company.

Please provide the following:

- ☐ Letter and/or clinical notes from Primary Care Physician explaining conservative measures that have been tried and failed; noting that symptoms are due to large/heavy breasts.
- ☐ Letter and/or clinical notes from Chiropractor, Physical Therapist, and/or Massage Therapist explaining conservative measures.
- ☐ If you are over 40: Results of most current mammogram (must be within the last year).

If you have the following symptoms, please indicate with a check mark:

Bra strap irritation	_____	Chest wall heaviness	_____
Shoulder pain	_____	Upper back pain	_____
Lower back pain	_____	Neck strain	_____
Shoulder strap grooving	_____	Rashes beneath the breasts	_____
Hand tingling or numbness	_____	Impediment of activities	_____

Primary Care Physician: _____

Address: _____

Approximate dates of length and treatment, method of treatment: _____

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Chiropractor: _____

Address: _____

Approximate dates of length and treatment, method of treatment: _____

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Physical Therapy: _____

Address: _____

Approximate dates and length of treatment, method of treatment: _____

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Medications Tried: _____

The below information is **required** to be obtained prior to your consultation with Dr. Rucker. Any and all documented conservative therapy for symptoms associated with large/heavy breasts **must** be faxed, mailed, and/or brought with you to your appointment. This documentation is needed to contact your insurance company for prior authorization of your procedure.

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Please fill out the portion below should you need to request records or notes from your treatment provider.

To Whom It May Concern:

This form is in reference to the patient below who presents to us with complaints associated with symptoms of large/heavy breasts. With your release of information regarding this patient's treatment history and medical notes, I will be able to contact their insurance company for a request for prior authorization for the breast reduction procedure. If you have any questions, please call my office at 715-833-2116.

Sincerely,
Joseph W. Rucker, MD, FACS

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

Patient Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Authorize release of records from:

Provider/Physician Name _____ Clinic _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Records released to:

PLASTIC SURGERY CLINIC OF EAU CLAIRE
3221 STEIN BLVD. EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701
Phone: 715-833-2116 Fax: 715-833-1068

Signature of Patient _____ Date _____ Signature of Provider _____ Date _____