## **Physical Demands Questionnaire - Limitations**

Answers to this form help your physician to understand your job requirements and will assist in developing specific limitations should job modifications be indicated.

Manual Materials Handle:
Weight/Force you handle
Size and shape of objects
Do things you lift have handles?YesNo
How high are you required to lift?waist highshoulder highabove head
What is the distance you carry something you routinely lift?
Is your position unusual or involve a variety of trunk moves? Yes No
(i.e., bend and rotate while lifting)
Lift/lower - height, position of load, and relationship to body
(horizontal distance from load) (check the appropriate answer)
Unilateral
Bilateral
Carry
Unilateral
Bilateral
Push/Pull
Unilateral
Bilateral
While whole body is moving
Consider non-materials handling:
Posture/Positions
Duration (hours, minutes, seconds, or percentage of day)
Continuous (duration hours, minutes, seconds)
Intensity (degrees of position, range of motion, WNL, minimum, moderate, severe)
Balanced/Symmetrical
Consider mobility/ambulation (walk, crawl, climb, run):
Distance
Repetitions
Speed
Duration (percentage of day)
Repetitive movement (squatting, reaching, stooping)
Repetitions
Frequency
Cycle time
Duration (percentage of day)
Continuous duration
Intensity (degrees of positionminimummoderatesevere)
Balanced/SymmetricalYesNo

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Consider scales for balance:
Dynamic vs. static
Duration (percent of job required)
Surface type
Even surface
Uneven surface
Climbing <i>(stairs, ladders, poles)</i>
Bean and scaffolding/narrow ledges
Surface conditions?wetdryicesnowoil
Consider combined postures vs. individual joint positions:
Squat/crouchedspine flexion
Hips flexion
Knees flexion
Ankle dorsiflexion
Are you able to change position? (i.e., driving for required distance before stopping, or
viewing computer monitor and using keyboard for specific periods of time without rest)
YesNo
Consider simultaneous motion:
Motions/positions happen simultaneously (i.e., squat while looking down, or reaching
while handling or sitting on a window sill while leaning or holding himself with one arm
and reaching with another)
NeckYesNo
TrunkYesNo
Upper Extremities
Shoulder
Elbow
Hands
Lower extremities
Hips
Knees
Ankles