

**UNIVERSITY OF
NORTH CAROLINA HOSPITALS
Chapel Hill, North Carolina**

**OTTAWA KNEE RULES ORDER FORM
Physician's Pre-Printed Order Form**

MIM # 861

Patient Information

Patient Name (Last, First)

Medical Record Number

Date:	Time: AM/PM	Room No.
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Ottawa Knee Rules Assessments – For patients with acute trauma to the knee

YES	NO	
		Age >55
		Tenderness at head of Fibula
		Tenderness on patella
		Inability to complete 4 steps (bear weight) immediately and in the ED
		Inability to flex to 90 degrees

If the patient exhibits any of the criteria above, order the following knee radiographic series:

<input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right AP, lateral, sunrise views of affected knee; Indication- Eval for Fracture
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Medicare will only pay for services that it determines to be reasonable and necessary under section 1862 (a) (1) of the Medicare Law. When ordering tests, physicians should order only those individual tests that are necessary for the diagnosis and treatment of a patient, rather than for screening purposes.

I certify that all tests ordered are medically necessary.			
Physician's signature and ID # are required	Beeper No.	Transcribed by:	Checked by: