

The SUM Program for Medical Transcription Training
Orthopedics Transcription Unit, 2nd edition (Advanced)

ANCILLARY MATERIAL

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A Quick-Reference List of Orthopedic Words and Phrases

TRANSCRIPT KEYS

HISTORY AND PHYSICAL EXAMINATION (24 minutes)

1. Brief Admission Note: Osteomyelitis of right ankle. (1 minute 47 seconds)
2. History and Physical Examination: Degenerative joint disease of left knee. (3 minutes 22 seconds)
3. History and Physical Examination: Polytrauma following motor vehicle accident. (3 minutes 22 seconds)
4. Short Stay Summary: L1 compression fracture. (4 minutes 19 seconds)
5. History and Physical Examination: Herniated cervical disk. (4 minutes 45 seconds)
6. History and Physical Examination: Degenerative joint disease of both hips. (5 minutes 37 seconds)

CONSULTATION (12 minutes)

7. Comminuted fracture, right tibia. (55 seconds)
8. Lower extremity pain. B12 deficiency. Low iron studies. (3 minutes 35 seconds)
9. Rotator cuff tear, right shoulder. Right rib and hip contusions. (3 minutes 7 seconds)
10. Cervical and lumbar strain. (4 minutes 5 seconds)

DISCHARGE SUMMARY (46 minutes)

11. Open dislocation, proximal interphalangeal joint, right index finger. (58 seconds)
12. Fracture of left hip. (1 minute 38 seconds)
13. Rheumatoid arthritis with acute exacerbation. Hypertension. (3 minutes 30 seconds)
14. Fracture of left femoral neck. (1 minute 41 seconds)
15. Tensor fasciae latae syndrome of left thigh. (2 minutes 11 seconds)
16. Diabetes with gangrene and cellulitis and osteomyelitis, right 2nd toe. (2 minutes 30 seconds)
17. Massive herniated disk, L5-S1, with impending cauda equina syndrome. (3 minutes 32 seconds)

18. Osteoarthritis of the left knee, status post left total knee replacement. (2 minutes 33 seconds)
19. Total knee replacement. (3 minutes 29 seconds)
20. Nonhealing ulcer of the right foot amputation site. Status post debridement. (3 minutes 20 seconds)
21. Enterococcal endocarditis. Mitral valve disease. Pulmonary vegetation. Chronic back pain. (6 minutes 18 seconds)
22. Fracture of left humerus. (4 minutes 34 seconds)
23. Cervical fracture, C4 and C5. (1 minute 58 seconds)
24. Lateral malleolus fracture of left ankle. (3 minutes 23 seconds)
25. Transient cerebral ischemia. Severe iron-deficiency anemia. Diabetes mellitus. Hypertension. (2 minutes 9 seconds)
26. Osteoarthritis of left hip. Total hip replacement. (2 minutes 36 seconds)

OPERATIVE REPORT (3-1/2 hours)

27. Carpal tunnel release. Ganglion cyst of wrist. (1 minute 35 seconds)
28. Closed reduction, comminuted fracture, right wrist, sugar-tong splint. Short arm cast, undisplaced fracture, left wrist. (3 minutes 15 seconds)
29. Ulnar nerve release at cubital tunnel, with anterior subfascial transposition. (4 minutes 38 seconds)
30. Crush injury of left arm. Debridement and repair. (7 minutes 38 seconds)
31. Release of coracoacromial ligament, right shoulder. (3 minutes 7 seconds)
32. Shoulder arthroscopy with coracoacromial ligament release and partial arthroplasty. Repair of rotator cuff tear. (8 minutes 2 seconds)
33. Repair of rotator cuff tear. Clavicle resection. Acromioplasty. (8 minutes 11 seconds)
34. Open reduction, internal fixation, intertrochanteric femur fracture. (2 minutes 43 seconds)
35. Revision of total hip replacement. (4 minutes 8 seconds)
36. Open reduction, posterior dislocation, right hip. (5 minutes 53 seconds)
37. Right total hip replacement. (11 minutes 41 seconds)
38. Cemented left total hip arthroplasty. (7 minutes 1 second)
39. Arthroscopic partial medial meniscectomy, right knee. (1 minute 47 seconds)
40. Partial medial meniscectomy, removal of loose bodies, and shaving of lateral tibial plateau. (2 minutes 2 seconds)
41. Extensive debridement, left knee, with removal of all prostheses. (2 minutes 7 seconds)
42. Diagnostic arthroscopy. Debridement, anterior cruciate ligament stump. Arthroscopic repair of lateral meniscus. (4 minutes 37 seconds)
43. Left total knee arthroplasty, Osteonics. (11 minutes 45 seconds)
44. Internal fixation, left intertrochanteric femur fracture with intramedullary compression hip screw. (4 minutes 11 seconds)
45. Reverse obliquity intertrochanteric fracture, left proximal femur. Internal fixation with Gamma nail. (4 minutes 30 seconds)
46. Right diaphyseal comminuted tibia fracture, closed. Trigen Richards intramedullary knee nail. (2 minutes 48 seconds)
47. Fracture dislocation, right ankle. Open reduction, internal fixation, medial and lateral malleolus. (2 minutes, 22 seconds)
48. Insertion of Ilizarov wires. Fibular ostectomy. Tibial osteotomy. Correction of varus deformity of tibia. Correction of internal rotational deformity of tibia. Lengthening of tibia. (10 minutes 18 seconds)

49. Interphalangeal joint fusion with screw fixation, both feet. Phenol matricectomy, both feet.
(4 minutes 33 seconds)
50. Intratendinous nodule, right tendo Achillis. Exploration, with biopsy of lesion and tendon.
(2 minutes 30 seconds)
51. Austin bunionectomy. Silver bunionectomy. Akin osteotomy. Arthroplasty of digits, right foot. Extensor tenotomy and capsulotomy of metatarsophalangeal joints. Tendon lengthening of right extensor hallucis longus. (12 minutes 51 seconds)
52. Hammertoes, 5th digit of both feet. Arthroplasty and tenotomy, 5th digit of both feet. (3 minutes 47 seconds)
53. Anterior right thoracotomy. Disk excisions, D10-L2. Posterior fusion, D3-L3, with Luque rods.
(5 minutes 14 seconds)
54. Low back and lower extremity pain. Posterior transforaminal lumbar interbody fusion at L4-5. Posterior decompression at L3 and L4. Posterior spinal fusion at L3-4 and L4-5. Repair of inadvertent durotomy.
(11 minutes 48 seconds)
55. Right partial hemilaminectomy, L5-S1, with removal of protruded disk and sequestered disk fragment.
(7 minutes 58 seconds)
56. Degenerative joint disease, complicating ankylosing spondylitis, with right hip involvement.
(14 minutes 32 seconds)

Total of 56 reports in approximately 4 hours of dictation