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ENROLLMENT CLAIM FORM – COVERED UNREVISED, INFIRM PATIENT THE STRYKER ABG II/REJUVENATE MODULAR-NECK HIP STEM SETTLEMENT PROGRAM

THIS ENROLLMENT CLAIM FORM IS FOR PATIENTS WHO QUALIFY AS COVERED UNREVISED, INFIRM PATIENTS ONLY. The Covered Unrevised, Infirm Patient Program was established as a means to provide awards, pursuant to Article 8 of the Master Settlement Agreement, to certain Patients whose orthopaedic surgeons determined that a Revision Surgery was indicated for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall but they have been deemed too infirm to undergo the procedure. The determination of infirmity shall be made by the physician who is treating the Patient for the condition(s) that forms the basis for the infirmity or a medical specialist consulted by the treating physician. The Patient must submit contemporaneous medical records created prior to **December 19, 2016** that support his/her claim.

In order to Enroll in the Stryker ABG II / Rejuvenate Modular-Neck Hip Stem Settlement Program, you must submit this Enrollment Claim Form **no later than March 1, 2017**. If you are Counsel for a Patient or if you are an Unrepresented Patient (or his or her unrepresented Legal Representative) planning to Enroll in the Covered Unrevised, Infirm Patient Program then you must submit this Enrollment Claim Form along with all necessary documentation outlined in this Form as part of your Claim Package.

The Master Settlement Agreement can be viewed and downloaded at the Settlement Program website, **www.StrykerModularHipSettlement.com**.

**If you have any questions or need assistance completing this form,
you may contact the Claims Processor by email at:**

claimsprocessor@StrykerModularHipSettlement.com

or by calling its toll-free hotline at 1-855-382-6404.



DEFINITIONS FOR ENROLLMENT CLAIM FORM

1. **“Affected Product”** means the ABG II Modular-Neck hip stem or the Rejuvenate Modular-Neck hip stem.
2. **“Covered Unrevised, Infirm Patient”** means a Patient whose treating orthopaedic surgeon determines that a Qualified Revision Surgery is indicated for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall but that s/he has been determined to be too infirm to undergo the procedure. The determination of infirmity shall be made by the physician who is treating the Claimant for the condition(s) that forms the basis for the infirmity or a medical specialist consulted by the treating physician.
3. **“Enrollment Date”** means the date that a Patient enrolls in the Stryker ABG II/Rejuvenate Modular-Neck Hip Stem Settlement Program.
4. **“Index Surgery”** means the implantation of an Affected Product in a surgery occurring in the United States.
5. **“Interest”** means any interest in any claims Related to the Affected Products, whether revised or unrevised, in which counsel: (i) has an engagement or retainer agreement with such Patient; (ii) is listed as the counsel of record for a Plaintiff in any filed pleadings Related to the Affected Products; (iii) has entered an appearance for such Plaintiff; (iv) would benefit directly or indirectly from any payment to settle any claim of such Plaintiff or Claimant in connection with the Affected Products; or (v) otherwise has any financial interest of any kind whatsoever in any claim relating to the Affected Products.
6. **“Interested Counsel”** as used herein means any Counsel with an Interest in a Person, or in a claim or case of a Person who has a Claim, filed or unfiled, Related to the Affected Products.
7. **“Legal Representative”** means, as to any particular natural person (including a deceased natural person), the estate, executor, administrator, guardian, conservator or other legal representative thereof.
8. **“Patient”** means the natural person (including the deceased natural person) who was implanted with an Affected Product during an Index Surgery (as opposed to any Legal Representative in respect to such natural person).
9. **“Principal Responsible Attorney”** means the single attorney identified by the Primary Law Firm by name, state bar number, business address, phone number and email address who will be primarily responsible to provide notice to the applicable court for obligations of the Primary Law Firm relating to the Master Settlement Agreement and for compliance with any court orders entered in the jurisdiction in which the case or claim is pending and shall fulfill the other responsibilities described in the Master Settlement Agreement.
10. **“Qualified Revision Surgery”** means (i) the Patient underwent a Revision Surgery of an Affected Product, (ii) the Revision Surgery occurred at least 181 days after the Index Surgery, but before December 19, 2016, (iii) the Revision Surgery occurred in the United States, and (iv) the revision surgery involved one (1) or more of the following: (a) an elevated cobalt level, (b) an abnormal diagnostic scan associated with the tissue around the femoral implant related to the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall, or (c) intra-operative or pathologic confirmation of adverse local tissue reaction (“ALTR”), or aseptic lymphocyte-dominated vasculitis-associated lesion (“ALVAL”), or tissue damage related to the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall.
11. **“Related to the Affected Products”** as used herein means to any extent, or in any way arising out of, relating to, resulting from and/or connected with the implantation, use and/or removal of the Affected Product(s) and/or any injury, losses, or damages caused or claimed to have been caused, in whole or in part, by any such Affected Product and/or revision to remove the Affected Product(s).
12. **“Revision Surgery”** means the explantation of both the femoral stem and neck components of the Affected Product.
13. **“Settlement Award Payment”** means any payment pursuant to the Stryker ABG II/Rejuvenate Modular-Neck Hip Stem Settlement Program.
14. **“United States”** means the United States of America, its 50 states, the District of Columbia, any Commonwealth or Territory of the United States, and any United States Military Hospital wherever located.
15. **“Voluntary Recall”** means the June 28, 2012 voluntary recall of the Affected Products from the market issued by Stryker.



A. PERSONAL INFORMATION OF PATIENT

1. Name:

First

M.I.

Last

2. Current Address:

Street

City

State

Zip

Country

3. Has the Patient resided at this address since his/her Index Surgery? Yes No

4. Was the Patient a citizen or legal resident of the United States at the time of the Index Surgery to implant the Affected Product(s)? Yes No

5. Telephone Number:

6. Email Address (If Not Represented by an Attorney):

7. Date of Birth:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

8. Date of Death (if applicable):

(mm/dd/yyyy)

9. Social Security Number:

10. Gender:

Male Female

11. Any Other Names Used or by which the Patient had been known, including but not limited to maiden name and the dates such name(s) were used:

Last

First

(mm/dd/yyyy)

Last

First

(mm/dd/yyyy)



B. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE'S INFORMATION FOR DECEASED OR INCAPACITATED PATIENTS *

12. Does the Patient have a Legal Representative? Yes No

If Yes, complete items 13-19. If No, skip to item 20.

13. Reason for Legal Representative? Patient is Deceased Patient is Incapacitated

14. Legal Representative's Relationship to Patient:

Estate Executor Administrator Guardian Conservator Other (specify)

15. Legal Representative's Name:

First M.I. Last

16. Legal Representative's Address:

Street

City State Zip Country

17. Legal Representative's Telephone Number: 18. Legal Representative's Email Address (If Available):

19. Legal Representative's Social Security Number:

* **DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT:** COURT APPROVAL OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORIZATION TO REPRESENT THE PATIENT MUST BE ATTACHED , AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION K.



C. PRIMARY LAW FIRM INFORMATION (IF REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY)

20. Is the Patient Represented by an Attorney? Yes No

If Yes, complete items 21-31. If No, skip to item 32.

21. Principal Responsible Attorney:

First M.I. Last

22. Firm Name:

23. Firm Address:

Street

City State Zip

24. Telephone Number:

25. Fax Number:

26. Email Address:

27. Date of Retention Agreement with Patient/Plaintiff: (mm/dd/yyyy)

28. Secondary Administrative Contact Name:

First M.I. Last

29. Position at Firm:

30. Telephone Number:

31. Email Address:



D. INTERESTED COUNSEL INFORMATION (IF APPLICABLE)

32. Is there Interested Counsel Other than the Primary Law Firm?

Yes No

If Yes, complete items 32-38. If No, skip to item 43.

33. First Interested Counsel's Name:

First

M.I.

Last

34. Law Firm Name:

35. Current Address:

Street

City

State

Zip

36. Telephone Number:

37. Email Address:

38. Is there a Second Interested Counsel Other than the Primary Law Firm and First Interested Counsel Listed above?

Yes No

If Yes, complete items 39-43. If No, skip to item 44.

39. Second Interested Counsel's Name:

First

M.I.

Last

40. Law Firm Name:

41. Current Address:

Street

City

State

Zip

42. Telephone Number:

43. Email Address:



E. LAWSUIT AND PLAINTIFF INFORMATION

44. Has a civil action been filed in court alleging injuries as a result of the Affected Product(s)?

Yes No

If Yes, complete items 45-53 as applicable. If no, skip to item 54.

45. Current Court/Jurisdiction:

MDL MCL Florida-Broward County Florida-Palm Beach County
Other (specify)

46. Original Case Caption:

47. Original Case Number:

48. Is the Plaintiff in the civil action the same individual as the Patient identified in Section A or the Legal Representative identified in Section B of this Enrollment Claim Form?

Yes No

If Yes, skip to item 54. If No, complete items 49-53.

49. Plaintiff's Name:

First M.I. Last

50. Plaintiff's Address:

Street

City State Zip Country

51. Plaintiff's Telephone Number:

52. Plaintiff's Social Security Number:

53. Plaintiff's Relationship to Patient:

Estate Executor Administrator Guardian Conservator Other (specify)

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE STIPULATION, IF APPLICABLE, AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION K.

**F. SPOUSE INFORMATION**

54. Is the Patient currently married? Yes No

If Yes, complete items 55-59. If No, skip to item 60.

55. Spouse's Name:

First

M.I.

Last

56. Spouse's Date of Birth:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

57. Spouse's Social Security Number:

58. What is the status of the Patient's current relationship with his/her spouse?

Live Together

Separated

Estranged

59. Is the Patient's spouse a named plaintiff in the lawsuit identified in Section E above?

Yes No

60. If the Patient is not currently married, was s/he married at any time from the date of the Index Surgery until the Enrollment Date?

Yes No

If Yes, complete items 61 and 62. If No, skip to Section G. Claim Information

61. Former Spouse's Name:

First

M.I.

Last

62. Select the reason the Patient is no longer married:

Divorced

Death of Former Spouse

Death of Patient

G. CLAIM INFORMATION

63. Please select one of the following choices that apply to your claim:

Left Hip Only

Right Hip Only

Both Left Hip and Right Hip

If you selected Left Hip Only, complete Section H and skip Section I. If you selected Right Hip Only, complete Section I and skip Section H. If you selected Both Left Hip and Right Hip, complete Section H and Section I.



H. LEFT HIP

64. Indicate the Affected Product Implanted into the Patient:

ABG II Modular-Neck hip stem Rejuvenate Modular-Neck hip stem

65. Date of Index Surgery:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

66. Location of Hospital Where Index Surgery Occurred:

Hospital Located in the U.S.
Military Hospital Located Outside of the U.S.
Non-Military Hospital Located Outside of the U.S.

67. Name of Hospital Where Index Surgery Occurred:

Address

Zip Code

68. Name of Index Surgery Surgeon:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

69. Name of Surgeon Indicating that Revision Surgery is necessary for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

70. Date on which Revision Surgery for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall was Indicated:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

71. Reason the Revision Surgery was Indicated (check all that apply):

Elevated cobalt level.
Abnormal diagnostic scan of surrounding tissue related to the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall.

72. Name of Treating Physician or Consulting Medical Specialist Who Determined the Infirmity that prevents Revision Surgery for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

73. Date on Which Infirmity Was Determined by Treating Physician:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

74. Nature of Infirmity:



I. RIGHT HIP

75. Indicate the Affected Product Implanted into the Patient:

ABG II Modular-Neck hip stem Rejuvenate Modular-Neck hip stem

76. Date of Index Surgery:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

77. Location of Hospital Where Index Surgery Occurred:

Hospital Located in the U.S.
Military Hospital Located Outside of the U.S.
Non-Military Hospital Located Outside of the U.S.

78. Name of Hospital Where Index Surgery Occurred:

Address

Zip Code

79. Name of Index Surgery Surgeon:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

80. Name of Surgeon Indicating that Revision Surgery is necessary for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

81. Date on which Revision Surgery for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall was Indicated:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

82. Reason the Revision Surgery was Indicated (check all that apply):

Elevated cobalt level.
Abnormal diagnostic scan of surrounding tissue related to the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall.

83. Name of Treating Physician or Consulting Medical Specialist Who Determined the Infirmity that prevents Revision Surgery for the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address

Zip Code

84. Date on Which Infirmity Was Determined by the Treating Physician:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

85. Nature of Infirmity:



J. BANKRUPTCY INFORMATION

86. Has the Patient at any time since the date of the Index Surgery declared bankruptcy or is the Patient a subject of an open and ongoing bankruptcy proceeding?

Yes No

If Yes, complete items 87-89. If No, skip to Section K.

87. Bankruptcy Court / Jurisdiction:

88. Date Filed:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

89. Status of Bankruptcy Filing:

Open

Closed (If closed, provide the date closed)

(mm/dd/yyyy)

K. REQUIRED SUBMISSIONS

In order for your Claim to be reviewed, you must submit all materials required by Section 4.2 of the Master Settlement Agreement:

This properly completed Enrollment Claim Form.

The signed and notarized Covered Unrevised, Infirm Patient Release available on the Claims Processor's website.

The signed Dismissal with Prejudice Stipulation available on the Claims Processor's website (if applicable). If you indicate on your Stipulation of Dismissal that you are only partially dismissing your lawsuit, you must include a copy of the most recent Complaint **filed and served** in your lawsuit.

Legal Representative Documentation (if applicable).

Manufacturer/product stickers for the Affected Product(s), identifying Product and Lot Codes for the device implanted into the Patient. Only in the event product stickers are not available, please submit the electronic implant log from your Index Surgery. **If the manufacturer/product stickers for the Index Surgery were submitted during the Supplemental Registration Process, you do not need to resubmit.**

A true and correct copy of the operative report and discharge summary for the Index Surgery relating to the hip(s) at issue.

True and correct copies of **specific** contemporaneous medical records **created prior to December 19, 2016** that support the Patient's claim that a Qualified Revision Surgery is indicated by his/her treating orthopaedic surgeon due to an elevated cobalt level or an abnormal diagnostic scan of surrounding tissue related to the reasons underlying the Voluntary Recall. Such specific medical records must be annotated in a manner that will aid the Claims Processor in reviewing your claim (e.g. highlighting, flagging, bookmarking, etc.)

True and correct copies of **specific** contemporaneous medical records **created prior to December 19, 2016** by the treating physician or consulting medical specialist that support the Patient's claim that s/he is too infirm to undergo a Revision Surgery. Such specific medical records must be annotated in a manner that will aid the Claims Processor in reviewing your claim (e.g. highlighting, flagging, bookmarking, etc.)

Counsel or Patients (if unrepresented by an attorney) must **only** provide those documents requested in Section K and shall not submit all medical records in Counsel's and/or Patient's possession. Submitting all records in your possession will result in the Claims Processor returning your Enrollment Claim Form thereby delaying the review of your claim. All documentation, whether submitted electronically or by mail, must be annotated in a manner that will aid the Claims Processor in reviewing your claim (e.g. highlighting, flagging, bookmarking, etc.).

Pursuant to Section 4.4 of the Master Settlement Agreement, the Claims Processor has the ability to request additional information and/or documents as needed, including but not limited to medical authorizations. Pursuant to Section 4.3.1 of the Master Settlement Agreement, no affidavits, expert reports, depositions, transcripts or medical articles may be submitted in connection with a Claim.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: PLEASE CHECK ALL APPLICABLE BOXES ABOVE TO CERTIFY THAT YOU ARE PROVIDING THE RELEVANT FORMS AND DOCUMENTATION.



L. CERTIFICATION BY CLAIMANT

I certify that all of the information provided in and with this Enrollment Claim Form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that I have the obligation to update the Claims Processor if any information provided in this Enrollment Form changes after it is submitted. I further certify that by participating in this Stryker ABG II/ Rejuvenate Modular-Neck Hip Stem Settlement Program, I agree to abide by the terms of the Agreement and I agree to provide certain additional information and/or documents that the Claims Processor deems necessary to review my claim. I acknowledge that if I am eligible for an award, I will receive a flat award of \$75,000, not subject to any enhancements or reductions for any reason whatsoever, for each unrevised hip that was implanted with an Affected Product and, to the extent the subject hip is subsequently revised, I will not be entitled to any additional awards as part of this Settlement Program. If I qualify for a Settlement Award Payment pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, I authorize such Settlement Award Payment to be made to my Counsel identified as my Primary Law Firm in trust for me in accordance with the Agreement, if applicable.

Claimant's Signature:

Date:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

Printed Name:

Last

First

Middle Initial

M. COUNSEL SIGNATURE (IF APPLICABLE)

Counsel's Signature:

Date:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

Printed Name:

Last

First

Middle Initial