This is an example of how to fill out this form. Please fill it out, and take it to your next doctor's appointment. Ask your doctor to make it part of your file.

PATIENT UPDATE

Patient: John Smith

Date: 6/1/2011

Dear Dr. Jones

Here is an update of my condition. Please make this part of my file.

Update:

~~Pain in my right knee is continuing to bother me and causes me to limp.~~ Pain is severe and encompasses all of my knee and ligaments along my right leg. Both of my ankles and my hips hurt and pop. My back has also been causing me pain. This pain has made walking and most day-to-day activities difficult and even sleeping uncomfortable. My knee also gives out on me when I walk making it sometimes dangerous. My knee also swells.

Current medications and prescriber:	**Medication side effects:**
Celebrex 200 mg. Dr. Jones	none
Voltapen Gel 1% Dr. Jones	none
Hydrocodone 500 mg. Dr. Jones	drowsiness
Zolpidem 10 mg. Dr. Jones	none

Sincerely,

John Smith