

**HACKETTSTOWN MEDICAL CENTER
PHYSICAL/OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PROCEDURE MANUAL
RESPONSIBILITIES OF NON-STAFF PHYSICIANS WHEN WRITING
PHYSICAL AND/OR OCCUPATIONAL ORDERS**

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POLICY

All physicians on staff and non-staff must provide patient a written order prior to the patient's making a treatment appointment with Therapy.

PROCEDURE

1. The prescription must include:
 - Medical diagnosis
 - Services ordered
2. The patient must make an appointment (or doctor's office may call and make appointment) prior to initial visit.