

# **P&O** PROSTHETIC CONSULTATION **care** **DISCUSSION GUIDE**

Amidst the chaos and uncertainty surrounding an amputation, P&O Care encourages, supports and provides patients with individualized care during all stages of the rehabilitation process.

## **PATIENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS**

Print this Discussion Guide and take it with you to your next doctor's appointment. While you may have many questions, these may help guide your conversation with your doctor.

### **ASK THIS:**

- What is your post amputation protocol? (ie. shrinkers, therapy etc.)
- How long is the recovery and what does the healing process involve?
- What are my prosthetic options?
- Is a prosthetic consultation from **P&O Care** right for me?

## **DETAILS**

A **FREE** prosthetic consultation can be ordered by your physician before or immediately after your amputation surgery. A board certified prosthetist will visit you in the hospital to answer your questions and provide you with information about:

- What to expect after an amputation
- Connecting you with a Peer Amputee Mentor
- Rehabilitation and Healing After Amputation
- Prosthetic Fitting Timeline
- How a Prosthesis Works

Most importantly, you'll receive: **EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS & HOPE!**

## **HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS**

Ready to order a prosthetic consultation from P&O Care? Call **314-775-2041** OR fax a script for "AK or BK Prosthetic Consultation" to **314-775-2045**. Please include patient contact info or room number for scheduling purposes.

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