CHIROPRACTIC REGISTRATION AND HISTORY

1 PATIENT INFORMATION

Date _____

SS/HIC/Patient ID # _____

Patient Name _____
Last Name

_____
First Name Middle Initial

Address _____

E-mail _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Sex ☐ M ☐ F Age _____

Birthdate _____

☐ Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Single ☐ Minor

☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐ Partnered for _____ years

Patient Employer/School _____

Occupation _____

Employer/School Address _____

_____

Employer/School Phone (____) _____

Spouse's Name _____

Birthdate _____

SS# _____

Spouse's Employer _____

Whom may we thank for referring you? _____

2 INSURANCE INFORMATION

Who is responsible for this account? _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Insurance Co. _____

Group # _____

Is patient covered by additional insurance? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Subscriber's Name _____

Birthdate _____ SS# _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Insurance Co. _____

Group # _____

ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE

I certify that I, and/or my dependent(s), have insurance coverage with

_____
Name of Insurance Company(ies) and assign directly to

Dr. Ahart all insurance benefits, if any, otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I authorize the use of my signature on all insurance submissions.

The above-named doctor may use my health care information and may disclose such information to the above-named Insurance Company(ies) and their agents for the purpose of obtaining payment for services and determining insurance benefits or the benefits payable for related services. This consent will end when my current treatment plan is completed or one year from the date signed below.

X _____
Signature of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative

_____
Please print name of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative

_____ _____
Date Relationship to Patient

3 PHONE NUMBERS

Cell Phone Provider:

Cell Phone (____) _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Best time and place to reach you _____

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT

Name _____ Relationship _____

Home Phone (____) _____ Work Phone (____) _____

4 ACCIDENT INFORMATION

Is condition due to an accident? ☐ Yes ☐ No Date _____

Type of accident ☐ Auto ☐ Work ☐ Home ☐ Other

To whom have you made a report of your accident?
☐ Auto Insurance ☐ Employer ☐ Worker Comp. ☐ Other

Attorney Name (if applicable) _____

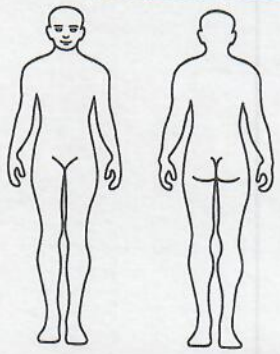
5 PATIENT CONDITION

Reason for Visit _____

When did your symptoms appear? _____

Is this condition getting progressively worse? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

Mark an X on the picture where you continue to have pain, numbness, or tingling.



Rate the severity of your pain on a scale from 1 (least pain) to 10 (severe pain) _____

Type of pain: ☐ Sharp ☐ Dull ☐ Throbbing ☐ Numbness ☐ Aching ☐ Shooting
☐ Burning ☐ Tingling ☐ Cramps ☐ Stiffness ☐ Swelling ☐ Other

How often do you have this pain? _____

Is it constant or does it come and go? _____

Does it interfere with your ☐ Work ☐ Sleep ☐ Daily Routine ☐ Recreation

Activities or movements that are painful to perform ☐ Sitting ☐ Standing ☐ Walking ☐ Bending ☐ Lying Down

6 HEALTH HISTORY

What treatment have you already received for your condition? ☐ Medications ☐ Surgery ☐ Physical Therapy

☐ Chiropractic Services ☐ None ☐ Other _____

Name and address of other doctor(s) who have treated you for your condition _____

Date of Last: Physical Exam _____ Spinal X-Ray _____ Blood Test _____

Spinal Exam _____ Chest X-Ray _____ Urine Test _____

Dental X-Ray _____ MRI, CT-Scan, Bone Scan _____

Place a mark on "Yes" or "No" to indicate if you have had any of the following:

AIDS/HIV ☐ Yes ☐ No	Diabetes ☐ Yes ☐ No	Liver Disease ☐ Yes ☐ No	Rheumatic Fever ☐ Yes ☐ No
Alcoholism ☐ Yes ☐ No	Emphysema ☐ Yes ☐ No	Measles ☐ Yes ☐ No	Scarlet Fever ☐ Yes ☐ No
Allergy Shots ☐ Yes ☐ No	Epilepsy ☐ Yes ☐ No	Migraine Headaches ☐ Yes ☐ No	Sexually Transmitted Disease ☐ Yes ☐ No
Anemia ☐ Yes ☐ No	Fractures ☐ Yes ☐ No	Miscarriage ☐ Yes ☐ No	Stroke ☐ Yes ☐ No
Anorexia ☐ Yes ☐ No	Glaucoma ☐ Yes ☐ No	Mononucleosis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Suicide Attempt ☐ Yes ☐ No
Appendicitis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Goiter ☐ Yes ☐ No	Multiple Sclerosis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Thyroid Problems ☐ Yes ☐ No
Arthritis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Gonorrhea ☐ Yes ☐ No	Mumps ☐ Yes ☐ No	Tonsillitis ☐ Yes ☐ No
Asthma ☐ Yes ☐ No	Gout ☐ Yes ☐ No	Osteoporosis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Tuberculosis ☐ Yes ☐ No
Bleeding Disorders ☐ Yes ☐ No	Heart Disease ☐ Yes ☐ No	Pacemaker ☐ Yes ☐ No	Tumors, Growths ☐ Yes ☐ No
Breast Lump ☐ Yes ☐ No	Hepatitis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Parkinson's Disease ☐ Yes ☐ No	Typhoid Fever ☐ Yes ☐ No
Bronchitis ☐ Yes ☐ No	Hernia ☐ Yes ☐ No	Pinched Nerve ☐ Yes ☐ No	Ulcers ☐ Yes ☐ No
Bulimia ☐ Yes ☐ No	Herniated Disk ☐ Yes ☐ No	Pneumonia ☐ Yes ☐ No	Vaginal Infections ☐ Yes ☐ No
Cancer ☐ Yes ☐ No	Herpes ☐ Yes ☐ No	Polio ☐ Yes ☐ No	Whooping Cough ☐ Yes ☐ No
Cataracts ☐ Yes ☐ No	High Blood Pressure ☐ Yes ☐ No	Prostate Problem ☐ Yes ☐ No	Other _____
Chemical Dependency ☐ Yes ☐ No	High Cholesterol ☐ Yes ☐ No	Prosthesis ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Chicken Pox ☐ Yes ☐ No	Kidney Disease ☐ Yes ☐ No	Psychiatric Care ☐ Yes ☐ No	
		Rheumatoid Arthritis ☐ Yes ☐ No	

EXERCISE

☐ None
☐ Moderate
☐ Daily
☐ Heavy

WORK ACTIVITY

☐ Sitting
☐ Standing
☐ Light Labor
☐ Heavy Labor

HABITS

☐ Smoking Packs/Day _____
☐ Alcohol Drinks/Week _____
☐ Coffee/Caffeine Drinks Cups/Day _____
☐ High Stress Level Reason _____

Are you pregnant? ☐ Yes ☐ No Due Date _____

Injuries/Surgeries you have had	Description	Date
Falls		
Head Injuries		
Broken Bones		
Dislocations		
Surgeries		

7 MEDICATIONS

_____
_____
_____

Pharmacy Name _____

Pharmacy Phone (____) _____

ALLERGIES

VITAMINS/HERBS/MINERALS

INFORMED CONSENT

The primary treatment used by doctors of chiropractic is the spinal manipulation, sometimes called spinal adjustment.

- **The nature of the chiropractic adjustment.**
  I will use my hands or a mechanical instrument upon your body in such a way as to move your joints. That may cause an audible "pop" or "click," much as you have experienced when you "crack" your knuckles. You may feel or sense movement.

- **The material risks inherent in chiropractic adjustment.**
  As with any healthcare procedure, there are certain complications, which may arise during chiropractic manipulation. Those complications include: fractures, disc injuries, dislocations, muscle strain, Horner's syndrome, diaphragmatic paralysis, cervical myelopathy and costovertebral strains and separations. Some types of manipulation of the neck have been associated with injuries to the arteries in the neck leading to or contributing to serious complications including stroke. Some patients will feel some stiffness and soreness following the first few days of treatment.

- **The probability of those risks occurring.**
  Fractures are rare occurrences and generally result from some underlying weakness of the bone, which we check for during the taking of your history and during examination and X-ray. Stroke has been the subject of tremendous disagreement within and without the profession with one prominent authority saying that there is at most a one-in-a-million chance of such an outcome. Since even that risk should be avoided if possible, we employ tests in our examination which are designed to identify if you may be susceptible to that kind of injury. The other complications are also generally described as "rare."

- **The availability and nature of other treatment options.**
  Other treatment options for your condition include:

  - Self-administered, over-the-counter analgesics and rest
  - Medical care with prescription drugs such as anti-inflammatories, muscle relaxants and painkillers.
  - Hospitalization with traction
  - Surgery

- **The material risks inherent in such options and the probability of such risks occurring include:**

  - Overuse of over-the-counter medications produces undesirable side effects. If complete rest is impractical, premature return to work and household chores may aggravate the condition and extend the recovery time. The probability of such complications arising is dependent upon the patient's general health, severity of the patient's discomfort, his pain tolerance and self-discipline in not abusing the medicine. Professional literature describes highly undesirable effects from long term use of over-the-counter medicines.

  - Prescription muscle relaxants and painkillers can produce undesirable side effects and patient dependence. The risk of such complications arising is dependent upon the patient's general health, severity of the patient's discomfort, his pain tolerance, self-discipline in not abusing the medicine and proper professional supervision. Such medications generally entail very significant risks - some with rather high probabilities.

- Hospitalization in conjunction with other care bears the additional risk of exposure to communicable disease, iatrogenic (doctor induced) mishap and expense. The probability of iatrogenic mishap is remote, expense is certain, exposure to communicable disease is likely with adverse result from such exposure dependent upon unknown variables.

- The risks inherent in surgery include adverse reaction to anesthesia, iatrogenic (doctor induced) mishap, all those of hospitalization and an extended convalescent period. The probability of those risks occurring varies according to many factors.

- **The risks and dangers attendant to remaining untreated.**
  Remaining untreated allows the formation of adhesions and reduces mobility which sets up a pain reaction further reducing mobility. Over time, this process may complicate treatment making it more difficult to treat and less effective the longer it is postponed. The probability that non-treatment will complicate a later rehabilitation is very high.

DO NOT SIGN UNTIL YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE.

I have read or have had read to me the above explanation of the chiropractic adjustment and related treatment. I have discussed it with Dr. Thomas Ahart and have had my questions answered to my satisfaction. By signing below, I state that I have weighed the risks involved in undergoing treatment and have myself decided that it is in my best interest to undergo the treatment recommended. Having been informed of the risks, I hereby give my consent to that treatment.

_____
Date

_____
Printed Name

_____
Signature (or parent of minor)

Patient Health Information Consent Form

We want you to know how your Patient Health Information (**PHI**) is going to be used in this office and your rights concerning those records. Before we will begin any health care operations we must require you to read and sign this consent form stating that you understand and agree with how your records will be used. If you would like to have a more detailed account of our policies and procedures concerning the privacy of your Patient Health Information we encourage you to read the HIPAA NOTICE that is available to you at the front desk before signing this consent.

1. The patient understands and agrees to allow this chiropractic office to use their Patient Health Information (**PHI**) for the purpose of treatment, payment, healthcare operations, and coordination of care. As an example, the patient agrees to allow this chiropractic office to submit requested PHI to the Health Insurance Company (or companies) provided to us by the patient for the purpose of payment. Be assured that this office will limit the release of all PHI to the minimum needed for what the insurance companies require for payment.
2. The patient has the right to examine and obtain a copy of his or her own health records at any time and request corrections. The patient may request to know what disclosures have been made and submit in writing any further restrictions on the use of their PHI. Our office is not obligated to agree to those restrictions.
3. A patient's written consent need only be obtained one time for all subsequent care given the patient in this office.
4. The patient may provide a written request to revoke consent at any time during care. This would not effect the use of those records for the care given prior to the written request to revoke consent but would apply to any care given after the request has been presented.
5. For your security and right to privacy, all staff has been trained in the area of patient record privacy and a privacy official has been designated to enforce those procedures in our office. We have taken all precautions that are known by this office to assure that your records are not readily available to those who do not need them.
6. Patients have the right to file a formal complaint with our privacy official about any possible violations of these policies and procedures.
7. If the patient refuses to sign this consent for the purpose of treatment, payment and health care operations, the chiropractic physician has the right to refuse to give care.

I have read and understand how my Patient Health Information will be used and I agree to these policies and procedures.

Signature of Patient _____ Date _____

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Missed Appointment Policy

We want to thank you for choosing us as your chiropractic health provider. In order to provide you and our other patients with the best health care, we request that you follow our guidelines regarding broken and/or cancelled appointments. Please remember that we have reserved appointment times especially for you. Therefore, we request at least 24 hours notice in order to reschedule your appointment. This will enable us to offer your cancelled time to other patients that desire to get their treatment completed. When you cancel your appointment at the last minute, everyone loses – you, the doctor and other patients that would like to have utilized your appointment time.

Cancellation policy:

Appointments must be canceled at least 24 hours in advance.

Missed Appointment Policy:

1st Missed – Warning = 1st offense, no charge
2nd Missed = $25 charge
3rd + Missed = $50 charge
*Repetitive missed appointments may result in dismissal from the practice.

By signing this missed appointment policy, I am acknowledging that I have scheduled all my appointments and held responsible if for any reason I do not receive the SMS text message & email reminders.

Thank you for your consideration of our policies and for the opportunity to be your chiropractic office of choice.

_____ _____

Signature Date

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CONSENT TO TREATMENT OF MINOR CHILD

I hereby authorize Dr. Ahart and whomever he / she may designate as his / her assistants to administer treatment as he / she so deems necessary to my son / daughter, _____.

Dated_____

_____ _____
(Print full name) Signature of parent

Witness_____

_____
Signature of witness

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