

Terms of Acceptance

When a patient seeks chiropractic health care and we accept a patient for such care, it is essential for both to be working towards the same objective.

Chiropractic has only one goal. It is important that each patient understand both the objective and the method that will be used to attain it. This will prevent any confusion or disappointment.

ADJUSTMENT: An adjustment is the specific application of force to facilitate the body's correction of vertebral subluxation. Our chiropractic method of correction is by specific adjustments of the spine.

HEALTH: A state of optimal physical, mental and social well-being, not merely the absence of disease or infirmity.

VERTEBRAL SUBLUXATION: A misalignment of one or more of the 24 vertebra in the spinal column which causes alteration of nerve function and interference to the transmission of mental impulses, resulting in a lessening of the body's innate ability to express its maximum health potential.

We do not offer to diagnose or treat any disease or condition other than vertebral subluxation. However, if during the course of a chiropractic spinal examination, we encounter non-chiropractic or unusual findings, we will advise you. If you desire advice, diagnosis or treatment for those findings, we will recommend that you seek the services of a health care provider who specializes in that area.

Regardless of what the disease is called, we do not offer to treat it. Nor do we offer advice regarding treatment prescribed by others. **OUR ONLY PRACTICE OBJECTIVE** is to eliminate a major interference to the expression of the body's innate wisdom. Our only method is specific adjusting to correct vertebral subluxations.

I, _____, have read and fully understand the above statements.

All questions regarding the doctor's objectives pertaining to my care in this office have been answered to my complete satisfaction.

I therefore accept chiropractic care on this basis.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Payment Policy

There are two forms of payment accepted by 39 Health:

- CASH each time you come in; or
- INSURANCE ASSIGNMENT
 - Copay, insurance reimbursement signed over to our clinic (as explained below).

Please check your preferred payment option

CASH _____ CHECK _____ CREDIT CARD _____

Insurance Assignment Program

It is our desire to assist our patients whenever possible. The following insurance assignment program allows you, our patient, to receive the care you need without undue financial strain.

1. Waiting for insurance payment is a courtesy provided by this clinic. We reserve the right to withdraw this courtesy at any time. We will bill your insurance company and accept assignment of benefits during your corrective care period. Direct assignment will be discontinued when you have finished corrective care and a supportive health care program is recommended. We will notify you of the change.
2. All deductible amounts must be paid by you in advance of the first billing. Also, you must stay current with your percentage of responsibility (usually 20%). This must be paid at least weekly. Prepayments may also be made.
3. The insurance carriers are billed on specific 15-30 day cycles. It is your responsibility to supply this office with necessary forms to complete billing if needed.
4. If you receive payment from your insurance carrier during the period which the clinic has accepted assignment of benefits, you are to bring the check into this office within three days of receipt and endorse it over to the clinic. Failure to do this may result in collection action.
5. If you discontinue your care for any reason other than discharge by the doctor, you will be responsible for any unpaid balance, regardless of any claims submitted to your insurance company, at the time you discontinue care.
6. This clinic does not promise that an insurance company will pay. In the event that the insurance company disputes or rejects the claim, it will be the patient's responsibility to pay all the charges and pursue reimbursement from the insurance company on his/her own. The insurance company has 30 days from



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billing date to make this decision. Patient payment is expected on any fees over 30 days old.

I have read the above provisions and wish to participate in the insurance assignment program. I hereby agree to abide by the provisions as specified above.

Patient's Signature

Date