# **Patient Profile**

Name	Birth Date		
How you like to be addressed, if differen	nt from above		
Address	C	City	State Zip
Social Security #	E-Mail Address		
Home # () W	ork # ()	Cell # ()	
Occupation	Employe	er	
☐ Male / ☐ Female Number of Chil	dren Names of Chile	dren	
☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Y	Widowed - Name of Spo	use/Partner	
Height,, Weight	lbs How did you hear a	about us?	
Main reason for consulting our office to	day?		
**Please check if you are here for any of	the following: 🗌 Car Acc	cident 🗌 Work Injury [	Other Injury
Please mark your areas of pain below	Check all that you are cur	rrently experiencing (C) or ha	ve experienced in the past (P):
Which of the above symptoms is the wo	Nausea C / P Abdominal Gas C / P Kidney Infection C / P Menstrual Cramps C / P Back Pain C / P Frequent Urination C / P Dizziness C / P Fainting C / P Forgetfulness C / P Depression C / P Allergies C / P Hay Fever C / P Other:	Hearing Loss C / P     Poor Coordination C / P     Seizures C / P     Weak Grip C / P     Headaches C / P     Migraines C / P eccessary)	Sore Muscles C / P  Walking Problems C / P  Broken Bones C / P  Muscle Cramps C / P  Weak Muscles C / P  Paralysis C / P  Numbness in Arms C / P  Numbness in Legs C / P  Painful Joints C / P  Stiff Joints C / P  Stiff Joints C / P  Neck Pain C / P  Mid Back Pain C / P  Low Back Pain C / P  Hip/ Pelvis Pain C / P  Leg Pain C / P
On a scale of 1-10 (1 being very little pa	in and 10 extreme pain)	how would you rate the	worst symptom?
This is a new/ old condition. It was not/ was treated before. If treated before, what was done?		From birth to present, p  1) Car Accidents	lease list and describe:
Name of Doctors  Have you ever had surgery or been hospitalized?  List Surgeries			
		3) Sports Injuries	
Have you ever had chiropractic care before Name of Doctor			
Last time you had x-rays			ditary conditions you are
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# **Activities/ Daily Living Assessment**

Please check all that apply:

	on 1 — Pain Intensity:	Section	n 6 – Standing:
	My pain comes and goes and is mild		I can stand for an unlimited time without pain
Ħ	My pain is mild and does not vary	一	I have some pain standing/doesn't increase w/time
一	My pain comes and goes and is moderate	一	I cannot stand for more than 1 hour
同	My pain is moderate and does not vary much	Ħ	I cannot stand for more than 1/2 hour
一	My pain comes and goes and is severe	Ħ	I cannot stand for more than 10 minutes
	My pain is severe and does not vary much		I cannot stand at all
Sectio	on 2 — Personal Care:	Section	n 7 – Sleeping:
	I do not change habits to avoid pain		I have no pain in bed
同	I do not change habits but experience some pain	一	l have pain in bed but I sleep well
同	I do not change habits but it increases pain	一	My normal sleep is reduced by 1/4
同	I do change habits due to increased pain	一	My normal sleep is reduced by 1/2
同	I am unable to do some personal care without help	一	My normal sleep is reduced by 3/4
	l am unable to wash or dress without help		I cannot sleep at all due to pain
Section	on 3 – Lifting:	Section	n 8 – Traveling (car, bus, plane, etc.):
	I can lift heavy weights with no pain		I can travel without pain
	I can lift heavy weights with pain		Traveling causes some pain, but not made worse
	I cannot lift heavy weights off the floor		Traveling causes extra pain, no change in form
	I can lift heavy weight from a table		Traveling causes pain, uses alternative travel
	I can lift light weights from a table		My pain restricts all forms of travel
	I can lift only very light weights		My pain restricts travel except lying down
Section	on 4 — Walking	Section	n 9 — Social
	My pain does not prevent walking		I can socialize normally and it causes no pain
	I cannot walk more than 1 mile		l can socialize normally but it causes extra pain
	I cannot walk more than $1/2$ mile		My pain limits energetic interests
	I cannot walk more than 1/4 mile		My pain limits activity/ I do not go out as often
	I can only walk on crutches		My pain restricts social life to home
	I am bedridden and must crawl to the toilet		My pain restricts all social life
Section	on 5 – Sitting	Section	n 10 — Changing Degree of Pain
	I can sit in any chair as long as desired		My pain is rapidly improving
	I can sit only in certain chair as long as desired		My pain fluctuates but is improving
	I can sit no more than 1 hour		My pain improvement is slow
	I can sit no more than $1/2$ hour		My pain level is unchanged
一	I can sit no more than 10 minutes		My pain is gradually worsening
	l cannot sit at all due to pain		My pain is rapidly worsening

Score: \_\_\_\_\_ (For Office Use Only)

Patient Name:		

# **Terms of Acceptance**

When an individual or family seeks and is accepted for chiropractic care, it is essential for all parties to be working toward the same objective.

Chiropractic has only one goal. It is important that everyone understands both the objective, and the method that will be used to achieve it. This will prevent any confusion or disappointment.

## **Definitions:**

**Health:** A state of optimal physical, mental and social well being, not merely the absence of disease of infirmity.

**Subluxation:** A disruption in the normal flow of Life Energy in the nerves between the brain and the cells of the body. This causes an alteration of the normal physiology and leads to a state of "dis-ease" (the inability of the body to adapt).

**Chiropractic Adjustment:** The specific application of gentle force to facilitate the body's correction of subluxation and restore its innate healing processes so as to progressively bring about a state of health and wholeness.

We do not offer to diagnose or treat any disease or condition other than subluxation. However, if during the course of your chiropractic assessment, 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 full outward expression of your body's Innate Wisdom. Our only method used is specific chiropractic adjusting to correct vertebral subluxations.

Patient/Guardian Signature	Date	

I have read and understand the above statement.

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# **Notice of Privacy Practice**

This notice describes how health information about you (as a patient of this practice) may be used and disclosed, and how you can get access to your individually identifiable health information. Please review this notice carefully.

**Privacy:** We are committed to protecting your personal health information against disclosure to unauthorized entities/ persons. With your permission we will share your personal health information only with entities/ persons directly related to your health care and insurance/ payment needs. We will ask for you written permission for any other disclosure of your personal health information.

**Access:** You have the right to review and amend your personal health care records. Fees for copying your personal health information/ records are set by state regulators annually.

**Restrictions:** You have to right to restrict certain uses and disclosures of your protected health information.

**Communications:** You have to right to receive confidential communications from our office. If you would like restricted/ confidential communications from our office, inform our office staff on your first visit and we will make the necessary accommodations.

Consent: I authorize Vitality Chiropractic to share my personal health information only with entities/persons directly related to my health care and my insurance/payment needs.

If you have a complaint regarding our privacy notice, our privacy practices or any aspect of our privacy activities you should direct your complaint to Dr. Bonnie Verhunce at (206) 824-5521.

If you would like further information about our privacy policies and practices please contact Dr. Bonnie Verhunce at (206) 824-5521.

This notice is effective as of August 23, 2013. This notice and any alterations or amendments made hereto will expire seven years after the date upon which the record was created. My signature acknowledges that I have received a copy of this notice.

I have read and I understand the above notice.	
Patient/Guardian Signature	Date

# Patient authorization regarding chiropractic care being provided in an "open adjusting" environment.

It is the practice of this office to provide chiropractic care in an "open adjusting" environment. "Open adjusting" involves several patients being seen in the same adjusting room at the same time. Patients are within sight of one another and some ongoing routine details of care are discussed within earshot of other patients and staff. This environment is used for ongoing care and is NOT the environment used for taking patient histories, performing examinations or presenting reports of findings. These procedures are completed in a private, confidential setting.

We are requesting this authorization of you due to various interpretations under federal law with respect to what is known as an "incidental disclosure" of health information. It is our view that the kinds of matters related in an "open adjusting" environment are incidental matters, in the event you or someone else would not agree with us we are providing this disclosure.

The use of this format is intended to make your experience with our office more efficient and productive as well as to enhance your access to quality health care and health information. If you choose not to be adjusted in an "open adjusting" environment, other arrangements will be made for you. Your decision will have no adverse effect on your care from Vitality Chiropractic.

I have read and I understand th	he above policy.	
Patient/Guardian Signature_		_ Date

You may revoke this authorization at any time. Revocation may be accomplished by advising us in writing of your decision to withdraw your authorization. Please allow a reasonable processing time for the change in our procedures to be completed.

# PATIENT FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY FORM

Thank you for choosing Vitality Chiropractic as your healthcare provider. We are honored by your choice and are committed to providing you with the highest quality healthcare. We ask that you read and sign this form to acknowledge your understanding of our patient financial policies.

#### **INSURANCE COVERAGE**

It is your responsibility to be aware of your insurance coverage, policy provisions, exclusions and limitations as well as authorization requirements or medical necessity guidelines. This information is furnished by your insurance carrier.

We attempt to verify that your coverage is valid at the time of your visit. However, the ultimate financial responsibility for payment is yours.

#### **INSURANCE CHANGES**

If you have had any changes in your insurance coverage - even if there is only a small change in the co-payment amount or a change in the expiration date of the policy - you must notify us. Even a small discrepancy on the chain form can lead to a claim denial.

#### **CO-PAYMENTS, CO-INSURANCE AND DEDUCTIONS**

Co-insurance and co-payments are the patient's responsibility. Co-pays are due at the time of visit.

Deductibles are patient's responsibility. The deductible is determined by the contract you have with your insurance carrier- which we strive to know how much each person's deductible is and how much has been met at the time of your visit.

You will be responsible for a \$25.00 service fee if your check is returned for nonpayment by the bank.

#### **REFERRALS**

It is your responsibility to obtain referrals if required to do so by your plan. We will assist you in obtaining the referral as needed. If your Primary Care physician changes, you must notify us immediately and obtain a new referral.

#### **NON-COVERED SERVICE**

All patients are responsible for "non-covered" services if denied by their insurance carrier.

#### **INSURANCE REQUEST**

You are responsible for responding to any request from the insurance company for further information. Not doing so will result in a claim denial and you will be responsible for payment.

#### **INSURANCE PAYMENTS SENT TO YOU**

If insurance payments are sent to you, you are responsible for forwarding them to our office with a copy of the explanation of Benefits (EOB) received.

#### **COLLECTION ACCOUNTS**

In the case your account is forwarded to a collection agency, you are responsible to pay reasonable attorney fees, if applicable.

We emphasize that as a medical care provider, our relationship is with you and not with your insurance company. It is your responsibility to know your policy. Again, we thank you for choosing Vitality Chiropractic as your healthcare provider and are here to help you!

I have read and understand this financial responsibility form.		
Patient Signature	Date	

Patient Name:	
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## Legal Assignment of Benefits and Health Insurance Disclosure Agreement

I, the undersigned patient, affirm that I do have insurance and/ or employee medical benefit coverage with an insurance carrier, and I understand and acknowledge that Vitality Chiropractic will bill my insurance carrier for the medical expenses to be incurred while I'm in treatment. Any and all insurance payments and/or insurance reimbursement will be made payable to Vitality Chiropractic by the carrier. If at any time my insurance carrier makes a payment for my care directly to me (instead of Vitality Chiropractic), I agree to honestly and fully pay Vitality Chiropractic for the services rendered. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges regardless of any applicable insurance or benefit payments or coverage.

I authorize any plan administrator or fiduciary, insurer, and/ or my attorney to release any and all plan documents, insurance policy and/or settlement information to Vitality Chiropractic upon written request. I authorize the use of this signature on all my insurance and/or employee medical benefits claim submissions.

I, the patient, understand that a certain portion of my care may not be covered by or has not been authorized by my insurance plan. I acknowledge that if any portion of the care provided is not, or may not be, covered by insurance, then I will be responsible for payment, and I will make the necessary financial arrangements with my healthcare provider to pay for these services. I understand that Vitality Chiropractic will make every legal effort to receive payment from the carrier for medically necessary chiropractic treatments and I agree to cooperate with my health care provider in any/ all of these attempts, including, if necessary, bringing suit with my insurance carrier at the cost of my provider.

This assignment will remain in effect until revoked by me in writing. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered as valid as the original. I have read and fully understand this agreement.

I have read and understand the above statement.	
Patient/Guardian Signature	Date

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Please use this form to let us know of the method you prefer we use in communicating with you. You have the right to request to receive communications about your protected health information from us by alternative means or at alternative locations and we will accommodate reasonable requests.

Name:		
Date of Birth:	Last 4 digits Social Security #	XXX-XX

You may change your mind at any time and we will provide you with another copy of this form to request modification of your preferred method of communication. You do not need to tell us why you are making this request.

# If You Prefer Email or Text Message

You may request that we communicate with you by email or text message. We must warn you there is some level of risk that protected health information transmitted by unencrypted email or unencrypted text message could be intercepted or read by an unauthorized person. In light of this warning, if you still prefer that we communicate with you by unencrypted email or unencrypted text message we will agree to your request. We are not responsible for unauthorized access of your protected health information while in transmission or for safeguarding information that has been delivered to you.

You may check one or more box below or if your preference is not listed please provide specific directions in the space provided following the check boxes.

## I request you communicate with me by:

1. Telephone

Call my Home Phone - Number
Leave message with call-back number with family member or voicemail.
Do NOT leave message with call-back number with family member or voicemail.
□ Do not contact me on my Home Phone.
Call my Work Phone - Number
Leave message with call-back number with co-worker or on voicemail.
☐ Do NOT leave message with call-back number with co-worker or on voicemail.
☐ Do not contact me on my Work Phone.
Call my Cell Phone - Number
Leave message with health information and call-back number on voicemail.
Do NOT leave message with health information and call-back number on voicemail
□ Do not contact me on my Cell Phone.
2. E-mail
I understand there is some level of risk that protected health information transmitted by unencrypted email could be read by an unauthorized person but I still prefer you

□ Do Not contact me by e-mail.

communicate with me by email at this Email Address:

### **Methods of Communication**

3. Text Message I understand there is some level of risk that protecte unencrypted text message could be read by an una communicate with me by text message at this cell p	uthorized person but I still prefer you			
□ Do Not contact me by text message.				
4. U.S. Mail				
We will send mail to you at your Home Address unless you prefer to receive mail at another mailing address.				
☐ Instead of my Home Address, please send mail to r	me at the address below:			
5. Online Communication System via DemandForce				
We invite you to participate in our patient online system.	Features include but not limited to:			
Receiving Appointment Reminders via E-mail and	Text Message			
<ul><li>Requesting Appointments Online</li><li>Confirming Appointments via Email or Text</li></ul>				
☐ I prefer to OPT IN the Online Communication Sy				
☐ I prefer to OPT OUT of the Online Communication	on System			
6. Other Communication Methods				
You may communicate with me as follows (please because the second of the	be specific):			
Signature:	Date:			

By signing above, I certify that the information provided is correct and true and I understand that I may my request modification of my preferred method of communication at any time.