



# MURRAY CHIROPRACTIC GROUP

## CONFIDENTIAL CASE HISTORY

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you prefer:  First name  Mr  Mrs.  Ms  Miss  Dr  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
 Birth date; M: \_\_\_\_\_ D: \_\_\_\_\_ Y: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status;  M  S  W  D  
 Home Tel. \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Tel. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Children's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 What occupies your spare time? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Who referred you to our office? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of regular Medical Doctor \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

### HEALTH INFORMATION:

Have you had previous chiropractic care?  yes  no When? \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you ever had x-rays?  yes  no For what reason? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What is your major complaint? \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long have you had this condition? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you had it before?  yes  no  
 What aggravates your condition \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is it getting:  Better  Worse  Constant  Comes and goes  
 Is this condition interfering with your:  Work  Sleep  Daily routine  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long has it been since you really felt good? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Others who treated this condition: \_\_\_\_\_  
 List surgical conditions and years: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Drugs you now take:  Pain killers  Muscle relaxants  Birth control  Vitamins  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you wearing:  Heel lifts  Orthotics  Special supports or braces \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you ever been in an automobile accident?  Never  Past year  Within 5 years  More than 5 years ago Describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you ever had any other personal injury or accident?  yes  no Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

### REASON FOR CONSULTING THE OFFICE:

- I have a specific problem and only require help with this problem.
- After my problem has been relieved, I am interested in strategies to ensure the problem does not return.
- Spinal checkup and to improve my general health.

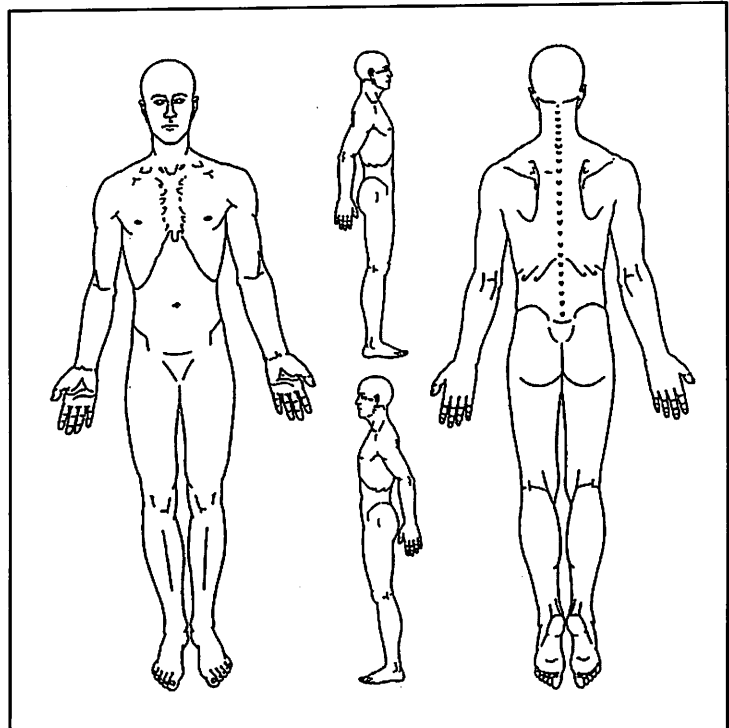
**HEALTH HISTORY:**

To provide us with a more complete clinical picture, please answer the following questions, even if you do not think they are related to your health problem. Pain is often referred from other areas or it may be related to a more serious underlying pathology.

Have you ever suffered from:

- 1. Dizziness  Yes  No
- 2. Heart trouble  Yes  No
- 3. Diabetes  Yes  No
- 4. Arthritis  Yes  No
- 5. Asthma  Yes  No
- 6. Cancer  Yes  No
- 7. Digestive problems  Yes  No
- 8. Numbness  Yes  No
- 9. Tingling  Yes  No
- 10. Bladder trouble  Yes  No
- 11. Kidney trouble  Yes  No
- 12. Backaches  Yes  No
- 13. Neck pain  Yes  No
- 14. Headaches  Yes  No

Please mark the main areas of pain on the figures below:



**FEMALES:**

- 1. Severe menstrual pain  Yes  No
- 2. Vaginal pain  Yes  No
- 3. Breast pain  Yes  No
- 4. Lumps on breast  Yes  No

Make a mark (/) along the line which you think represents your current level of pain in your major area of injury, somewhere between "No Pain at all" and "Severe Pain"

\_\_\_\_\_

No Pain at all Severe Pain

**FAMILY HEALTH INFORMATION (Past or present health problems):**

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Coverage:  MSP  WCB  ICBC  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Number: \_\_\_\_\_



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## OFFICE POLICY

### REGULAR PATIENTS

- ◆ The office fee is \$70.00 for an initial visit and \$50.00 per subsequent visit.
- ◆ If your MSP premiums are currently subsidized by MSP your first treatment will be \$35.00 with subsequent visits at \$30.00 (within the 10 visit yearly limit), then it will be \$35.00.
- ◆ The office fee for missed appointments, or cancellation without 24 hours notice is \$10.00.
- ◆ Patients who have been absent from care for more than six months will be subject to a \$5.00 re-examination fee.
- ◆ Patients are required to inform staff of new injuries or complaints. A one-time examination fee of \$5.00 will apply in addition to the regular office fee.

**Payment must be made on the date of service.** This office does not bill. If you do not bring the fee at the time of service, you will be asked to bring it in later that same day. This will assist in our cash balancing. Failure to do this will incur a \$5.00 handling fee.

### WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD

Please report immediately to the staff if your visit is to be billed to WCB, so the correct forms get submitted and M.S.P. is not incorrectly billed. **Patients are responsible for the office fee until which time WCB has fully accepted the claim. We will keep your credit card number on file or a post dated cheque in the amount of \$450.00.**

### ICBC PATIENTS

As there are many forms to fill out for ICBC and they too are billed separately from MSP please let the receptionist know ahead of time that you should be billed under ICBC.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_



## CANADIAN CHIROPRACTIC PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

### CONSENT TO CHIROPRACTIC TREATMENT – FORM L

It is important for you to consider the benefits, risks and alternatives to the treatment options offered by your chiropractor and to make an informed decision about proceeding with treatment.

Chiropractic treatment includes adjustment, manipulation and mobilization of the spine and other joints of the body, soft-tissue techniques such as massage, and other forms of therapy including, but not limited to, electrical or light therapy and exercise.

#### Benefits

Chiropractic treatment has been demonstrated to be effective for complaints of the neck, back and other areas of the body caused by nerves, muscles, joints and related tissues. Treatment by your chiropractor can relieve pain, including headache, altered sensation, muscle stiffness and spasm. It can also increase mobility, improve function, and reduce or eliminate the need for drugs or surgery.

#### Risks

The risks associated with chiropractic treatment vary according to each patient's condition as well as the location and type of treatment.

The risks include:

- **Temporary worsening of symptoms** – Usually, any increase in pre-existing symptoms of pain or stiffness will last only a few hours to a few days.
- **Skin irritation or burn** – Skin irritation or a burn may occur in association with the use of some types of electrical or light therapy. Skin irritation should resolve quickly. A burn may leave a permanent scar.
- **Sprain or strain** – Typically, a muscle or ligament sprain or strain will resolve itself within a few days or weeks with some rest, protection of the area affected and other minor care.
- **Rib fracture** – While a rib fracture is painful and can limit your activity for a period of time, it will generally heal on its own over a period of several weeks without further treatment or surgical intervention.
- **Injury or aggravation of a disc** – Over the course of a lifetime, spinal discs may degenerate or become damaged. A disc can degenerate with aging, while disc damage can occur with common daily activities such as bending or lifting. Patients who already have a degenerated or damaged disc may or may not have symptoms. They may not know they have a problem with a disc. They also may not know their disc condition is worsening because they only experience back or neck problems once in a while.

Chiropractic treatment should not damage a disc that is not already degenerated or damaged, but if there is a pre-existing disc condition, chiropractic treatment, like many common daily activities, may aggravate the disc condition.

The consequences of disc injury or aggravating a pre-existing disc condition will vary with each patient. In the most severe cases, patient symptoms may include impaired back or neck mobility, radiating pain and numbness into the legs or arms, impaired bowel or bladder function, or impaired leg or arm function. Surgery may be needed.

- **Stroke** – Blood flows to the brain through two sets of arteries passing through the neck. These arteries may become weakened and damaged, either over time through aging or disease, or as a result of injury. A blood clot may form in a

damaged artery. All or part of the clot may break off and travel up the artery to the brain where it can interrupt blood flow and cause a stroke.

Many common activities of daily living involving ordinary neck movements have been associated with stroke resulting from damage to an artery in the neck, or a clot that already existed in the artery breaking off and travelling up to the brain.

Chiropractic treatment has also been associated with stroke. However, that association occurs very infrequently, and may be explained because an artery was already damaged and the patient was progressing toward a stroke when the patient consulted the chiropractor. Present medical and scientific evidence does not establish that chiropractic treatment causes either damage to an artery or stroke.

The consequences of a stroke can be very serious, including significant impairment of vision, speech, balance and brain function, as well as paralysis or death.

**Alternatives**

Alternatives to chiropractic treatment may include consulting other health professionals. Your chiropractor may also prescribe rest without treatment, or exercise with or without treatment.

**Questions or Concerns**

You are encouraged to ask questions at any time regarding your assessment and treatment. Bring any concerns you have to the chiropractor's attention. If you are not comfortable, you may stop treatment at any time.

**Please be involved in and responsible for your care. Inform your chiropractor immediately of any change in your condition.**

**DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM UNTIL YOU MEET WITH THE CHIROPRACTOR**

I hereby acknowledge that I have discussed with the chiropractor the assessment of my condition and the treatment plan. I understand the nature of the treatment to be provided to me. I have considered the benefits and risks of treatment, as well as the alternatives to treatment. I hereby consent to chiropractic treatment as proposed to me.

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Name (Please Print)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of patient (or legal guardian)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

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Signature of Chiropractor