

Date:/	Patient's Full Name:		Preferred Name:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:		[ ] Male [ ] Female SS #
E-Mail:		Age:	Date of Birth://
Mailing Address:	- 0	City:	State: Zip:
[ ] Married [ ] Single [ ]	Widowed [ ] Separated [	[ ] Divorced	Number of Children/Ages:
Occupation:	Hours/Week:	_ Employer: _	Work Phone:
Spouse's Name:	DOB:	Employ	yer: Work Phone:
Emergency Contact:		Relationship: _	Phone:
Family Physician:	City:		State: Phone:
May our office inform your p	hysician of presenting condit	ion(s), exam fin	ndings, diagnosis and treatment plan? [ ] Yes [ ] No
Previous Chiropractic Care:	[ ] Yes [ ] No Dr's Nam	ne:	City/State:
How did you hear about us?	Friend, Relative, Physician	Name:	Other:
**If yes to either of	the questions below, please	see receptioni	ist, additional information is needed**
Is today's visit due to an on	the job/work related injury	? [ ] Yes [	No
Is today's visit due to an au	to accident?	[ ] Yes [	No Date of Injury:
**Mark Your Pains	Problems On The Picture**		**In Order of Importance, List Your Pains / Problems**
			Complaint #1:
What makes it worse? [ ] Be	nding [ ] Standing [ ] Sitti	ing [] Walkin	ng Other:
What makes it better? [ ] La	ying down [ ] Sitting [ ] S	tanding [] Wa	alking Other:
What does the pain feel like?	[ ] Sharp [ ] Dull/Ache [	] Throbbing [	Tingly/Numb/Burn Other:
When does it bother you the r	nost? [ ] Morning [ ] Durir	ng day [] Eve	ening [ ] Lying in bed Other:
What percentage of the day d	o you experience it? [ ] 0-25	% []25-50%	6 []50-75% []75-100%
Have you ever experienced co	omplaint #1 before? [ ] Yes	[] No If yes	es, when?
- Was treatment provided? [	] Yes [] No If yes, by wh	hom?	Outcome:
Have your pains resulted in a	ny: [ ] Muscle weakness [ ]	] Bowel/Bladde	er Control [ ] Digestion Issues [ ] Heart/Breathing Issues
Have you tried ice, heat, stret	ches, or taken any medication	(over the coun	tter or prescribed) for your current pain? [ ] Yes [ ] No
- If yes, explain:			Results:

What is your goa	l from treatment (ex. Play a round	of golf witho	ut pain)?		
Have you ever ha	ad a stroke or issues with blood clo	tting? [ ] Ye	s [] No If yes, wh	nen:	
Have you recentl	y experienced dizziness, unexplain	ed fatigue, w	eight loss, or blood lo	ss? [ ] Yes [	] No
- If yes, explain:		Are yo	u currently taking an	anticoagulant o	r blood thinner? [ ] Yes [ ] No
Have you ever ha	ad any major illnesses, injuries, hos	pitalizations,	or surgeries? [ ] Yes	s [] No	
Date	Major Injury/Fracture/Illness/	Surgeries	Treatme	ent	Results
	1				
Please list any all	lergies:				
Please list any su	pplements or medications you curr	ently take:			
Please check boo	dy areas or systems where you m	ay have prob	olems:		
[ ] Eyes	[ ] Intestines/Bo	owels [	] Joints/Bones	[ ] Allergie	S
[ ] Ears/Nose/Mo	outh/Throat [ ] Urinary	]	] Skin	[ ] Psychological	ogical/Emotional
[ ] Heart	[ ] Muscles	]	] Internal Organs	[ ] Gynecol	ogical/Menstrual/Breast
[ ] Lungs/Breath	ing [ ] Nerves	]	] Blood	[ ] Prostate	Testicular/Penile
Please explain ch	eck marks:				
I am interested in	diet and lifestyle counseling to hel	lp with high b	olood pressure, gut iss	ues, low energy	y, pain, etc. [] Yes [] No
	Do you exercise? Times per week				
[ ] Yes [ ] No	Use tobacco? Type:			If you	quit, when did you quit?
[] Yes [] No	Consume alcohol?	How many	drinks per week?		
[] Yes [] No	Healthy diet?	If no, expla	in:		
[] Yes [] No	Get adequate sleep?	If no, expla	in:		
[] Yes [] No	Is work/school stressful to you?	If yes, expl	ain:		·
[ ] Yes [ ] No	Family life stressful to you?		ain:		
[ ] Yes [ ] No	Use recreational drugs?		ain:		
Family History	and Health Status (list ay heredita	ry diseases of	major illnesses whic	h affect your m	other/father/sister/brother):
					***************************************
	b. [ ] [ ] [ ]		you use a pillow? [		r and
50	tics or arch supports? [ ] Yes [ ]				
	f last gynecological and breast exam		Possil	ole pregnancy?	[]Yes []No
	strual cycle:				
I hereby state th	at all information I have provide	d is complet	e and truthful, and t	nat I have fully	g disclosed my health history.
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Signature:			Da	ate:	

Patient Last Name	Patient First N		6						Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)
Provider Last Name Cripps	Provider First Melanie	Name				Phone (area		)	-
Instructions: Please circle  Note: Answer each question  complaint.									score, the area of
	eadache		Neck		L	ow Back			worst zoosible sais
No pain 0 1	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	worst possible pain
What is your pain RIGHT !	NOW?								
No pain	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9.	10	worst possible pain
What is your TYPICAL or a	AVERAGE pa	in?							
No pain	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	worst possible pain
What is your pain level AT	ITS BEST (Ho	w clos	se to "0" (	does y	our pain	get at its	s best)?	?	
No pain	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	worst possible pain
4. What is your pain level AT	ITS WORST (	How c	lose to "1	0" doe	es your p	ain get a	at its wo	orst)?	
No pain	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	worst possible pain
OTHER COMMENTS:									
I understand that the information	n I have provid	ded ab	ove is cu	rrent a	and com	plete to t Date	he best	t of my	/ knowledge.

Quadruple Numerical Rating Scale

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## Carthage Family Chiropractic, LLC

# NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW HEALTH INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION.

# PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY. THE PRIVACY OF YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT TO US.

#### **OUR LEGAL DUTY**

We are required by applicable federal and state law to maintain the privacy of your health information. We are also required to give you this Notice about our privacy practices, our legal duties, and your rights concerning your health information. We must follow the privacy practices that are described in this Notice while it is in effect

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices and the terms of this Notice at any time, provided such changes are permitted by applicable law. We reserve the right to make the changes in our privacy practices and the new terms of our Notice effective for all health information that we maintain, including health information we created or received before we made the changes. Before we make a significant change in our privacy practices, we will change this Notice and make the new Notice available upon request.

You may request a copy of our Notice at any time. For more information about our privacy practices, or for additional copies of this Notice, please contact us using the information listed at the end of this Notice.

USES AND DISCLOSURES OF HEALTH INFORMATION

We use and disclose health information about you for treatment, payment, and healthcare operations. For example:

Treatment: We may use or disclose your health information to a physician or other healthcare provider providing treatment to you.

Payment: We may use and disclose your health information to obtain payment for services we provide to you.

Healthcare Operations: We may use and disclose your health information in connection with our healthcare operations. Healthcare operations include quality assessment and improvement activities, reviewing the competence or qualifications of healthcare professionals, evaluating practitioner and provider performance, conducting training programs, accreditation, certification, licensing or credentialing activities.

Your Authorization: In addition to our use of your health information for treatment, payment or healthcare operations, you may give us written authorization to use your health information or to disclose it to anyone for any purpose. If you give us an authorization, you may revoke it in writing at any time. Your revocation will not affect any use or disclosures permitted by your authorization while it was in effect. Unless you give us a written authorization, we cannot use or disclose your health information for any reason except those described in this Notice.

To Your Family and Friends: We must disclose your health information to you, as described in the Patient Rights section of this Notice. We may disclose your health information to a family member, friend or other person to the extent necessary to help with your healthcare or with payment for your healthcare, but only if you agree that we may do so.

Persons Involved In Care: We may use or disclose health information to notify, or assist in the notification of (including identifying or locating) a family member, your personal representative or another person responsible for your care, of your location, your general condition, or death. If you are present, then prior to use or disclosure of your health information, we will provide you with an opportunity to object to such uses or disclosures. In the event of your incapacity or emergency circumstances, we will disclose health information based on a determination using our professional judgment disclosing only health information that is directly relevant to the person's involvement in your healthcare. We will also use our professional judgment and our experience with common practice to make reasonable inferences of your best interest in allowing a person to pick up filled prescriptions, medical supplies, x-rays, or other similar forms of health information.

Marketing Health-Related Services: We will not use your health information for marketing communications without your written authorization.

Required by Law: We may use or disclose your health information when we are required to do so by law.

Abuse or Neglect: We may disclose your health information to appropriate authorities if we reasonably believe that you are a possible victim of abuse, neglect, or domestic violence or the possible victim of other crimes. We may disclose your health information to the extent necessary to avert a serious threat to your health or safety or the health or safety of others.

National Security: We may disclose to military authorities the health information of Armed Forces personnel under certain circumstances. We may disclose to authorized federal officials health information required for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, and other national security activities. We may disclose to correctional institution or law enforcement official having lawful custody of protected health information of inmate or patient under certain circumstances.

Appointment Reminders: We may use or disclose your health information to provide you with appointment reminders (such as voicemail messages, postcards, or letters).

#### PATIENT RIGHTS

Access: You have the right to look at or get copies of your health information, with limited exceptions. You may request that we provide copies in

a format other than photocopies. We will use the format you request unless we cannot practicably do so. (You must make a request in writing to obtain access to your health information. You may obtain a form to request access by using the contact information listed at the end of this Notice. We will charge you a reasonable cost-based fee for expenses such as copies and staff time. You may also request access by sending us a letter to the address at the end of this Notice. If you request copies, we will charge you \$.50 per each page and a \$20.00 administration fee for staff time to locate and copy your health information, and postage if you want the copies mailed to you. If you request an alternative format, we will charge a cost-based fee for providing your health information in that format. If you prefer, we will prepare a summary or an explanation of your health information for a fee. Contact us using the information listed at the end of this Notice for a full explanation of our fee structure.

Disclosure Accounting: You have the right to receive a list of instances in which we or our business associates disclosed your health information for purposes, other than treatment, payment, healthcare operations and certain other activities, for the last 6 years, but not before April 14, 2003. If you request this accounting more than once in a 12-month period, we may charge you a reasonable, cost-based fee for responding to these additional requests.

Restriction: You have the right to request that we place additional restrictions on our use or disclosure of your health information. We are not required to agree to these additional restrictions, but if we do, we will abide by our agreement (except in an emergency).

Alternative Communication: You have the right to request that we communicate with you about your health information by alternative means or to alternative locations. (You must make your request in writing.) Your request must specify the alternative means or location, and provide satisfactory explanation how payments will be handled under the alternative means or location you request.

Amendment: You have the right to request that we amend your health information. (Your request must be in writing, and it must explain why the information should be amended.) We may deny your request under certain circumstances.

Electronic Notice: If you receive this Notice on our Web site or by electronic mail (e-mail), you are entitled to receive this

Notice in written

Semi-open Adjusting Environment: This office utilizes a "semi-open adjusting" environment for ongoing patient care. "Semi-open adjusting" involved several patients being seen in the same adjusting room at the same time. Patients are often within sight of one another and some ongoing routine details of care are discussed within earshot of other patients and staff. 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 healthcare and health information. If you choose not to be adjusted in an open-adjusting environment, please let us know and other arrangements will be made for you.

QUESTIONS AND COMPLAINTS: If you want more information about our privacy practices or have questions or concerns, please contact us. If you are concerned that we may have violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with a decision we made about access to your health information or in response to a request you made to amend or restrict the use or disclosure of your health information or to have us communicate with you by alternative means or at alternative locations, you may complain to us using the contact information listed at the end of this Notice. You also may submit a written complaint to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. We will provide you with the address to file your complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services upon request.

We support your right to the privacy of your health information. We will not retaliate in any way if you choose to file a complaint with us or with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Contact Officer: Samantha Sanders, Carthage Family Chiropractic, LLC Telephone: 615-735-9336 Fax: 615-281-8449

Patient Signature:	Date:
Parent/Guardian Signature	Relationship:
Print Name:	

## ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS / ERISA AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE FORM

## Financial Responsibility

I have requested professional services from Carthage Family Chiropractic LLC, 906 Main Street North, Carthage, TN 37030 ("Provider") on behalf of myself and/or my dependents, and understand that by making this request, I am responsible for all charges incurred during the course of said services. I understand that all fees for said services are due and payable on the date services are rendered and agree to pay all such charges incurred in full immediately upon presentation of the appropriate statement unless other arrangements have been made in advance.

## Assignment of Insurance Benefits

I hereby assign all applicable health insurance benefits to which I and/or my dependents are entitled to Provider. I certify that the health insurance information that I provided to Provider is accurate as of the date set forth below and that I am responsible for keeping it updated.

I hereby authorize Provider to submit claims, on my and/or my dependent's behalf, to the benefit plan (or its administrator) listed on the current insurance card I provided to Provider, in good faith. I also hereby instruct my benefit plan (or its administrator) to pay Provider directly for services rendered to me or my dependents. To the extent that my current policy prohibits direct payment to Provider, I hereby instruct and direct my benefit plan (or its administrator) to provide documentation stating such non-assignment to myself and Provider upon request. Upon proof of such non-assignment, I instruct my benefit plan (or its administrator) to make out the check to me and mail it directly to Provider.

I am fully aware that having health insurance does not absolve me of my responsibility to ensure that my bills for professional services from Provider are paid in full. I also understand that I am responsible for all amounts not covered by my health insurance, including co-payments, co-insurance, and deductibles.

## Authorization to Release Information

I hereby authorize Provider to: (1) release any information necessary to my health benefit plan (or its administrator) regarding my illness and treatments; (2) process insurance claims generated in the course of examination or treatment; and (3) allow a photocopy of my signature to be used to process insurance claims. This order will remain in effect until revoked by me in writing.

#### **ERISA Authorization**

I hereby designate, authorize, and convey to Provider to the full extent permissible under law and under any applicable insurance policy and/or employee health care benefit plan, as my Authorized Representative: (1) the right and ability to act on my behalf in connection with any claim, right, or cause in action that I may have under such insurance policy and/or benefit plan; and (2) the right and ability to act on my behalf to pursue such claim, right, or cause of action in connection with said insurance policy and/or benefit plan (including but not limited to, the right to act on my behalf in respect to a benefit plan governed by the provisions of ERISA as provided in 29 *C.F.R.* §2560.5031(b)(4)) with respect to any healthcare expense incurred as a result of the services I received from Provider and, to the extent permissible under the law, to claim on my behalf, such benefits, claims, or reimbursement, and any other applicable remedy, including fines.

A photocopy of this Assignment/Authoriza	tion shall be as effective and valid as the original.
Patient	Date
Policyholder/Insured	Date

## INFORMED CONSENT TO CHIROPRACTIC TREATMENT

I hereby request and consent to the performance of chiropractic treatments (also known as chiropractic adjustments or chiropractic manipulative treatments) and any other associated procedures: physical examination, tests, diagnostic x-rays, physical therapy, physical medicine, physical therapy procedures, etc. on me by the doctor of chiropractic named above and/or other assistants and/or licensed practitioners.

I understand, as with any health care procedures, that there are certain complications, which may arise during chiropractic treatments. Those complications include but are not limited to: fractures, disc injuries, dislocations, muscle strain, Horners' 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 complications including stroke.

I do not expect the doctor to be able to anticipate all risks and complications, and I wish to rely upon the doctor to exercise judgment during the course of the procedure(s) which the doctor feels at the time, based upon the facts then known, that are in my best interest.

I have had an opportunity to discuss with the doctor(s) named above and/or with office personnel the nature, purpose and risks of chiropractic treatments and other recommended procedures. I have had my questions answered to my satisfaction. I also understand that specific results are not guaranteed.

I have read (or have had read to me) the above explanation of the chiropractic treatments.

Dy

By signing below, I state that I have been informed and weighed the risks involved in chiropractic treatment at this health care office. I have decided that it is in my best interest to receive chiropractic treatment. I hereby give my consent to that treatment. I intend for this consent to cover the entire course of treatment for my present condition(s) and for any future conditions(s) for which I seek treatment.

SIGN ONLY AFTER YOU UNDERSTAND AND AGR	EE TO THE ABOVE
Printed Name of Patient	
X	
Signature of Patient	Date
X	
Signature of Representative (if patient is minor or handicapped)	Date
X	
Witness to Patients' Signature	Date
Doctor:	