# GARNER CHIROPRACTIC AND WELLNESS CENTER

CONFIDENTIAL HEALTH RECORD

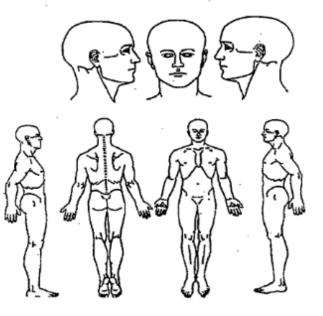
Name:		Street Address:				
City:	State: Zip: _	Email Address:				
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Cell Carrier Name:				
Patient Birthdate:	Age:	Sex: M F Social Security:				
Occupation:		Marital Status: S W# of Children:				
Spouse/Parent/Guardian:		Insurance Carrier:				
Primary Insured's Name (if othe	r than patient):	Insured's Birthdate:				
Emergency Contact Name:		_ Emergency Contact Relationship:				
Emergency Contact Phone #: _						
Present Family Physician:		City, State:				
Date of Last Physical Exam:		By Doctor:				
Referred By:						
List Present Complaints (most	bothersome to least):					
1		How Long?				
2		_ How Long?				
3		How Long?				
4		_ How Long?				
List other doctors consulted fo	r this/these conditions:					
Name:		Diagnosis:				
Treatment:		Result:				
Name:		Diagnosis:				
Have you had chiropractic care	e in the past? Yes No	Treatment Date:				
Dr.'s Name:		-				
I GIVE GARNER CHIROPP	RACTIC AND WELLNE	SS CENTER PERMISSION TO TREAT ME				
Date:						

NAME:

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What surgeries hav	e you had						
What:	When:			I	Octor:		
What:		When:		Doctor:			
What:	When:			I			
Any previous signif	ficant injuries (slips,	falls, sports rela	ted etc.	):			
What:	When:			Treatment:			
What:	When:			_ Treatment:			
	When:						
List Fractures/Brol	ken bones:					. •	
	A.L						
What:	· •	Whe	n:		·		
List any medication	ns, vitamins, or diet s	upplements you	ı curren	tly take			
What	for		Dosage		_Dr		
What	for		Dosage	2	Dr		
What	for		Dosage		Dr		
Family History: Heart Disease Kidney Disease	Do family members High Blood Pressure Tuberculosis	Diabetes	Stroke		Cancer		
Personal History: Appendicitis Chicken Pox Pneumonia Arthritis Influenza	Have you had any o Scarlet Fever Small Pox Heart Disease Tuberculosis Pleurisy	of the following Rheumatic fever Whooping Coug High Blood Pres Mental Disorder Diabetes	r gh ssure r	Typhoid Feve Malaria Headache Eplilepsy Goiter	Diptheria Anemia Eczema	Stroke Polio Mumps Cancer AIDS/HIV	

Mark on the diagram your complaint area How do you rate your pain: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 1=ok 10= tremendous pain

Type of sensation: Numbness: + + + + Burning: x x x x x Stabbing (sharp):= = = = = Pins and needles: 0 0 0 0 Aching (dull): / / / / / /



### **REVIEW OF SYSTEMS:**

Cardiovascular	Present	Past	Respiratory	Present	Past	Allergic/Immunologic	Present	Past
Poor Circulation			Asthma			Hives		
Hypertension			Tuberculosis			Immune Disorder		
Aortic Aneurism			Short Breath			HIV/AIDS		
Heart Disease			Emphysema			Allergy Shots		
Heart Attack			Cold/Flu			Cortisone Use		
Chest Pain			Cough					
High Cholesterol			Wheezing			Ear, Nose, and Throat	Present	Past
Pace Maker						Difficulty Swallowing		
Jaw Pain			Eyes			Dizziness		
Irregular Heartbeat			Glaucoma			Hearing Loss		
Swelling of legs			Double Vision			Sore Throat		
			Blurred Vision			Nosebleeds		
Genitourinary	Present	Past		1		Bleeding Gums		
Kidney Disease			Psychiatric	Present	Past	Sinus Infections		
Burning Urination			Depression		1	Gastrointestinal		
Frequent Urination			Anxiety	1				
Blood in Urine			Stress					
Kidney Stones						Gall Bladder Problems	Present	Past
Lower Side Pain			Endocrine	Present	Past	Bowel Problems		
			Thyroid			Constipation		
Neurologic	Present	Past	Diabetes			Liver Problems		
Stroke			Hair Loss			Ulcers		
Seizures			Menopausal			Diarrhea		
Head Injury			PMS			Nausea/Vomiting		
Brain Aneurysm						Bloody Stools		
Numbness			Hematologic	Present	Past	Poor Appetite		
Severe Headaches			Hepatitis					
Parkinson's			Blood Clots			Musculoskeletal	Present	Past
Carpal Tunnel			Cancer			Gout		
Vertigo			Bruising			Arthritis		
			Bleeding	1		Joint Stiffness		
Constitutional	Present	Past	Fever, Chills			Muscle Weakness		
Weight Loss/Gain			Sweating	1		Osteoporosis		
Low Energy level			Varicose Veins	1		Broken Bones		
Difficulty Sleeping						Joints Replaced		
			Female Only	Present	Past	Neck Pain		
			Painful Menstruation			Low Back Pain		
			PMS			Upper Back Pain		
			Last Menstrual Cycle	1	1	- *	1	

### FAMILY HISTORY:

Do any of your family members have any of the following? If yes, state who (father, mother, sister, etc...).

Diabetes	Parent	Sibling
Hypertension	Parent	Sibling
Heart Disease	Parent	Sibling
Cancer	Parent	Sibling
Stroke	Parent	Sibling

Please Initial: \_\_\_\_\_



### **OFFICE POLICY**

- We will try to assist the patient whenever possible, but it must be understood that: waiting for insurance payments is a courtesy that may be withdrawn at any time. We will bill your <u>primary</u> insurance carrier only. You will be responsible for billing your secondary insurance carrier.
- 2. We file claims in a timely manner and expect insurance payments to be timely as well. Payment should be made in 30-90 days. If the insurance carrier fails to pay in that time, the patient must pay all fees in full.
- 3. Patients are required to pay their deductible, co-insurance, and/or co-pay required by their insurance plan. We will file insurance toward your deductible.
- 4. If the patient discontinues care, or is discharged by the doctor, the bill is due in full immediately.
- 5. If the patient fails to keep scheduled appointments, they can be discharged from care. The bill is then due in full immediately.
- 6. When we receive an insurance payment, and if a balance is due, you will be notified.
- 7. As a service, we will get an estimated verification of benefits for you. This is not a guarantee that your insurance company will pay.
- 8. We will not enter a dispute with your insurance company over payment or coverage. This is your responsibility.
- 9. Any costs incurred Garner Chiropractic & Wellness Center to collect any unpaid balance will be your responsibility.
- 10. There may be an additional charge for any extra paperwork required for settling accounts by you or your insurance company(ies).
- 11. A two percent (2%) interest charge per month will be assessed on any balance 30 days past due.
- 12. You are required to keep us current with information regarding insurance coverage.

If you have any questions on any of the statements provided above, please ask before signing below. We are happy to answer any questions. The above statements are provided to inform all parties of their responsibility so that there are not any surprises or questions regarding payments.

I hereby state that I have read and understand the terms of the Garner Chiropractic & Wellness Center, PLLC. office policy and that I agree with and will abide by the terms set forth.

**Signature** of Patient (Parent/Guardian if under 18 years)

Date



### NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

This notice describes how medical information about you may be used and disclosed and how you can get access to this information. Please review it carefully.

### YOUR RIGHTS

#### Get an electronic or paper copy of your medical record

You can ask to see or get an electronic or paper copy of your medical record and other health information we have about you. Ask us how to do this. We will provide a summary of your health information, usually within 30 days of your request. We may charge a reasonable, cost-based fee.

#### Ask us to correct your medical record

You can ask us to correct health information about you that you think is incorrect or incomplete. Ask us how to do this. We may say "no" to your request but we will tell you why in writing within 60 days.

#### **Request confidential communications**

You can ask us to contact you in a specific way (for example: home or office phone) or to send mail to a different address. We will say "yes" to all reasonable requests.

#### Ask us to limit what we use or share

You can ask us not to use or share certain health information for treatment, payment, or our operations. We are not required to agree to your request and we may say "no" if it would affect your care.

**ONLY** if you pay for a service or health care item out-of-pocket, in full, at the time of service, can we comply with your request (i.e. your request is to not file your claims to your insurance company) not to share that information for the purpose of payment or our operations with your health insurer. Otherwise, we will say "yes" unless a law requires us to share that information.

#### Get a list of those with whom we have shared information

You can ask for a list (accounting) of the times we have shared your health information for six years prior to the date you ask, who we shared it with and why. We will include all the disclosures except for those about treatment, payment, and health care operations and certain other disclosures (such as any you asked us to make). We will provide one accounting a year for free but will charge a reasonable, cost-based fee if you ask for another one within 12 months.

#### Get a copy this privacy notice

You can ask for a paper copy of this notice at any time, even if you have agreed to receive the notice electronically. We will provide you with a paper copy promptly.

#### Choose someone to act for you

If you have given someone medical power of attorney or if someone is your legal guardian, that person can exercise your rights and make choices about your health information. We will make sure the person has this authority and can act for you before we take any action.

#### File a complaint if you feel your rights have been violated

You can complain if you feel we have violated your rights by contacting us. You can file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office for Civil Rights by sending a letter to 200 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201, calling 1-877-696-6775, or visiting www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/complaints/. We will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint.

#### YOUR CHOICES

### For certain health information, you can tell us your choices about what we share.

If you have a clear preference for how we share your information in the situations below, talk to us. Tell us what you want us to do and we will follow your instructions.

#### In these situations, you have both the right and choice to tell us to:

- Share information with your family, close friends, or others involved in your care.
- Share information in a disaster relief situation.
- Contact you for fundraising efforts\*.

If you are not able to tell us your preference (i.e. if you are unconscious) we may go ahead and share your information if we believe it is in your best interest. We may also share your information when needed to lessen a serious and imminent threat to health or safety. \*We may contact you for fundraising efforts but you can tell us not to contact you again.

#### In these situations, we never share your information unless you give us written permission:

- Marketing purposes.
- Sale of your information.

### **OUR USES AND DISCLOSURES**

How do we typically use or share your health information? We typically use or share your health information in the following ways:

Treat You

We can use your health information and share it with other professionals who are treating you. *Example: A doctor treating you for an injury* asks another doctor about your overall health condition.

• Run our organization

We can use and share your health information to run our practice, improve your care, and contact you when necessary. *Example: We use health information about you to manage your treatment and services.* 

• Bill for your services

We can use and share your health information to bill and get payment from health plans or other entities. *Example: We give information about you to your health insurance so it will pay for your services.* 

How else can we share or use your health information? We are allowed or required to share your information in other ways – usually in ways that contribute to the public good, such as public health and research. We have to meet many conditions in the law before we can share your information for these purposes.

For more information see: www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/understanding/consumers/index.html.

• Help with public health and safety issues

We can share health information about you for certain situations such as: preventing disease, helping with product recalls, reporting adverse reactions to medications, reporting suspected abuse, neglect, or domestic violence, and preventing or reducing a serious threat to anyone's health or safety.

Do research

We can use or share your information for health research.

• Comply with the law

We will share information about you if state or federal laws require it, including with the Department of Health and Human Services if it wants to see that we're complying with federal privacy law.

- Respond to organ and tissue donation requests We can share health information about you with organ procurement organizations.
- Work with a medical examiner or funeral director We can share health information with a coroner, medical examiner, or funeral director when an individual dies.
- Address workers' compensation, law enforcement, and other government requests We can use or share health information about you: for workers' compensation claims, for law enforcement purposes or with a law enforcement official, with health oversight agencies for activities authorized by law, and for special government functions such as military, national security, and presidential protective services.
- Respond to lawsuits and legal actions We can share health information about you in response to a court or administrative order, or in response to a subpoena.

#### **OUR RESPONSIBILITIES**

We are required by law to maintain the privacy and security of your protected health information. We will let you know promptly if a breach occurs that may have compromised the privacy or security of your information. We must follow the duties and privacy practices described in this notice and give you a copy of it. We will not use or share your information other than as described here unless you tell us we can in writing. If you tell us we can, you may change your mind at any time. Let us know in writing if you change your mind.

For more information see: www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/understanding/consumers/noticepp.html.

#### Changes to the Terms of this Notice

We can change the terms of this notice, and the changes will apply to all information we have about you. The new notice will be available upon request, in our office, and on our web site.

Effective January 16, 2019

Printed Name of Patient

Signature of Patient (Parent/Guardian if under 18 years)

Date



### **Informed Consent Document**

### PATIENT NAME:

To the patient: Please read this entire document prior to signing it. It is important that you understand the information contained in this document. <u>Please ask questions</u> before you sign if there is anything that is unclear.

### The nature of the chiropractic adjustment:

The primary treatment I use as a Doctor of Chiropractic is spinal manipulative therapy. I will use that procedure to treat you. I may use my hands or a mechanical instrument upon your body in such a way as to move your joints with a goal of gaining better range of motion, better symmetry and balance, reducing pain, and enhancing how you feel. That may cause an audible "pop" or "click", much as you experience when you "pop" your knuckles. You may feel a sense of movement.

### **Examination / Analysis / Treatment:**

As part of the examination, analysis, and treatment, Garner Chiropractic is fortunate to have some of the most up-to-date and advanced technologies listed below. Any may benefit your treatment/condition. You are consenting to the following procedures:

\_\_\_\_ I consent to <u>any/all treatments/protocols</u> the doctor believes will help me/my condition.

\_\_\_\_ I consent **ONLY** to the following, which I have initialed:

- \_\_\_\_\_\_ spinal manipulative therapy
- \_\_\_\_\_ range of motion testing
- \_\_\_\_\_ muscle strength testing

\_\_\_\_\_ ultrasound

- \_\_\_\_\_ radiographic studies
- \_\_\_\_\_ palpation
- \_\_\_\_\_ orthopedic testing
- \_\_\_\_\_ postural analysis

- \_\_\_\_ hot/cold therapy
  \_\_\_\_ acupuncture
- \_\_\_\_\_ power-vibe rehab
- \_\_\_\_\_ vital signs
- \_\_\_\_\_ basic neurological testing
- \_\_\_\_\_ electrical muscle stimulation (EMS)
- \_\_\_\_\_ rehab/exercises
- \_\_\_\_\_ nutritional recommendations

\_\_\_\_\_ other (please explain)

### The material risks inherent in chiropractic adjustment:

As with any healthcare procedure, there are certain complications which may arise during chiropractic manipulation and therapy. These complications include, but are not limited to: fractures, disc injuries, dislocation, muscle strain, cervical myelopathy, costovertebral strains and separations, and skin irritations. 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. I will make every reasonable effort during the examination to screen for contra-indications to care. However, if you have a condition that would otherwise not come to our attention, it is your responsibility to inform the doctor(s).

### The probability of those risks occurring:

Fractures are rare occurrences and generally result from some underlying weakness of the bone which is checked for during the compilation of your history and during examination and X-Ray. Stroke has been the subject of tremendous disagreement. The incidences of stroke are exceedingly rare and are <u>estimated to occur between one in one million and</u> <u>one in five million</u> cervical adjustments. The other complications are described generally as rare.

### The availability and nature of other treatment options:

Other treatment options for your condition may include:

- Self-administered, over-the-counter analgesics and rest,
- Medical care and prescription drugs such as anti-inflammatories, muscle relaxants, and pain-killers,
- Hospitalization, and/or
- Surgery and injections.

If you choose to use one of the above noted "other treatment" options, you should be aware that there are risks (death, infections, etc.) and benefits associated with these options, and you may wish to discuss these with your primary care medical physician.

### The risks and dangers with remaining untreated:

Remaining untreated may allow the formation of adhesions and reduce mobility which may set up a pain reaction further reducing mobility. Over time, this process may complicate treatment making it more difficult and less effective the longer it is postponed.

## DO NOT SIGN UNTIL YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE. PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX AND SIGN BELOW.

I have read [ ]: or

I have had read to me [ ]:

The above explanation of the chiropractic adjustment and related treatment(s). I have discussed it with Dr. Perry Kirch 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 decided it is in my best interest to undergo the treatment recommended. Having been informed of the risks, I hereby give my consent to treatment.

Printed Name of Patient	Printed Name of Doctor
Signature of Patient (Parent/Guardian if under 18 years)	Signature of Doctor
Date	Date