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CONSENT FOR TREATMENT

PATIENT NAME _____

To the Patient:

Please read this entire document before signing it. It is important that you understand the information contained in this document. Please ask questions 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 to move your joints. This may cause an audible "pop" or "click", as you may have experienced when you "crack" your knuckles. You may feel a sense of movement.

Analysis, Examination, Treatment:

As part of the analysis, examination, and treatment, you are consenting to the following procedures:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> spinal manipulative therapy | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> radiographic studies | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> hot/cold therapy |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> range of motion testing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> palpation | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> vital signs |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> muscle strength testing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> orthopedic testing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> basic neurological testing |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ultrasound | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> postural analysis | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EMS |

____ Other

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, dislocations, muscle strain, cervical myelopathy, costovertebral strains and separations, and burns. 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 contradictions to care; however, if you have a condition that would otherwise not come to my attention, it is your responsibility to inform me.