

## TERMS OF ACCEPTANCE

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When a patient seeks chiropractic health care and we accept a patient for such care, it is essential for both to be working toward the same objective.

Chiropractic care has one goal. It is important that each patient understand both the objective and the method that will be used to attain it. This will prevent any confusion or disappointment.

**Adjustment:** An adjustment is the specific application of forces to facilitate the body's correction of vertebral subluxation. Our chiropractic method of correction is by specific adjustments of the spine.

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

**Vertebral Subluxation:** A misalignment of one or more of the 24 vertebra in the spinal column which causes alteration of nerve function and interference to the transmission of mental impulses, resulting in a lessening of the body's ability to express its maximum health potential.

Chiropractic is the practice of healthcare that deals with the diagnosis or analysis and care of treatment of the vertebral subluxation complex, and its effects, articular dysfunction and musculoskeletal disorders, all for the restoration and maintenance of health. If during the course of a chiropractic spinal examination, 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.

Our practice objective is to eliminate interference of the body's ability to heal itself. Our main method is specific adjust tot correct vertebral subluxation.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have read and fully understand the above statements.  
(print name)

All questions regarding the doctor's objectives pertaining to my care in this office have been answered to my complete satisfaction.

I therefore accept chiropractic care on this basis.

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