

## Application For Care

Welcome, \_\_\_\_\_!  
Gaurdain's First                      Guardian's Last                      Guardian's MI

Today, \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_, our team is honored that you have entrusted us with the care of  
\_\_\_\_\_.  
Child's First                      Child's Last                      Child's MI

We were referred to Pure Family Chiropractic by: \_\_\_\_\_.

I understand that referrals have built this practice and I DO or DO NOT (please check one) give permission to use my name in giving thanks for my future referrals.

My child prefers to be called \_\_\_\_\_ and is male female (please check one), was born on: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ making him/her \_\_\_ years old. He/she is \_\_\_'\_\_\_" tall and weighs \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. The last 4 digits of his/her SSN# are \_\_\_\_\_, but I understand that we will never be treated as a number at Pure Family Chiropractic.

My mailing address is: \_\_\_\_\_

My email address is: \_\_\_\_\_

I can be reached at:     Cell: \_\_\_\_\_     My cell-phone carrier is: \_\_\_\_\_  
                                 Home: \_\_\_\_\_  
                                 Work: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission to send me emails & text message reminders. YES or NO (please check one). How long prior to your visit would you like a reminder? 1 Day / 4 Hours / 2 Hours / 1 Hour

The following is a list of my family members: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Name	Age
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Sibling's Name	Age
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Has your child ever been checked or adjusted by a chiropractor?    YES or NO

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How do you rate your child's posture? (Poor) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Excellent)

Subluxations (spinal misalignments) cause degeneration (arthritis) over time. The major cause of subluxations is stress. How do you rate your child's stress level over the last 3 months?

(Low) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (High)

Subluxations often result from daily traumas, auto accidents, work accidents, medical conditions, etc. Please note the date of any accidents your child has had:

Home \_\_\_\_\_ Auto \_\_\_\_\_ Slip or Fall \_\_\_\_\_

What, if any, health concern brings your child into our practice?

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When did you first notice this change and to what do you relate the change?

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Please list any other concerns you have about your child's health:

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Please list any surgeries or procedures your child has had performed:

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Prescription medication is sometimes necessary, but it can also affect your care and your ability to heal. To help us better serve your child, please list any medications he or she is currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any nutritional supplements your child is currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you rate your child's eating habits? (Poor) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Excellent)

Are you interested in learning more about healthy eating and/or supplementation? YES or NO

How often does your child exercise? \_\_\_\_\_ Hrs/Wk

Have you been treated by a medical physician for this condition? YES or NO

Physician's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been cared for by a Chiropractor for this condition? YES or NO

Physician's Name \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the HIPAA guidelines and understand that my child's health information will not be shared with anyone without my consent:

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



## **INSURANCE SUBMISSION AND ASSIGNMENT**

As a courtesy to you, our office will submit insurance claims on your behalf. We will call and verify your benefits, but please be advised of the following:

Quotation of benefits is not a guarantee of payment by an insurance company. You will be subject to the terms and limitations of your policy and any exclusion that may apply at the time.

We will bill your insurance company, but it is your responsibility to pay all deductible amounts, co-pays, co-insurance and any other amounts left uncovered by insurance. Co-pays and co-insurance will be expected to be paid at the time services are rendered.

In the event that an insurance company would reject or deny your claim, it will be your responsibility to pay any charges and pursue re-imbusement from the insurance company.

Please read above carefully.

I hereby agree to abide by the above provisions:

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Signature

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Date

## Informed Consent For Chiropractic Care

**Nature of Chiropractic Care:** The doctor will use his/her hands or a mechanical device in order to adjust your joints, thus allowing the nerves to work without impairment. You may feel a “click” or “pop,” such as the noise when a knuckle is “cracked;” this noise is from gas bubbles stored within the joint. You may also feel the movement of the joint. Various ancillary procedures such as hot or cold pack, or electric muscle stimulation may also be used.

We do not offer to diagnose or treat any disease or condition other than vertebral subluxation complex; however, if during the course of a chiropractic spinal examination, we encounter non-chiropractic or unusual findings, we will inform 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.

**Possible Risks and Occurrences:** As with any health care procedure, complications are possible following a chiropractic adjustment. Complications could include muscular strain, ligamentous sprain, fractures of bone, rib injury, soft tissue injury, dislocations of joints, or injury to intervertebral disc, nerve or spinal cord. The risk of these complications due to chiropractic care have been described as “rare,” about as often as complications of taking a single tablet of aspirin. A minority of patients may notice stiffness or soreness after the first few days of care. Cerebrovascular injury, or stroke, could occur upon severe injury to arteries of the neck. This risk has been estimated between one in one million and one in ten million. The risk is even further reduced by screening procedures. The ancillary procedures could produce skin irritation, burns, or other minor complications. The probably of this happening is also considered “rare.”

### **Other Treatment Options through Medical Means:**

**Over-the-Counter Analgesics:** The risks of these medications include irritation to the stomach, liver, and kidneys in a significant number of cases.

**Medical Care:** Typically anti-inflammatory drugs, tranquilizers, and analgesics. Risks of these drugs include a multitude of undesirable effects and patient dependence in a significant number of cases.

**Hospitalization:** In conjunction with medical care adds the risk of exposure to virulent communicable disease in a significant number of cases.

**Surgery:** In conjunction with medical care adds the risk of adverse reaction to anesthesia, as well as extended convalescent period in a significant number of cases.

**Remaining Untreated:** Delay in care allows formation of adhesions, scar tissue, and other degenerative changes. These changes can further reduce skeletal mobility, and induce chronic pain cycles. It is quite probable that delay of care will complicate the condition and make future rehabilitation more difficult or impossible.

I have read the above explanation of chiropractic care. I have had the opportunity to have any questions answered to my satisfaction. I have fully evaluated the risks and benefits of undergoing care. I have freely decided to undergo the recommended care and hereby give my full consent to care.

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Printed Name

Signature

Date

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Printed Name (Minor)

Signature of Legal Guardian

Date