We are pleased to welcome you to our practice. Please take a few minutes to fill out this form.

If you have any questions, we would be glad to help you.

We look forward to working with you and maintaining your health!

Date:

Name: (Last, First, M)		DOB:
Street Name:		_ City, State, Zip:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:
Email:	1	Perf. Comm: Home, Cell, Work Phone, Email, None
Do you give your consent to	Email and Text you for a	ppointment reminders and office information Yes No
Gender: Male Female	Social Security #:	
Employer:	O	occupation:
2	List Medications and do	sages you are currently taking
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Have you ever sustained a w	ork injury for which you r	eceived treatment? Yes No
Is your current condition rela		
Have you ever been in an au		
When?		

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•	earn how to care for my condition, reduce symptoms, resume
To help us better understand the nature an origin of your complaints, we ask that you carefully complete this drawing. Use the symbols listed below to detail where you hurt and how it hurts on the figures. /// = dull ache/throb xxx = sharp/stabbing bbb = burning ooo = numbness ttt = tingling ccc = cramping	
On a pain scale of 0-10 (10 being severe pain) rate	e your pain,
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Does any of your pain travel? Yes No If yes	
What makes your pain better?	
Is your pain worse at any particular part of the day	?

List, in order of importance, other Medical Issues you may be seeing other providers for.
Please list issue and provider.
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Tiet and and annualisation has been had
List any past surgeries you have had. 1.
1. 2.
3.
4
Have you ever had x-rays? Yes No
f yes, date of last x-ray and reason:
Have you ever had an MRI/CT?
If yes, date of last MRI/CT and reason:
Have you ever had other test/studies? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No If yes, list below.
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1. Date: Study/Test: Treatment: 2. Date: Study/Test: Treatment:
3. Date: Study/Test: Treatment:
f yes, list their names and specialty: What treatments have you received for your current complaint?
How do you sleep? □ well □ trouble falling asleep □ trouble staying asleep □ insomnia Do you wake tired? □ Yes □ No If yes how long has this been happening?
Iow is your diet? Balanced Do you Exercise? Yes No How Often?
Do you smoke? Yes No How Often? Do you Drink Alcohol? How Much?
Iow often do you exercise? ☐ Never ☐ Rarely ☐ Sometimes ☐ Regularly ☐ Competitively
Iow do you like work? ☐ Above average ☐ Average ☐ Below average ☐ N/A
Iy family stress is: □ Severe □ Moderate □ Minimal □ None
Iy job stress is : ☐ Severe ☐ Moderate ☐ Minimal ☐ None
How would you rate your stress level? 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 $10(1 = poor, 10 = extreme)$

Please check the following cond	ntions that you have or have had:	T
☐ AIDS ☐ Abdomen aneurysm ☐ Brain aneurysm clips ☐ Acid Reflux ☐ Anemia ☐ Arthritis ☐ Cancer ☐ Crohn's disease ☐ Dentures ☐ Diabetes ☐ Diabetic insulin pump ☐ Epilepsy ☐ Hearing aid ☐ Hardening of the arteries ☐ Electrodes ☐ Bypass surgery	☐ Heart attack ☐ Cardiac pacemaker ☐ Heart valve replacement ☐ High blood pressure ☐ Shunt ☐ Irritable bowel syndrome ☐ Low blood pressure ☐ Multiple sclerosis ☐ Parkinson's disease ☐ Penile prosthesis ☐ Polio ☐ Eye prosthesis ☐ Permanent eye makeup ☐ Past/present metallic in eye ☐ Ulcerative Colitis ☐ Autoimmune disease	☐ Rheumatic fever ☐ Carotid artery disease ☐ Shrapnel ☐ Sheet metal occupation ☐ Stroke ☐ Tuberculosis ☐ Venereal disease ☐ Yeast infection ☐ Harrington rod ☐ Prosthesis ☐ Wire Structures ☐ Joint replacement ☐ IUD ☐ Hyperthyroidism ☐ Hashimoto's disease ☐ Other ☐ Check here if none apply
healthcare needs. I have read and c understand that this information wi treatment. If there are any changes	ompleted all answers to the above quill be used by Dr. Stone to help deter in my medical status, I will inform I	
Patient Signature:		Date:
Parent's Signature:		Date:
	ninister therapies as is necessary. I al	mever he designates, his assistants to so certify that no guarantee or assurance h
Patient Signature:	D	ate:
If patient is a minor please indicate	e relation to the child	
Patient Name:	Legal Guardians signature: _	
I understand that the treatment I ar		D.C., C.C.S.P., at Stone Chiropractic, LLC
Print Name	Signature	Date
Office Witness: Print Name	Signature	Date

Informed Consent

Every type of health care is associated with some risks of potential problems. This includes chiropractic health care. We want you to be informed about potential problems associated with chiropractic health care before consenting to treatment. This is a legal requirement in Connecticut.

Chiropractic adjustments are the moving of bones with the doctor's hands or with the use of a mechanical device or machine (drop table). Frequently adjustments create a "pop" or "click" sound/sensation in the area being treated.

In this office we use trained staff personnel to assist the doctor with portions of your consultation, examination, sEMG, physical therapy application, aqua-massage therapy, PEMF, exercise instruction, Wave vibration, cold low level laser, Energy Balance foot bath etc.

Neck Artery Dissection and Stroke: <u>Dissection</u> is when the lining of a neck artery breaks down. This might happen spontaneously or from an injury or from a trivial movement (hair shampooing, checking traffic, looking up, etc.). <u>Dissections</u> tend to cause neck pain and/or headache. Dissections may form a clot that can dislodge and interfere with brain blood flow. If that happens, it is called a <u>stroke</u>. <u>Stroke</u> means that a portion of the brain or spinal cord does not receive enough oxygen from the blood stream. The results can be temporary or permanent dysfunction of the brain, with a very rare complication of death. The literature is mixed or uncertain as to whether chiropractic adjustments are associated with <u>stroke</u> or not. Recent evidence suggests that it is not (2008, 2015, 2016, 2019), although the same evidence often suggests that the patient may be entering the chiropractic office for neck pain/headaches or other symptoms that may in fact be a spontaneous <u>dissection</u> of a neck artery. There are <u>no</u> in-the-office tests to diagnose a

spontaneous neck artery <u>dissection</u> (2020), but they might be detectable with advanced imaging (CT/MRI, etc.). If we think you may be suffering from a spontaneous neck artery <u>dissection</u> and/or associated <u>stroke</u>, you will be immediately referred to emergency services.

Anecdotal cases suggest that chiropractic adjustments may be associated with <u>dissection</u> and/or <u>stroke</u> that arise from the vertebral artery; this is because the vertebral artery is located inside the neck vertebrae. The adjustment that is suggested to increase the strain on the vertebral artery is called the "extension-rotation-thrust atlas adjustment." We do not do this type adjustment on patients. Other types of neck adjustments may also potentially be related to vertebral artery strokes, but no one is certain. It is estimated that the incidence of this type of complication ranges between 1 per every 400,000-10,000,000 neck adjustments (2004). A large 10-year study estimated an incidence of 1 per 5.85 million neck adjustments, equivalent to 1,430 years if clinical practice (2001). If you experience any of the "5 Ds And 3 Ns" (on a following separate page) before, during or after an adjustment, tell us immediately, and if we can't be reached, go to the emergency department immediately. Also, please read, fill out, and sign **Stroke Risk Factors**.

Three other potential problems that are <u>not</u> quantifiable because they are extremely rare and may have no association with chiropractic adjusting are carotid artery injury, spinal dural leak of cerebral spinal fluid, and bleeding in the coverings around the spinal column (dural hematoma).

Disc Herniations: Both neck and back disc herniations may create pressure on the spinal nerve or on the spinal cord. They are frequently successfully treated by chiropractors and chiropractic adjustments, traction, etc. Occasionally chiropractic treatment (adjustments, traction, etc.) may aggravate a disc/nerve problem and rarely surgery may become necessary for correction.

Cauda Equina Syndrome: Cauda Equina Syndrome occurs when a low back disc problem puts pressure on the nerves that control bowel, bladder, and sexual function. Representative symptoms include leaky bladder, or leaky bowels, or loss of sensation (numbness) around the pelvic sexual organs (the saddle area), or the inability to start/stop urination or to start/stop a bowel movement. Cauda Equina Syndrome is a medical emergency because

the nerves that control these functions can permanently die, and those functions may be lost or compromised forever. The standard approach is to surgically decompress the nerves, and the window to do so may be as short as 12-72 hours, depending. If you have any of these symptoms, tell us immediately, and if we can't be reached, go to the emergency department immediately.

Soft Tissue Injury: Soft tissues primarily refer to muscles and ligaments. Rarely, chiropractic care may overstretch some muscle or ligament fibers. The result is a temporary increase in pain and necessary treatments for resolution, but there are no long-term effects for the patient.

Rib and other Fractures: Rarely a chiropractic adjustment may crack a rib bone, and this is referred to as a fracture. We adjust all patients very carefully, and especially those who have known osteoporosis. Other fracture locations are extremely rare but possible, especially in those aged over 65 years and/or on steroid drugs.

Physical Therapy Burns: Some of the machines we use generate heat. We also use both heat and cold pack and recommend them for home care on occasion. Everyone's skin has different sensitivity to these modalities, and rarely, both heat or ice can burn or irritate the skin. The result is a temporary increase in pain, and there may even be some blistering of the skin. Never put an ice pack directly on the skin, always have an insulating towel between. We use *cold (low-level) laser therapy* which produces no heat and cannot result in burn.

Acupuncture: The risk of acupuncture are low. Common side effects include soreness and minor bleeding or bruising where the needles were inserted. Single use, disposable needles are now the practice standard, so the risk of infection is low. Please inform the Doctor if you have a bleeding disorder, have a pacemaker or if you are pregnant.

Soreness: It is common for chiropractic care to result in a temporary increase in soreness in the region being treated. This is nearly always a temporary symptom that occurs while your body is undergoing therapeutic change. It is not dangerous, but please do tell your doctor about it.

Other Problems: There may be other problems or complications that might arise from chiropractic treatment other than those noted above. These other problems or complications occur so rarely that it is not possible to anticipate and/or explain them all in advance of treatment.

Chiropractic is a system of health care delivery, and, therefore, as with any health care delivery system, we cannot promise a cure for any symptom, disease, or condition as a result of treatment in this clinic. We will always give you our best care, and if results are not acceptable, we will refer you for additional diagnostics or to another provider whom we feel will assist your situation.

Alternatives to chiropractic care include: do nothing, drugs, surgery, acupuncture, massage, etc. Risks from these procedures should be discussed with that particular provider.

If you have any questions on the above, please ask your doctor. When you have a full understanding, please sign and date below.

Patient's Name Printed	Today's Date
Patient's Signature	Parent or Guardian Signature For Minor
Doctor's Signature Verifying Discussion	

Non-Chiropractic (Adjustment/Manipulation) Factors and Vascular Events

High Blood Pressure (Hypertension)

The higher one's blood pressure the higher the internal pressure in the vascular system. Please let your chiropractor know if you have high blood pressure (hypertension).

What is	s typical blood pressure for you?			
Are yo	u currently taking blood pressure medica	ation?		
	Ge	enetic Colla	gen Disease	
	c collagen diseases weaken the strength al list of these diseases includes:	of blood ve	ssels, increasing vascular event occurre	nces.
_	Ehlers-Danlos syndrome	•	Fibromuscular Dysplasia	
	Loeys-Dietz Syndrome	•	* •	
	Osteogenesis Imperfecta	•	Polycystic Kidney Disease	
Do you	have any of these collagen diseases? Y	'es No_		
	have any other collagen disease? Yes			
Are you	u presently taking birth control pills?	Birth Con YesN		
If yes, l	how long have you been taking birth cor	ntrol pills?_		
Have y	ou taken birth control pills in the past?	Yes 1	No	
•	If yes, how long did you take birth cont	rol pills?		
•	When did you stop taking birth control	pills?		
	Smoking	g: Tobacco a	and/or Marijuana	
Do you	currently smoke <u>tobacco</u> ? Yes	No		
•	If YES, how much do you smoke in a ty	ypical day?_		
Have yo	ou smoked <u>tobacco</u> in the past? Yes	No		
•	If YES, when did you stop smoking tob	<u>acco?</u>		
Do you	currently smoke <u>marijuana</u> ? Yes	_ No		

Alcohol	
sk of vascular events (heart attacks and strokes) in a linear manner (the more	cohol consumption increases the risk of vascular consumption the higher the risk).
Calcohol:	ease estimate your weekly drinks of alcohol:
out are not limited to:	noroquinolone Antibiotics are very commonly plood vessel) wall, increasing the incidence of valoroquinolone Antibiotics include but are not li
	Ciprofloxacin (Cipro, Proquin XR) •
Moxifloxacin (Avelox)	_
Norfloxacin (Noroxin)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Ofloxacin (Floxin, Ocuflox, Floxacin)	Gemifloxacin (Factive) •
antibiotics? Yes No	e you currently taking any of these antibiotics?
antibiotics? Yes No If Yes date you stopped taking them	ve you recently taken any of these antibiotics?
Homocysteine	
<u>not</u> involved in protein synthesis. Elevated levels of homocysteine are risk of vascular events (heart attacks and strokes). Homocysteine levels are	ongly associated with an increased risk of vascuessured in blood. Studies support:
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educed) by vitamins B2 (riboflavin), B6 (pyridoxine), B9 (folate), and B12	
els tested? Yes No If yes please provide the value	ve you had your homocysteine levels tested?
neasure your homocysteine and provide us results.	If NO, please have your PCP measure you
min supplement? Yes No	you take B vitamins or a multivitamin supplen
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Patient's Signature

Today's Date

Agreement for Payment of Services

I understand and agree that health and accident insurance policies are an arrangement between an insurance carrier and myself. Furthermore, I understand that this office will prepare any necessary reports and forms to assist me in making collections from the insurance company and the any amount authorized to be paid directly to this office will be credited to my account. However, I clearly understand and agree that all services rendered me are charged directly to me and that I am personally responsible for payment. I also understand that if I suspend or terminate my care and treatment, any fees for professional services rendered me will be immediately due and payable. I also agree to pay all costs of collection including but not limited to attorney fees. Please note that while we may participate with your insurance company, coverage of service is dependent on whether the care is considered "Medically Necessary" by your insurance company's standards of care and that your treatment yields a significant improvement in your clinical findings and function. Clinically Appropriate Care; which enhances life, relieves symptoms, wellness care, supportive care and maintenance care are important to your health and wellbeing but are not deemed Medically Necessary and therefore not a covered service, and I understand I am financially responsible for this care.

Patient Signature:	Date:
Parent's Signature:	Date:
	raphy (sEMG), Laser Therapy, Acupuncture,
	raphy examination (sEMG), laser therapy, acupuncture, supplements
· ·	Ith care plans, and therefore the patient is financially responsible
Please sign below verifying that you understathe time of service.	and your monetary responsibility for service and this fee will be due at
Patient Signature	Date

Parent's Signature: ____ Date

The Primary Signs and Symptoms of Vertebral Artery Blood Flow Abnormality(stroke) are the 5 Ds And 3 Ns:

Dizziness/vertigo/giddiness/light headedness	Nausea (with possible vomiting)
Drop attacks/loss of consciousness	Numbness on one side of the face and/or body
Diplopia (or other visual problems/ amaurosis fugax [a painless temporary loss of vision in one or both eyes]	Nystagmus (rapid jerky movements of the eyes)
Dysarthria (speech difficulties)	Ataxia of gait (walking difficulties / incoordination / falling to one side
Dysphagia [discomfort or difficulty in swallowing]	

Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome affects connective tissue, primarily the skin, joints, and blood vessel walls. Symptoms include overly flexible joints that can dislocate, and skin that's translucent, elastic, and bruises easily. In some cases, there may be dilation and even rupture of major blood vessels. Treatment helps manage symptoms and monitor for complications. Options include drugs, physical therapy, and sometimes surgery.

Loeys-Dietz Syndrome is characterized by enlargement of the aorta, which is the large blood vessel that distributes blood from the heart to the rest of the body. The aorta can weaken and stretch, causing a bulge in the blood vessel wall (an aneurysm). Stretching of the aorta may also lead to a sudden tearing of the layers in the aorta wall (aortic dissection). People with Loeys-Dietz syndrome can also have aneurysms or dissections in arteries throughout the body and have arteries with abnormal twists and turns (arterial tortuosity).

Osteogenesis imperfecta (OI) is an inherited (genetic) bone disorder that is present at birth. It is also known as brittle bone disease. A child born with OI may have soft bones that break (fracture) easily, bones that are not formed normally, and other problems. Signs and symptoms may range from mild to severe.

Fibromuscular Dysplasia is a condition that causes the medium-sized arteries in the body to narrow and grow larger. Narrowed arteries can reduce blood flow and affect how body organs work. Fibromuscular dysplasia is most often seen in the arteries leading to the kidneys and brain. But it also can affect arteries in the legs, heart, belly area and, rarely, the arms. More than one artery can be involved.

Marfan Syndrome is a genetic disorder that changes the proteins that help make healthy connective tissue. This leads to problems with the development of connective tissue, which supports the bones, muscles, organs, and tissues in your body. Mutations (changes) to a specific gene cause Marfan syndrome, and most people inherit the disorder from their parents.

Polycystic Kidney Disease (also called PKD) causes numerous cysts to grow in the kidneys. These cysts are filled with fluid. If too many cysts grow or if they get too big, the kidneys can become damaged. PKD cysts can slowly replace much of the kidneys, reducing kidney function and leading to kidney failure.

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Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement

I understand that under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (Hipaa), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I acknowledge that I have received or have been given the opportunity to receive a copy of your Notice of Privacy Practices. I also understand that this practice has the right to change it Notice of Privacy Practices and that I may contact the practice at any time to obtain a current copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices.

Patient name	
Signature patient/legal guardian	
Date	
For Office Use Only	
We attempted to obtain written Acknowledgment of receipt of our Notice of Privacy Practices, but Acknowledgment could not be obtained because:	
☐ Individual refused to sign	
☐ Communications barriers prohibited obtaining the Acknowledgment	
☐ An emergency situation prevented us from obtaining Acknowledgment	
□ Other (Please Specify)	
Staff signature Date	

QUADRUPLE ANALOGUE SCALE

Emp____

Patient Name: (Legibly) _______,2025

Initial Visit:□

Has there been any change in your Condition since your last visit? Accident, Trauma, Fall etc Yes/No Has there been any changes in your medication? Yes/No

Please Circle area of Pain. Head, Neck, Mid-Back, Lower Back, Sacrum, Shoulder, Rib, Hip, Thigh, Leg, Knee, Hand, Elbow, Ankle, Foot Other

Instructions: Please circle the number that best describes your current complaint.

1. WHAT IS YOUR PAIN RIGHT NOW?















No Pain 0

Minimal/Mild

Mild/Mod 3-4

Moderate 5-6

Moderate/Severe 7-8

Severe 9-10

2. WHAT IS YOUR TYPICAL OR AVERAGE PAIN?















No Pain

Minimal/Mild 1-2

Mild/Mod 3-4

Moderate 5-6

Moderate/Severe 7-8

Severe 9- 10

3. WHAT IS YOUR PAIN LEVEL AT ITS BEST?















No Pain

Minimal/Mild

Mild/Mod 3-4

Moderate 5-6

Moderate/Severe 7-8

Severe 9-10

4. WHAT IS YOUR PAIN LEVEL AT ITS WORST?















No Pain

Minimal/Mild 1-2

Mild/Mod 3-4

Moderate 5-6

Moderate/Severe 7-8

Severe 9-10

5. WHAT IS YOUR PAIN LEVEL AFTER TREATMENT? MUST ANSWER AFTER TREATMENT















No Pain

Minimal/Mild 1-2

Mild/Mod 3-4

Moderate 5-6

Moderate/Severe 7-8

Severe 9-10

Functional Rating Index

For use with Neck and/or Back Problems only.

In order to properly assess your condition, we must understand how much your <u>neck and/or back problems</u> have affected your ability to manage everyday activities. For each item below, **please circle the number which most closely describes your condition right now.**

