

Your Informed Consent

Although Chiropractic is reported to be the safest health care system in the world, some say there are very slight risks associated with it. We feel that it is responsible to let you know:

- a. Risk of stroke is reported to be 1 in 5-8 million or so... And the cause has yet to be determined.
- b. While extremely rare, there have been reports of ligament sprains, and even rib fractures reported.
- c. There have been rare reports of disc injuries although no clinical scientific study has ever demonstrated chiropractic care to be the cause.

Chiropractic care has been proven to be both clinically and very cost effective. The risk of injuries and complications is so small that chiropractors carry the lowest malpractice insurance premiums of all the health care professions in the world. Compared to traditional medical/drug/surgical care, which has a yearly death rate of approximately 200,000 people in North America, Chiropractic is your safest health care system.

I have read and understand the above consent, and have had the opportunity to discuss it with my chiropractor. I consent to the care recommended by my chiropractor and extend this consent to all doctors of this Chiropractic Wellness Center. This consent applies to all present and future care for my family and me.

Patient Name: Date:

Patient Signature:

(Parent/Guardian Signature if under age 18)

Thank You