



MEDICARE/MEDICAID POLICIES FOR CHIROPRACTIC PATIENTS

It is important that you understand that Medicare and Medicaid do NOT pay for all chiropractic services, including services that we may believe are medically necessary. In fact, they only pay for chiropractic care that reduces or eliminates symptoms of an acute sudden condition; or increases joint and/or neuromuscular function of your spine if you have a chronic condition.

Medicare and Medicaid do NOT pay for your chiropractic care if you simply have neck and back pain. They also do NOT pay for wellness or maintenance care.

Specifically, Medicare and Medicaid will not pay for services such as:

- Initial or periodic exams
- X-Rays
- Physical Therapy
- Nutritional Supplements
- Any other tests in our office
- Maintenance/Wellness care

You will be required to pay the balance of your deductible as well as 20% of any other charge in our office and 100% of all non-covered services. If you are unable to pay any portion of your deductible or co-payments, please let us know immediately so that we can work out financial arrangements out with you.

Patient Name

Patient Signature

Date