

DrGolfRX, LLC

Confidential Patient Information

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Date: ____/____/____

Patient's Full Name _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Male Female Spouse's Name: _____

Married Single Widowed Separated Divorced Number of Children/Ages _____

Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Referred by (Family, Friend, Golf Pro, Website, Other): _____

Golf Information

Handicap: _____ Ball Flight (slice, hook, low, high, etc): _____ Average Driver Distance: _____

How often do you play? _____

Have you taken lessons? Yes / No Are you currently taking lessons? Yes / No

If Yes, who are you taking lessons from? (Name and Golf Course or Driving Range): _____

Have you ever experienced any pain or discomfort playing golf? Yes / No

If 'Yes' What is the location? _____

Does your pain or discomfort occur during your backswing? Yes / No Downswing? Yes / No

What time during your practice session or during your round do you experience your discomfort or pain? (front nine, back nine, etc)

Have you ever received treatment for any golf related injuries? Yes / No

If 'Yes' What kind of treatment? _____

What was your injury? _____

AUTHORIZATION AND ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of your undertaking to care for me, I agree to the following:

1. You are authorized to release **any information** you deem appropriate concerning my physical or emotional condition, health history, or billing and payment history to any insurance company, attorney, or adjuster for the purpose of any claim for reimbursement of charges incurred by me.
2. I authorize my attorney and/or any insurance company to make **direct payment to you** of settlement proceeds.
3. I hereby assign and transfer to you the cause of action that exists in my favor against any insurance company obligated by contractual agreement to make payment to me or to you for the charges made for your service. I authorize you to prosecute said action either in my name. I further authorize you to compromise, settle, or otherwise resolve said claim as you see fit. I understand that whatever amounts you do not collect from insurance companies, whether it be all or part of what was due, **I personally owe to you.**
4. I further agree that this Authorization and Assignment is irrevocable until all moneys owed to Central Florida Spine, Joint and Muscle Center, LLC are **paid in full.**

Patient Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Dear Patient: Please complete this form and questionnaire. If you need assistance, please ask. Your answers will help us determine if chiropractic care can help you. If we do not sincerely believe your condition will respond satisfactorily, we will not accept your case. THANK YOU.

In general, would you say your health is (check one): Excellent Very good Good Fair Poor

PAST HEALTH HISTORY:

1. Have you **ever** had a **stroke** or issues with **blood clotting**? Yes No If yes, when: _____
2. Have you recently experienced **dizziness**, unexplained **fatigue**, **weight loss**, or **blood loss**? Yes No If yes, explain: _____
3. Have you **ever** had any **major illnesses, injuries, broken bones, hospitalizations, accidents, or surgeries**? Yes No

SOCIAL HISTORY:

Date	Injury/Fracture/Illness/Surgeries	Treatment	Results

Recreational Activities (Hobbies): _____

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Yes | No | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you exercise? _____ | times per week |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you smoke? _____ | packs per day |
| | | | If you have quit smoking, when did you quit? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you use other forms of tobacco? | What/How much per day? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you consume alcohol? | How many drinks per week? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you eat a balanced low fat diet? | If no, explain: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you get adequate sleep? | If no, explain: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Is work stressful to you? | If yes, explain: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Is family life stressful to you? | If yes, explain: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Do you use recreational drugs? | If yes, explain: _____ |

Have you experienced any of these conditions:

- Muscle Weakness Bowel/Bladder problems Digestion problems Cardiac/Respiratory problems Unexplained weight loss

Other: _____

Have you tried any self-treatment or taken any medication (over the counter or prescription): Yes No

If yes, explain; _____ Results: _____

What medications are you currently taking? _____

Are you currently pregnant? Yes No Are you currently taking anti-coagulant or blood thinning medication? Yes No

INFORMED CONSENT

Medical doctors, chiropractic doctors, osteopaths, and physical therapists who perform manipulation are required by law to obtain your informed consent before starting treatment.

I _____, Do hereby give my consent to the performance of conservative noninvasive treatment to the joints and soft tissues. I understand that the procedures may consist of manipulations/adjustments involving movement of the joints and soft tissues. Physical therapy and exercises may also be used.

Although spinal and extremity manipulation/adjustment is considered to be one of the safest, most effective forms of therapy for musculoskeletal problems, I am aware there are possible risks and complications associated with these procedures as follows:

Soreness/Bruising: I am aware that like exercise it is common to experience muscle soreness and occasionally bruising in the first few treatments.

Dizziness: Temporary symptoms like dizziness and nausea can occur but are relatively rare.

Fractures/Joint Injury: I further understand that in isolated cases underlying physical defects, deformities or pathologies like weak bones from osteoporosis may render the patient susceptible to injury. When osteoporosis, degenerative disc, or other abnormality is detected, this office will proceed with extra caution.

Stroke: Current medical research suggests there is no increased risk of stroke from spinal manipulation. However, some poorly constructed studies in the past suggested that there is a very slight incidence (one in about 10 million) that chiropractic manipulation can contribute to stroke.

Physical Therapy Burns: Some of the therapies used in this office generate heat and may rarely cause a burn. Despite precautions, if a burn is obtained, there will be a temporary increase in pain and possible blistering. This should be reported to the doctor.

Tests have been or will be performed on me to minimize the risk of any complication from treatment and I freely assume these risks.

TREATMENT RESULTS

I also understand that there are beneficial effects associated with these treatment procedures including decreased pain, improved mobility and function, and reduced muscle spasm. However, I appreciate there is no certainty that I will achieve these benefits.

I realize that the practice of medicine, including chiropractic, is not an exact science and I acknowledge that no guarantee has been made to me regarding the outcome of these procedures.

I agree to the performance of these procedures by my doctor and such other persons of the doctor's choosing.

ALTERNATIVE TREATMENTS AVAILABLE

Reasonable alternatives to these procedures have been explained to me including, rest, home applications of therapy, prescription or over-the-counter medications, exercises and possible surgery.

Medications: Medication can be used to reduce pain or inflammation. I am aware that long-term use or overuse of medication is always a cause for concern. Drugs may mask pathology, produce inadequate or short-term relief, undesirable side effects, physical or psychological dependence, and may have to be continued indefinitely. Some medications may involve serious risks.

Rest/Exercise: It has been explained to me that simple rest is not likely to reverse pathology, although it may temporarily reduce inflammation and pain. The same is true of ice, heat or other home therapy. Prolonged bed rest contributes to weakened bones and joint stiffness. Exercises are of limited value but are not corrective of injured nerve and joint tissues.

Surgery: Surgery may be necessary for joint instability or serious disc rupture. Surgical risks may include unsuccessful outcome, complications, pain or reaction to anesthesia, and prolonged recovery.

Non-treatment: I understand the potential risks of refusing or neglecting care may include increased pain, scar/adhesion formation, restricted motion, possible nerve damage, increased inflammation, and worsening pathology. The aforementioned may complicate treatment making future recovery and rehabilitation more difficult and lengthy.

I have read or had read to me the above explanation of chiropractic treatment. Any questions I have had regarding these procedures have been answered to my satisfaction PRIOR TO MY SIGNING THIS CONSENT FORM. I have made my decision voluntarily and freely.

To attest to my consent to these procedures, I hereby affix my signature to this authorization for treatment.

_____ Signature of Patient	Date _____
_____ Signature of Parent or Guardian (if a minor)	Date _____
_____ Signature of Witness	Date _____

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Financial/Privacy Policy and Disclaimer

Insurance Verification

- **Insurance verification is not a guarantee of payment.** Verification is only a quote of patient benefits. Insurance companies review charges individually and make payment accordingly. **Charges not covered by insurance are the patient's responsibility and due within 30 days of billing.**

Deductible Payments

- **It is our policy to collect at time of service.** Once we receive an "Explanation of Benefits" report from the patient's insurance company, we will bill or credit the account for the remaining balance. Reimbursement checks can be issued upon request.

Collection of Patient Balance

- Co-payments and Co-insurance is the patient's responsibility and will be **collected at the time of service.**
- If an "Explanation of Benefits" or EOB shows the patient has an outstanding responsibility for any reason, the patient will receive a bill outlining the outstanding charges. **Payment is due within 30 days** of receipt of the bill.
- **In the event a bill is disputed, you must notify use within 30 days.** If you do not notify us within that time, the bill will be presumed valid and due. All balances remaining unpaid after 30 days will accrue **interest at the rate of 18% per annum.** In the event any further action is necessary to collect an unpaid bill, you will be responsible for all attorney's fees and court costs incurred by us.
- All balances remaining **unpaid after 30 days may be reported to a credit bureau** and affect your credit rating.

Returned Checks

- It is our policy to collect **\$25.00 for checks that are returned to us.** This is to cover any fees that apply from the transaction

Appointments

- If unable to keep an appointment, as a courtesy to our staff and other patients please give 24-hour notice. If it is a continual problem there will be a **\$20 charge** added towards your account each visit that is missed. The patient will be responsible for payment.

Financial Policy Questions

- We are happy to address questions regarding you account at any time. Please direct accounting questions to our billing administrator, Alexis Dovey.

HIPPA Privacy Policy

- Attached to the patient information packet at the back of these forms is the HIPPA Notice of Privacy Practices Policy for you.
- By signing below, the patient acknowledges that he/she has received the HIPPA Privacy Policy and that he/she understands and will comply with our financial policies.
- I authorize this office to allow family and friends looking for me to be given information as to my arrival or departure of the premises, and or leave a message for me if I have not arrived or am in with the doctor.

Designation of Authorized Representative

I do hereby designate DrGolfRX to the full extent permissible under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA") and as provided in 29 CFR 2560-503-1(b)4 to otherwise act on my behalf to pursue claims and exercise all rights connected with my employee health care benefit plan, with respect to any medical or other health care expense(s) incurred as a result of the services I receive from DrGolfRX. These rights include the right to act on my behalf with respect to initial determinations of claims, to pursue appeals of benefit determinations under the plan, to obtain records, and to claim on my behalf such medical or other health care service benefits, insurance or health care benefit plan reimbursement and to pursue any other applicable remedies.

IRREVOCABLE Power of Attorney

I do hereby authorize DrGolfRX to act on my behalf to pursue claims and exercise all rights in order to collect insurance payments with respect to any medical or other health care expense(s) incurred as a result of the services I receive from Central Florida Spine, Joint and Muscle Center.

patient signature

date