

# WELCOME

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Patient Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (Other) \_\_\_\_\_

Can we call you at work?  Yes  No

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Single  Married  Divorced  Widowed  Separated  Minor

Race  Caucasian  African American  Asian  Native American  Latin American  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity  Hispanic  Latino  Non-Hispanic / Non-Latino

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about our practice? \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

## Accident Information

Is this visit due to an accident?  Yes  No If yes, what type?  Auto  Work  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Has it been reported?  Yes  No If yes, to whom? \_\_\_\_\_

## Insurance Information

Policy Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. : \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to patient (if other than self): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have health insurance?  Yes  No Name of Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have secondary insurance?  Yes  No Name of Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PROVIDE THIS OFFICE WITH A COPY OF YOUR INSURANCE CARD(S) AND DRIVERS LICENSE**

## Assignment and Release (insured patients)

I certify that I (or my dependent) have insurance coverage with \_\_\_\_\_ and I AUTHORIZE, REQUEST AND ASSIGN MY INSURANCE COMPANY TO PAY DIRECTLY Dr. Alvin Philipose/Apex Clinic, INSURANCE BENEFITS OTHERWISE PAYABLE TO ME. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I hereby authorize the doctor to release all information necessary, including the diagnosis and the records of any exam or treatment rendered to me, in order to secure the payment of benefits. I authorize the use of this signature on all insurance claims, including electronic submissions.

SIGNATURE (X) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

# Health History

Who is your primary care physician? (Doctor and/or practice) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check to indicate if you are currently experiencing any of the following conditions:**

- |  |  |   |  |                                     |
|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck Pain/Stiffness | <input type="checkbox"/> Pins/Needles in Arms  | <input type="checkbox"/> Light Bothers Eyes | <input type="checkbox"/> Sudden Weight Loss    | <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Back Pain/Stiffness | <input type="checkbox"/> Pins/Needles in Legs  | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression         | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Taste         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cold Feet  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arm/Hand Pain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue               | <input type="checkbox"/> Nervousness        | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Memory        | <input type="checkbox"/> Chest Pain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leg/Knee Pain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Difficulties | <input type="checkbox"/> Tension            | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaw Problems          | <input type="checkbox"/> Fever      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches           | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Smell         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cold Sweats        | <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation          | <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness           | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies             | <input type="checkbox"/> Stomach Problems   | <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of Breath   |                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma              | <input type="checkbox"/> Blurred Vision        | <input type="checkbox"/> Night Pain         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowel/Bladder Changes |                                     |

**Please check to indicate if you have ever had any of the following:**

- |   |  |   |   |   |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aids/HIV           | <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer              | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis          | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis         | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcoholism         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cataracts           | <input type="checkbox"/> Hernia             | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker            | <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide Attempt    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergy Shots      | <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Dependency | <input type="checkbox"/> Herniated Disc     | <input type="checkbox"/> Parkinson's Disease  | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid Problems   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia             | <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Pox         | <input type="checkbox"/> Herpes             | <input type="checkbox"/> Pinched Nerve        | <input type="checkbox"/> Tonsillitis        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anorexia           | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes            | <input type="checkbox"/> High Cholesterol   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia            | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appendicitis       | <input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema           | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease     | <input type="checkbox"/> Polio                | <input type="checkbox"/> Tumors/Growths     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis          | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy            | <input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease      | <input type="checkbox"/> Prostate Problems    | <input type="checkbox"/> Typhoid Fever      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma             | <input type="checkbox"/> Fractures           | <input type="checkbox"/> Measles            | <input type="checkbox"/> Prosthesis           | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcers             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Glaucoma            | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraines          | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Care     | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal Infections |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Breast Lump        | <input type="checkbox"/> Goiter              | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscarriage        | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatoid Arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Venereal Disease   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchitis         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gonorrhea           | <input type="checkbox"/> Mononucleosis      | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatic Fever      | <input type="checkbox"/> Whooping Cough     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulimia            | <input type="checkbox"/> Gout                | <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis | <input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Fever        |   |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease       | <input type="checkbox"/> Mumps              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____          |   |

Are you currently under drug and/or medical care?  Yes  No If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any medications you are currently taking (**Be sure to include dosage and frequency**) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Please list any surgeries and/or hospitalizations you have had (**type & date**): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Please list any allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any supplements you are currently taking (vitamins/herbs/minerals): \_\_\_\_\_

Is there a family history of any of the following conditions? (**Indicate family member including parents, grandparents & siblings**)

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer _____        | <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis _____ |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____     |

Do you exercise:  Never  Daily  Weekly  Walks  Runs  Swims

Do your work activities mostly involve:  Sitting  Standing  Light Labor  Heavy Labor

What is your daily/weekly intake of the following:

Caffeine \_\_\_\_\_ cups/day    Alcohol \_\_\_\_\_ drinks/week    Cigarettes \_\_\_\_\_ packs/day

- I certify that the above questions were answered accurately. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my health.

**SIGNATURE (X)** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

## Review of Systems

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark if you have experienced any of these symptoms within the last month:

Y	N	Neurological
___	___	Migraines
___	___	Headaches
___	___	Slurring of speech
___	___	Ringing in Ear
		<b>Ear/Nose/Throat</b>
___	___	Altered taste/smell
___	___	Night Blindness
___	___	Sore Throat
___	___	Gingivitis
___	___	Nose bleeds
		<b>Cardiovascular</b>
___	___	Chest pain
___	___	Palpitations-racing heart beat
___	___	Swelling in hands/feet
___	___	Anemia
		<b>Respiratory</b>
___	___	Recurrent Respiratory Infections
___	___	Asthma
___	___	Chest Congestion
___	___	Wheezing
___	___	Frequent Sneezing
		<b>GI</b>
___	___	Stomach Pains or Cramping
___	___	Constipation
___	___	Reflux or Heartburn
___	___	Bloating
___	___	Gas
___	___	Nausea or Vomiting
		<b>Musculoskeletal</b>
___	___	Joint Pain
___	___	Arthritis
___	___	Chronic pain
___	___	Muscle Aches

Y	N	Skin
___	___	Eczema
___	___	Dermatitis
___	___	Excessive Sweating
___	___	Rashes
___	___	Brittle Nails
___	___	Hair Loss
___	___	Easy Bruising
___	___	Increased Bleeding
___	___	Numbness/tingling
		<b>Genitourinary</b>
___	___	Uterine fibroids
___	___	Ovarian cysts
___	___	Cancer (breast, ovarian, prostate, uterine)
___	___	Prostate problems
		<b>Emotional/Mental</b>
___	___	Depression
___	___	Anxiety
___	___	Mood Swings
___	___	Irritability
___	___	Memory Loss
___	___	Confusion
		<b>Energy</b>
___	___	Fatigue
___	___	Hyperactivity
___	___	Restlessness
___	___	Insomnia
___	___	Decreased Libido
___	___	Stress
		<b>Weight</b>
___	___	Decreased Appetite
___	___	Weight Gain
___	___	Inability to Lose Weight
___	___	Food Cravings
___	___	Binge Eating
___	___	Water Retention

**NEUROLOGICAL/ MRI/ VASCULAR PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE**

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

For any YES answer, please include details.

- |  |    |     |
|--|----|-----|
| 1. Do you suffer from neck pain with pain in your shoulder, arms or hands?<br>Comment: _____                               | NO | YES |
| 2. Do you have weakness, numbness or burning in your shoulder, arms or hands?<br>Comment: _____                            | NO | YES |
| 3. Do your hands or arms fall asleep regularly?<br>Comment: _____  | NO | YES |
| 4. Do you have reduced feeling (sensation) or swelling in your hands or arms?<br>Comment: _____                            | NO | YES |
| 5. Do you suffer from a loss of handgrip strength?<br>Comment: _____   | NO | YES |
| 6. Do you suffer from back pain with pain in your buttocks, legs or feet?<br>Comment: _____                                | NO | YES |
| 7. Do you have weakness, numbness or burning in your buttocks, legs or feet?<br>Comment: _____                             | NO | YES |
| 8. Do our legs or feet fall asleep regularly?<br>Comment: _____  | NO | YES |
| 9. Do you have reduced feeling (sensation) or swelling in your legs, feet?<br>Comment: _____                               | NO | YES |
| 10. Do you suffer from cold hands or feet?<br>Comment: _____   | NO | YES |
| 11. Do have frequent falls or find that you trip over your feet while walking?<br>Comment: _____                           | NO | YES |
| 12. Do you suffer from headaches? If yes, how often, how severe, what has been tried?<br>Comment: _____                    | NO | YES |
| 13. Have you tried any medications such as anti-inflammatory?<br>If yes, what kind of medication?                          | NO | YES |
| 14. Have you tried any Physical Therapy or Chiropractic treatments before?<br>If yes: When? For how long? What kind?       | NO | YES |
| <hr/>  |    |     |
| 15. Have you had an MRI?<br>If yes: When? Who ordered it? What was it ordered for?   | NO | YES |
| <hr/>  |    |     |
| 16. Have you used any splint or braces or other prescribed treatment by an MD?<br>If yes: When? What kind? Who ordered it? | NO | YES |
| <hr/>  |    |     |
| 17. If you have tried any treatment or medications, did this make your problem better?<br>Comment: _____                   | NO | YES |

## **Informed Consent to Care**

A patient coming to the doctor gives him/her permission and authority to care for them in accordance with appropriate test, diagnosis, and analysis. The clinical procedures performed are usually beneficial and seldom cause any problem. In rare case, underlying physical defects, deformities or pathologies may render the patient susceptible for injury. The doctor, of course, will not provide specific healthcare, if he/she is aware that such care may be contraindicated. It is the responsibility of the patient to make it known or to learn through health care procedures from whatever he/she is suffering from: latent pathological defects, illnesses, or deformities, which would otherwise not come to the attention of the physician. This office does not perform breast, pelvic, prostate, rectal, or full skin evaluations. These examinations should be performed by your family physician, GYN, and dermatologist to exclude cancers, abnormal skin lesions that should undergo biopsy/removal or other treatments. This clinic does not provide care for any condition (such as high blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol) other than those addressed in your physical medicine care plan. We also do not prescribe or refill ANY controlled substances. All prescriptions should be refilled by your original prescriber and any new prescriptions should be issued by your primary care provider.

The patient assumes all responsibility/liability if the patient does not report on health forms any past medical history, illnesses, medicines, or allergies.

I agree to settle any claim or dispute I may against or with any of these persons or entities, whether related to the prescribed care or otherwise, will be resolved by binding arbitration under the current malpractice terms which can be obtained by written request.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES**

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that I have reviewed the Notice of Privacy Practices of Apex Wellness  
(Please initial one of the following options and sign below.)

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to receive a paper copy of Privacy Notice.

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not request a copy of the Privacy Notice at this time. I acknowledge that I can  
request a copy at any time and the Privacy Notice is posted in the office.

Please initial below:

\_\_\_\_\_ I acknowledge that it is the policy of this office to leave reminder messages on my  
answering machine or with another person in my home. I may make a request of an alternative means of  
communication (within reason) in writing.

\_\_\_\_\_ I acknowledge that if I should have a problem or question in regard to my rights, I may  
speak with the Privacy Officer about my concerns.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness (Office Staff)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Financial Office Policies

### Apex Clinic

1. All patients are on a cash basis until our staff can verify all insurance coverage(s).
2. Your insurance will be verified promptly and will be reviewed with you if applicable.
3. After coverage and deductible are verified, this office may accept assignment on most policies provided the insured/patient signs an appropriate statement of benefits and/or a lien authorizing payment to be sent to the doctor.
4. Waiting for the insurance payment is a courtesy and it may be withdrawn under certain circumstances.
5. As a patient, it is your responsibility to take care of the co-payment (usually a percent or fixed dollar amount) and any non-covered services on a monthly basis. This office may make payment arrangements on an individual basis. Any such plan or arrangements will be discussed during your report of findings.
6. This office does not warrant or guarantee that your insurance company will pay, nor does this office promise that an insurance company will or should pay the fees charged. Insurance policies are an arrangement between the insurance carrier and the patient/insured.
7. Any service not covered or coverage reductions by your insurance carrier will be the patient's responsibility.
8. This office will submit an insurance claim for you. We will not enter into any dispute with your insurance company. If coverage problems arise, you will be expected to assist directly with your insurance adjuster or agent. Any denied or disputed claims will be treated as uncovered.
9. If your account should go to collections for any reason, it will be the patient's responsibility for any court costs, attorney's fees, and or collection costs incurred in collecting the account balance.
10. I authorize the release of any medical or other records or information from my health record. I authorize release of records or information necessary to process any claims.
11. All insurance payments, regardless of which company issues a check first, are applied to your account as long as any balance is due. This means refunds are made only after your balance is completed and cleared with this office.
12. If you receive correspondence of checks from your insurance company, you agree to bring these into our department so that we may determine if any action needs to be taken or if the check is on assignment to this office.
13. If you change insurance companies or employers, you agree to provide this office with the current information immediately.
14. If this office gives you any professional or accounting discount for treatment and you decide to drop out of care then our standard fees will apply.
15. This office accepts MasterCard, Visa, American Express, Discover Card, personal checks and cash.
16. If you have any questions concerning this or any other matter, please speak with the receptionist or our insurance department prior to seeing the doctor.
17. If you stop care and have a financial agreement signed with our office, you will be Responsible; for any/ all charges that you have incurred at our office.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

I have read and fully understand the financial office policy and agree to abide by these terms.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature or Responsible Party

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Apex Clinic  
7917 N May Ave  
Oklahoma City, OK 73120  
P: 405-848-7246 F: 405-842-8290

### Non-Assignment of Insurance Benefits Policy

I have been informed that my insurance company (may) not assign benefits over to this office. This means that any amount due to the doctor's office would be mailed to me, the patient, and not to this office.

Since my insurance company (may) not assign benefits directly to the office, I am opting to follow the below 'Non- Assignment of Benefits' policy.

Our office will treat you and you will be responsible to pay your deductible, co-payments or co-insurance that is due for each of your allowed visits by the insurance company. As the insurance disburses funds to you, the patient, you are required to bring the payments to this office within seven (7) days. As you receive payments, or an Explanation of Benefits (EOB), our office also receives a copy of what you received, minus any payments.

If unusual circumstances should arise where you can't bring the payment in, please call the office to let us know so the credit card won't be charged. (Ex. You're out of town, emergency, etc.)

If the insurance company denies your claim, you will be responsible for services rendered.

I have read the above policy and my signature below indicates that I understand and agree to follow this policy.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient's Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient's Signature

#### Instructions:

1. Have the "Insured" person of the policy sign the back of the check
2. Bring the check and EOB (explanation of benefits) to our office within 7 days. **DO NOT DETACH THE CHECK FROM THE EOB.**
3. Give the EOB/Check to the front desk when you arrive to our office. We will make a copy for your records.



Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Activities of Daily Living

Please circle if you have pain or difficulty performing the following:

Bending      Carrying Groceries      Change Posn–Sit–Stand      Climb Stairs Driving  
Extended Computer Use      Feeding      Household Chores      Kneeling      Lift Children  
Lifting Pet Care      Reading (Concentration)      Self Care–Bathing      Self Care–Dressing  
Sexual Activities      Sleep      Static Sitting      Static Standing Walking  
Yard Work  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

What type of treatment are you looking for?

- I am looking for the most minimal amount of care to “patch up the symptoms” of my problem  
 I am looking to resolve my symptoms and then go on to “fix the cause” of my problem  
 I am looking to take care of my problem and then go on to “achieve optimal health and wellness”

### Cancellation Policy

We are very pleased to participate in your healthcare, and have set aside time for your appointment. We understand that sometimes it is necessary to cancel or change an appointment. In consideration of the others who need care, we ask that if you are unable to keep an appointment with our office, that you please observe our cancellation policy which follows:

Our office requires at least 24 hour notice for all appointment cancelations. If you are unable to provide 24 hour notice, you will be billed a \$25.00 charge to your credit card on file for scheduled chiropractic appointments.

Please circle one: Visa Discover MasterCard

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Your credit card will not be charged without notification. It is kept on file only to enforce the cancellation policy.

Please sign stating you agree to the terms and conditions.

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