

Pisker Family Chiropractic Center  
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**Welcome to Our Office!**

**Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell : \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Shoe Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital status: ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐ Widowed Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Name(s) & Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Blood Pressure: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a smoker? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, do you plan on quitting? ☐ Yes ☐ No. If you already quit, what was your approximate quit year? \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

List any prescription medications you are currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List any prescription medications you are allergic to: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Hobbies or Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had chiropractic care before: ☐ Yes ☐ No when and for what purpose? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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

What are your current chief complaints? \_\_\_\_\_

When did the problem begin? \_\_\_\_\_ How did it occur? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had the same or similar problems in the past? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How many episodes have you had? ☐ N/A ☐ first time ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ Greater than 3

Have you seen another Doctor for this problem: ☐ Yes ☐ No When? \_\_\_\_\_

Treatment Given? \_\_\_\_\_ Did it help? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Regarding your chief complaint (s), what makes it feel better? (ex. Ice, laying down) \_\_\_\_\_

What makes it feel worse? (ex. Lifting, sitting, bending) \_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe the pain / discomfort? (ex. Sharp, stiff, numb, ache) \_\_\_\_\_

Does the pain/discomfort worsen during a particular time of day? ☐ Yes ☐ No When? \_\_\_\_\_

Does the pain/discomfort radiate to another area (ex. Lower back to ankle) \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark the diagram regarding your complaints.

A=Aching

B=Burning

S=Sharp

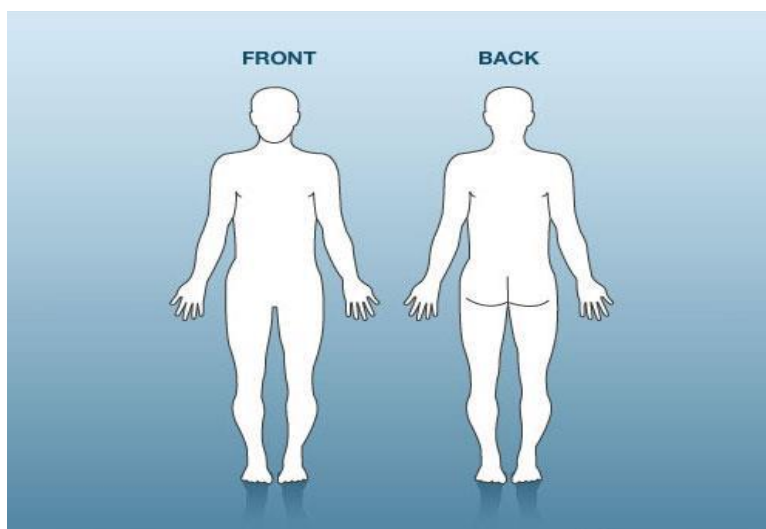
T=Throbbing

⇒ = Radiates

C=Stiff

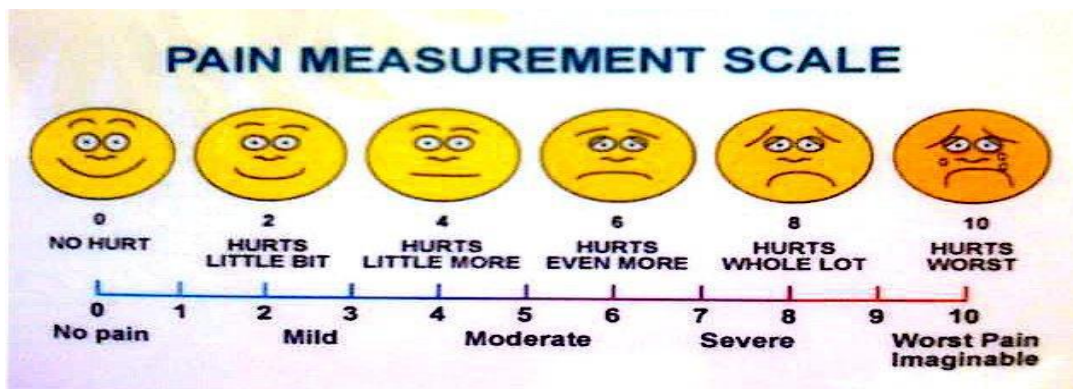
O=Other

T=Tickling



Is the pain constant? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please rate the severity of your pain or discomfort



Do your symptoms interfere with: ☐ work ☐ sleep ☐ dressing ☐ hobbies ☐ other: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your condition: ☐ getting worse ☐ more frequent ☐ more intense

☐ Lasting longer than past episodes

How would this problem affect your life if it gets worse over time? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there any reason that would prevent you from getting the treatment that you need to correct this problem? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever suffered from any of the following: **(Check all that apply)**

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Neck pain               | <input type="radio"/> Difficulty breathing | <input type="radio"/> Excessive urination        |
| <input type="radio"/> Low back pain           | <input type="radio"/> Stuffy nose          | <input type="radio"/> Discolored urine           |
| <input type="radio"/> Headache                | <input type="radio"/> Allergies            | <input type="radio"/> Gas / bloating after meals |
| <input type="radio"/> Migraines               | <input type="radio"/> Fainting             | <input type="radio"/> Heartburn                  |
| <input type="radio"/> Arm / back tingling     | <input type="radio"/> Weight loss          | <input type="radio"/> Colitis                    |
| <input type="radio"/> Shoulder pain           | <input type="radio"/> Poor appetite        | <input type="radio"/> Irritable bowel            |
| <input type="radio"/> Hand pain / tingling    | <input type="radio"/> Excessive appetite   | <input type="radio"/> Black or bloody stools     |
| <input type="radio"/> Leg pain / tingling     | <input type="radio"/> Nervousness          | <input type="radio"/> Constipation               |
| <input type="radio"/> Jaw pain                | <input type="radio"/> Confusion            | <input type="radio"/> Hemorrhoids                |
| <input type="radio"/> Chest pain              | <input type="radio"/> Depression           | <input type="radio"/> Liver problems             |
| <input type="radio"/> Lung problems           | <input type="radio"/> Dental problems      | <input type="radio"/> Stroke                     |
| <input type="radio"/> Heart problems          | <input type="radio"/> Excessive thirst     | <input type="radio"/> Paralysis                  |
| <input type="radio"/> Abnormal blood pressure | <input type="radio"/> Frequent nausea      | <input type="radio"/> Tingling                   |
| <input type="radio"/> Irregular heartbeat     | <input type="radio"/> Vomiting             | <input type="radio"/> Numbness                   |
| <input type="radio"/> Ankle swelling          | <input type="radio"/> Prostate problems    | <input type="radio"/> Fatigue                    |
| <input type="radio"/> Cold extremities        | <input type="radio"/> Breast pain / lump   | <input type="radio"/> Dizziness                  |
| <input type="radio"/> Blurred vision          | <input type="radio"/> Cramps               | <input type="radio"/> Loss of sleep              |
| <input type="radio"/> Vision problems         | <input type="radio"/> Painful urination    | <input type="radio"/> Difficulty hearing         |
|   | <input type="radio"/> Bladder trouble      | <input type="radio"/> Ear pain                   |

How many hours of sleep do you get on an average night? **(Circle one)** 5 6 7 8 9 10 10+

Do you wake up refreshed? ☐ Yes ☐ No Do you feel you are under a lot of stress? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How much water do you drink per day? \_\_\_\_\_

How many meals do you eat per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have digestive problems? ☐ Yes ☐ No

**(Circle all that apply):** Gas Bloating Heartburn diarrhea constipation

Does your jaw pop, click, or cause Pain when chewing? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you use tobacco? ☐ Yes ☐ No How long? ☐ 1-5 years ☐ 5-10 years ☐ 10+ years

Do you drink alcohol? ☐ Daily ☐ Weekly ☐ Occasionally ☐ N/A

How much coffee \_\_\_\_\_ oz. And soda \_\_\_\_\_ oz. do you generally drink per day?

Do you exercise? ☐ Never ☐ Daily ☐ 1-2 x / wk ☐ 3-5 x / wk ☐ Aerobic strengthening ☐ Stretching

The pain/discomfort with: (Circle all that apply):

Shoulders L/R Elbows L/R Wrist/hands L/R Hips L/R Knees L/R Ankles / Feet L/R

Are you currently under the care of another Dr.? ☐ Yes ☐ No For what? \_\_\_\_\_

List surgeries you had an approximate date: \_\_\_\_\_

List broken bones or traumas (ex. Auto accident, falls, etc...) and approximate dates:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been knocked unconscious? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you or do you think you may be pregnant? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

Are you seeking care for: ☐ Health Maintenance / Optimization ☐ Health Problem ☐ Both

Would you be interested in attending a workshop on: (Circle all that apply)

**The health benefits of chiropractic      Nutrition      How to reduce toxins in your body**  
**Improving positive thinking**

Is there anything else you would like us to know regarding your health?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

## Neck Disability Index

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

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

### 1. Pain Intensity

<input type="checkbox"/> I have no pain at the moment	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> The pain is very mild at the moment	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> The pain is moderate at the moment	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> The pain is fairly severe at the moment	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> The pain is very severe at the moment	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> The pain is the worst imaginable at the moment	+5

### 2. Personal Care (Washing, Dressing, etc.)

<input type="checkbox"/> I can look after myself normally without causing extra pain	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can look after myself normally but it causes extra pain	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> It is painful to look after myself and I am slow and careful	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I need some help but can manage most of my personal care	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I need help every day in most aspects of self care	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I do not get dressed, I wash with difficulty and stay in bed	+5

### 3. Lifting

<input type="checkbox"/> I can lift heavy weights without extra pain	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can lift heavy weights but it gives extra pain	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> Pain prevents me lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage if they are conveniently placed, for example on a table	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights but I can manage light to medium weights if they are conveniently positioned	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I can only lift very light weights	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I cannot lift or carry anything	+5

### 4. Reading

<input type="checkbox"/> I can read as much as I want to with no pain in my neck	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can read as much as I want to with slight pain in my neck	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I can read as much as I want with moderate pain in my neck	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't read as much as I want because of moderate pain in my neck	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't hardly read at all because of severe pain in my neck	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I cannot read at all	+5

### 5. Headaches

<input type="checkbox"/> I have no headaches at all	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I have slight headaches, which come infrequently	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I have moderate headaches, which come infrequently	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I have moderate headaches, which come frequently	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I have severe headaches, which come frequently	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I have headaches almost all the time	+5

### 6. Concentration

<input type="checkbox"/> I can concentrate fully when I want to with no difficulty	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can concentrate fully when I want to with slight difficulty	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I have a fair degree of difficulty in concentrating when I want to	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I have a lot of difficulty in concentrating when I want to	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I have a great deal of difficulty in concentrating when I want to	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I cannot concentrate at all	+5



## 7. Work

<input type="checkbox"/> I can do as much work as I want to	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can only do my usual work, but no more	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I can do most of my usual work, but no more	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't do my usual work	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I can hardly do any work at all	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't do any work at all	+5

## 8. Driving

<input type="checkbox"/> I can drive my car without any neck pain	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I can drive my car as long as I want with slight pain in my neck	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I can drive my car as long as I want with moderate pain in my neck	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't drive my car as long as I want because of moderate pain in my neck	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I can hardly drive at all because of severe pain in my neck	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't drive my car at all	+5

## 9. Sleeping

<input type="checkbox"/> I have no trouble sleeping	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> My sleep is slightly disturbed (less than 1 hr sleepless)	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> My sleep is mildly disturbed (1-2 hrs sleepless)	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> My sleep is moderately disturbed (2-3 hrs sleepless)	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> My sleep is greatly disturbed (3-5 hrs sleepless)	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> My sleep is completely disturbed (5-7 hrs sleepless)	+5

## 10. Recreation

<input type="checkbox"/> I am able to engage in all recreational activities with no neck pain at all	+0
<input type="checkbox"/> I am able to engage in all my recreational activities, with some pain in my neck	+1
<input type="checkbox"/> I am able to engage in most, but not all of my usual recreational activities because of pain in my neck	+2
<input type="checkbox"/> I am able to engage in a few of my usual recreational activities because of pain in my neck	+3
<input type="checkbox"/> I can hardly do any recreational activities because of pain in my neck	+4
<input type="checkbox"/> I can't do any recreational activities at all	+5

### Total Score:

Raw Score: Summation of Points

Raw Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Points

Percentage Score:  $\frac{\text{Raw Score}}{\# \text{ Completed Questions}} * 5$

Percentage Score: \_\_\_\_\_ %

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## Oswestry Low Back Pain Disability Questionnaire

### Instructions

This questionnaire has been designed to give us information as to how your back or leg pain is affecting your ability to manage in everyday life. Please answer by checking ONE box in each section for the statement which best applies to you. We realise you may consider that two or more statements in any one section apply but please just shade out the spot that indicates the statement which most clearly describes your problem.

#### Section 1 – Pain intensity

- ☐ I have no pain at the moment
- ☐ The pain is very mild at the moment
- ☐ The pain is moderate at the moment
- ☐ The pain is fairly severe at the moment
- ☐ The pain is very severe at the moment
- ☐ The pain is the worst imaginable at the moment

#### Section 2 – Personal care (washing, dressing etc)

- ☐ I can look after myself normally without causing extra pain
- ☐ I can look after myself normally but it causes extra pain
- ☐ It is painful to look after myself and I am slow and careful
- ☐ I need some help but manage most of my personal care
- ☐ I need help every day in most aspects of self-care
- ☐ I do not get dressed, I wash with difficulty and stay in bed

#### Section 3 – Lifting

- ☐ I can lift heavy weights without extra pain
- ☐ I can lift heavy weights but it gives extra pain
- ☐ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage if they are conveniently placed eg. on a table
- ☐ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights, but I can manage light to medium weights if they are conveniently positioned
- ☐ I can lift very light weights
- ☐ I cannot lift or carry anything at all

#### Section 4 – Walking\*

- ☐ Pain does not prevent me walking any distance
- ☐ Pain prevents me from walking more than 1 mile
- ☐ Pain prevents me from walking more than 1/2 mile
- ☐ Pain prevents me from walking more than 100 yards
- ☐ I can only walk using a stick or crutches
- ☐ I am in bed most of the time

### Section 5 – Sitting

- ☐ I can sit in any chair as long as I like
- ☐ I can only sit in my favourite chair as long as I like
- ☐ Pain prevents me sitting more than one hour
- ☐ Pain prevents me from sitting more than 30 minutes
- ☐ Pain prevents me from sitting more than 10 minutes
- ☐ Pain prevents me from sitting at all

### Section 6 – Standing

- ☐ I can stand as long as I want without extra pain
- ☐ I can stand as long as I want but it gives me extra pain
- ☐ Pain prevents me from standing for more than 1 hour
- ☐ Pain prevents me from standing for more than 30 minutes
- ☐ Pain prevents me from standing for more than 10 minutes
- ☐ Pain prevents me from standing at all

### Section 7 – Sleeping

- ☐ My sleep is never disturbed by pain
- ☐ My sleep is occasionally disturbed by pain
- ☐ Because of pain I have less than 6 hours sleep
- ☐ Because of pain I have less than 4 hours sleep
- ☐ Because of pain I have less than 2 hours sleep
- ☐ Pain prevents me from sleeping at all

### Section 8 – Sex life (if applicable)

- ☐ My sex life is normal and causes no extra pain
- ☐ My sex life is normal but causes some extra pain
- ☐ My sex life is nearly normal but is very painful
- ☐ My sex life is severely restricted by pain
- ☐ My sex life is nearly absent because of pain
- ☐ Pain prevents any sex life at all

### Section 9 – Social life

- ☐ My social life is normal and gives me no extra pain
- ☐ My social life is normal but increases the degree of pain
- ☐ Pain has no significant effect on my social life apart from limiting my more energetic interests eg, sport
- ☐ Pain has restricted my social life and I do not go out as often
- ☐ Pain has restricted my social life to my home
- ☐ I have no social life because of pain

### Section 10 – Travelling

- ☐ I can travel anywhere without pain
- ☐ I can travel anywhere but it gives me extra pain
- ☐ Pain is bad but I manage journeys over two hours
- ☐ Pain restricts me to journeys of less than one hour
- ☐ Pain restricts me to short necessary journeys under 30 minutes
- ☐ Pain prevents me from travelling except to receive treatment

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## References

1. Fairbank JC, Pynsent PB. The Oswestry Disability Index. Spine 2000 Nov 15;25(22):2940-52; discussion 52.





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**TERMS OF ACCEPTANCE**

In order to provide for the most effective healing environment, most effective application of chiropractic procedures, and the strongest possible doctor-patient relationship, it is our wish to provide each patient with a set of parameters and declarations that will facilitate the goal of optimum health through chiropractic.

To that end, we ask that you acknowledge the following point regarding chiropractic care and the services that are offered through this office:

- A. Chiropractic is a very specific science, authorized by law to address spinal health concerns and needs. Chiropractic is a separate and distinct science, art and practice. It is not the practice of medicine.
- B. Chiropractic seeks to maximize the inherent healing power of the human body by restoring normal nerve functions through the adjustment of spinal subluxation(s). Subluxations are deviations from normal spinal structures and configurations that interfere with normal nerve processes.
- C. The chiropractic adjustment process, as defined in the law of this jurisdiction, involves the application of a specific directional thrust to a region or regions of the spine with the specific intent of re-positioning misaligned spinal segments. This is a safe, effective procedure applied over one million times each day by Doctor of Chiropractic in the United States alone.
- D. A thorough chiropractic examination and evaluation is part of the standard chiropractic procedure. The goal of this process is to identify any spinal health problems and chiropractic needs. If during this process, any condition or question outside the scope of chiropractic is identified, you will receive a prompt referral to an appropriate provider or specialist, according to the initial indications of the need.
- E. Chiropractic does not seek to replace or compete with your medical, dental, or other type(s) of health professionals. They retain responsibility for care and management of medical conditions. We do not offer advice regarding treatment prescribed by others.
- F. Your compliance with care plans, home and self-care, etc., is essential to maximum healing and optimal health through chiropractic.
- G. We invite you to speak frankly to the doctor on any matter related to your care at this office, it's nature, or cost in what we work to maintain as a supporting, open environment.

By my signature below, I have read and fully understand the above statements,

All questions regarding the doctor's objectives pertaining to my care in this office have been answered to my satisfaction. I therefore accept chiropractic care on this basis.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Patient or Guardian if a minor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Initial) I consent to receive communication from PC via email, postal mail, text and telephone messaging in connection with my care. If I should withdraw my consent, I will notify the office in writing.

I understand that I have certain rights of privacy regarding my protected health information, under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). I understand that this information can be used to:

- 1. Conduct, plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.
- 2. Obtain payment from third-party payers.
- 3. Conduct normal healthcare operations, such as quality assessments and physician's certifications.

I acknowledge that I may request your NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES containing a more complete descriptions of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I also understand that I may request, in writing, that you restrict how my private information is used to disclosed to carry out treatment, payment, or healthcare operation. I also understand you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you agree, then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Patient or Guardian if a minor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)