

Patient Information

Millsop Chiropractic, PA
3570 Lexington Ave N #208
Shoreview, MN 55126
651-400-7026

Date: _____

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Cellular Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone Carrier: _____

Email Address: _____

Would you like text or email appointment reminders? Y or N

Social Security Number: _____

Sex: M or F

Marital Status: S M D W

Significant Other Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

How were you referred to our clinic? _____

Have you ever had chiropractic care before? Y or N

If yes, when? _____

Health Insurance

Do you have any type of Health Insurance? Y or N

Policy/Group #: _____

Ins. Company: _____

Identification #: _____

Primary Policy Holder: _____ S.S.#: _____

Relationship to policy holder: _____

Are you covered under any other health insurance: Y or N

Second ins. through: self spouse other

Primary Policy Holder: _____ Insured's S.S.#: _____

Ins. Company: _____

Policy/Group #: _____

Health Information

Name of Primary Physician: _____

Medical Facility/Location: _____

City: _____

State: _____

May we contact your medical provider allowing them access to your records for improved co-management of care? Y or N

Is this injury/issue related to an automobile or work accident? Y or N

When: _____

If yes please fill out back side of information form.

**I have provided the information in this form as to the best of my ability and as accurately as possible.

If the patient is a minor, the legal guardian must sign of behalf of the minor.

Patient/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

Auto Injury

Auto Insurance Company: _____

Phone: _____

Policy Number: _____

Claim Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Date of Accident: _____

Time of Accident: _____ AM / PM

City and State of accident: _____

Where was your vehicle struck: _____ Front _____ Behind
_____ Driver Side _____ Passenger Side

Did the airbag(s) deploy? Y or N

Did your vehicle strike another vehicle(s) involved? Y / N / Undertermined

Police called to scene: Y or N

Did the other vehicle(s) strike your vehicle? Y / N / Undertermined

Police Report filed: Y or N

As a result of the accident, were any traffic violations issued to you? Y or N

Were there other people in your vehicle? Y or N Names: _____

As a result of the injury have you missed work? Y or N How many days/ time?: _____

On-the-Job Injury

Employer: _____ Date of Injury: _____

Complete Employer Address: _____

Employer Phone: _____ Supervisor Name: _____

Did you report the injury to your employer?: Y or N Did you fill out a "First Report of Injury" form? Y or N

How were you injured at work?: _____

As a result of the injury have you missed work? Y or N How many days/ time?: _____

Are you able to fully perform all of your work duties? Y or N Which duties are painful?: _____

Is the injury a result of repetative physical action? Y or N

CHIROPRACTIC INFORMATION CONSENT FOR DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT

I hereby give my consent to Millsop Chiropractic, PA to perform necessary diagnostic tests and procedures and chiropractic treatment or management of my condition(s).

Chiropractic treatment or management of conditions almost always includes the chiropractic adjustment, a specific type of joint manipulation. Like most health care procedures, the chiropractic adjustment carries with some risks. Unlike many such procedures, the serious risks associate with the chiropractic adjustment are extremely rare. **Following are the known risks: Temporary soreness or increased symptoms or pain** It is not uncommon for patients to experience temporary soreness or increased symptoms or pain after the first few treatments.

Dizziness, nausea, flushing These symptoms are relatively rare. It is important to notify the chiropractor if you experience these symptoms during or after your care.

Fractures When patients have underlying conditions that weaken bones, like osteoporosis, they may be susceptible to fracture. It is important to notify your chiropractor if you have been diagnosed with a bone weakening disease or condition. If your chiropractor detects any such condition while you are under care, you will be informed and your treatment plan will be modified to minimize risk of fracture.

Disc herniation or prolapse Spinal disc conditions like bulges or herniations may worsen even with chiropractic care. It is important to notify your chiropractor if symptoms change or worsen.

Stroke A certain extremely rare type of stroke has been associated with chiropractic care. Although there is an association between this type of stroke and chiropractic visits, there is also an association between this type of stroke and primary care medical visits. According to the most recent research, there is no evidence of excess risk of stroke associated with chiropractic care. The increased occurrence of this type of stroke associated with both chiropractic and medical visits is likely explained by patient's neck pain and headache consulting both doctors of chiropractic and primary care medical doctors before or during their stroke.

Other risks associated with chiropractic treatment include rare burns form physiotherapy devices that produce heat.

Bruising Instrument assisted soft tissue manipulation may result in temporary soreness or bruising.

I understand that the practice of chiropractic, like the practice of all healing arts, is not an exact science, and I acknowledge that no guarantee can be given as to results or outcome of my care.

•PATIENT PLEASE REVEIW. PRINT & SIGN NAME•

I have read or had read to me this informed consent document. I have discussed or been given the opportunity to discuss any questions or concerns with my chiropractor and have had these answered to my satisfaction prior to my signing this informed consent document. I have made my decision voluntarily and freely.

Patient's Name (Print) _____ Date of Birth _____

(Patient / Guardian Signature)

(Date)

(Translator / Interpreter Signature)

(Date)

CLINICIAN ONLY

Based on my personal observation, the patient's history and physical exam, I conclude that throughout the informed consent process the patient was:

Of legal age

Appears Unimpaired

Consent given through Guardian

Oriented

Fluent in English

Assisted by a Translator or Interpreter

_____, D.C.

(D.C. Signature)

(Date)

FINANCIAL POLICY AND AGREEMENT

MILLSOP CHIROPRACTIC, P.A.

I, the undersigned, in consideration of the Office's services, agree to the following terms:

Definitions. In this Agreement, "Office" and "Clinic" shall refer to Millsop Chiropractic, PA, located at 3570 Lexington Ave N, Suite 208, Shoreview, MN 55126. "Financial Policy" or "Agreement" shall refer to this document.

Personal Responsibility for My Charges. I understand that I remain personally responsible for my Charges and that at any time, I can request a copy of my total Charges from the Office. Except where provided otherwise by law or by contract, I agree to pay the full amount of my Charges to the Office promptly upon its demand. I understand that the Office's Assignment does not constitute an agreement by the Office to await payment of my Charges. Unless otherwise mutually agreed to in writing on a form provided by the Office, I agree that (1) any delay by the Office in making demand for payment, any delay in paying the full amount of my Charges, and any partial payments received by the Office towards my Charges, shall not constitute acceptance of any installment payment plan, shall not constitute a waiver of the Office's right to receive payment-in-full promptly upon demand, and shall not constitute an "accord and satisfaction" of my Charges, regardless of any such terms or restrictions indicated on, or included with, any payments, and (2) my account with your Office shall be construed as in "default" on the earlier of the following dates: (a) any Payer fails to pay any or all of the Charges in-full and directly to the Office upon receipt of those Charges within (i) thirty (30) days, or (ii) the period established by the earliest prompt pay deadline imposed on the Payer by law or contract, whichever occurs later, (b) I do not pay any or all of the Charges in-full within fourteen (14) days of demand, and (c) the Office attempts to charge my credit card in compliance with a written Payment Arrangement, but the charge is declined or not approved.

Personal Responsibility for Verifying the Limitations in My Coverage; Financial Responsibility for Non-Covered Charges. I understand that in any given situation, a Payer may initially refuse to make payment to the Office, may delay payment for an indefinite or unreasonable amount of time, or may actually request a refund from the Office after making payment, and do so either in whole or in part with respect to any given Charge incurred at the Office (collectively, "Deny Payment"). For example (without limiting this Agreement), I understand that a Payer may Deny Payment, stating that the Charge is "not a covered benefit" under its policy or exceeds some other limitation. I further understand that a Payer may Deny Payment stating that the individual provider who actually renders the treatment or procedure is out-of-network. I also understand that a Payer may claim, based on internal criteria, that a particular Charge is or was not medically necessary or was not sufficiently documented, and should therefore be denied or downcoded. I also understand that a Payer may require certain Charges to be pre-certified or pre-authorized. I understand that there may be many other situations where a Payer may Deny Payment based on a particular contractual term applicable to me or to the Office (collectively, "Terms of Non-Coverage"). To the extent permitted by law or by contract, I agree that I am solely and exclusively responsible for verifying all Terms of Non-Coverage prior to incurring any Charges at the office. I agree that if I have any questions about the Terms of Non-Coverage, I can ask to see copies of the Office's verification (e.g., eligibility, pre-authorization) forms to gain further understanding. I further agree that should the Office assist me in any way in the verification, pre-authorization, or billing process, I assume the risk that the Payer and/or the Office may in my opinion not accurately understand and/or communicate the Terms of Non-Coverage and/or bill my Charges to my Payers. Should any Payer Deny Payment, or should any Payer be likely to Deny Payment as determined by the Office in its sole discretion, I agree that I am personally, fully, and immediately responsible for the portion of my Charges denied or likely to be denied. In no event shall I hold the Office responsible or liable in any of the foregoing instances.

Direction to the Office to Apply the Lowest Mandatory Fee Reduction When Two or More Payers Are Involved. Unless otherwise agreed to in writing, I authorize the Office to submit my Charges, as well as a copy of the Assignment & Lien, to any and all Payers, not including in accident cases my health benefit plan or Medicare. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the Office determines in its sole discretion that it has any reasonable basis for either submitting or not submitting my Charges and/or other documentation to a Payer, I hereby authorize the Office to take such action without condition or restriction. I understand that some or all of these Payers may utilize fee schedules which (a) the Office has agreed to accept, directly with said Payers in writing, or (b) law expressly imposes on the Office to accept (collectively, "Mandatory Fee Reductions"). I further understand that the Mandatory Fee Reductions imposed on the Office with respect to one Payer may exceed the Mandatory Fee Reductions imposed on the Office with respect to another Payer. In such an event, I hereby authorize and direct the Office insofar as permitted by law to apply the lower of the two Mandatory Fee Reductions to its Charges. I further agree that in the special event that Mandatory Fee Reductions are imposed on the Office by virtue of laws which regulate or restrict "balance billing," I hereby waive the application of such laws. In the event that no Mandatory Fee Reductions are actually imposed on the Office with respect to a Payer, I authorize and direct the Office to collect up to its full Charges from such Payer.

Authorization to Sign My Name on Payments; Transfer of Credit Balances. I authorize the Office to endorse or sign my name on any and all payments listing me as a payee which are received by the Office for payment of Charges incurred by me, my spouse or my dependents. In such cases, my printed name, followed by the phrase, "(by Millsop Chiropractic,)" shall serve as a properly authorized endorsement. I further authorize the Office to apply any credit balances on my Charges to any other outstanding Charges still owed by me, my spouse, or my dependents, regardless of whether these other Charges are related to my condition.

Miscellaneous Provisions. Except as provided in this paragraph, this Agreement shall not be modified or revoked without the expressed, written consent of the Office. I hereby revoke, with the Office's consent, the terms of any previously signed documents, but only to the extent those terms conflict with the terms of this Agreement. I agree that each and every provision of this Agreement is reasonably necessary. However, should any provision of this Agreement be found to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, or for any reason cease to be binding on any party hereto, all other portions and provisions of this Agreement shall, nevertheless, remain in full force and effect. This Agreement shall be governed under the laws of the state where the Office is located, and is performable in the county where the Office is located. In any action based upon this Agreement, I hereby consent to personal jurisdiction and venue of any court in said county and waive all objections based on improper jurisdiction, venue, or forum inconvenience. I further waive any statute of limitations which may apply in any action based upon this Agreement. I have reviewed the Office's "Assignment & Lien" and Health Insurance Election forms and further agree to the terms and definitions set forth in these documents. Said documents are incorporated herein by reference. In the event that my condition is related to an accident, including without limit automobile accident, I understand that there will be an administrative fee necessary to cover the costs of verifying multiple Payers, filing and terminating liens, and submitting notices of same to Payers.

I have read, understood, and agree to the terms of this Agreement.

Patient Name (print): _____ Patient Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

Name of Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian, on Behalf of the Patient (please print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

**ASSIGNMENT, LIEN, AND AUTHORIZATION
FOR DIRECT PAYMENTS BY MY PAYERS TO MILLSOP CHIROPRACTIC, PA**

Purpose and Consideration. The purpose of this Assignment & Lien is to assist the Office in obtaining Proceeds from various Payers for the payment of my Charges. In consideration for receiving care, or continuing to receive care, at the office based on the terms and conditions set forth in various documents of the Office, including without limit this Assignment & Lien, I agree to the following and direct all Payers as follows:

Definitions. In this Assignment & Lien, the following terms shall have the following meaning: "Office" and "Clinic" shall refer to Millsop Chiropractic, PA, Dr. Adam Millsop, DC, located at 3570 Lexington Ave N, Suite 208, Shoreview, MN 55126; "Assignment & Lien Document," "Assignment & Lien," and "Assignment" shall refer to this document. "Payer" shall refer to without limit any insurance carrier, health benefit plan administrator and fiduciary, health maintenance organization, preferred and independent provider organization, attorney, adjuster, claims handler, medical examiner, individual reviewer or review entity, at-fault party, individual, and any other entity, which may elect or be obligated to pay or disburse Proceeds, either now or in the future, or which may be involved directly or indirectly in determining the obligation to pay or disburse Proceeds, either now or in the future; "Proceeds" shall include without limit, the proceeds from any settlement, judgment, or verdict, the proceeds from any promise to pay or reimburse, the proceeds relating to "health-care-insurance receivables" and "payment intangibles" as such are defined by the applicable Uniform Commercial Code, and the proceeds relating to the following benefits, plans, or coverages: individual and group health benefits, Medicare and Medicaid, workers' compensation, disability, liability, uninsured and underinsured motorist, no-fault, medical payments benefits, personal injury protection, lost wages, lost services, property damage, errors & omissions, and malpractice; "Charges" shall include without limit the full fees for the Office's goods and services (including without limit treatment, diagnostic services, medical equipment, supplies, supplements, narrative reports, photocopies, pre-authorization requests, no-shows, depositions, and testimony, whether rendered before or after the date of this Assignment & Lien), any Collection Costs incurred by the Office, delinquency penalties and interest to the maximum extent permitted under law or at the annual rate of eighteen percent (18%), whichever is greater, and any other charges incurred by me at the Office; "Collection Costs" shall include without limit any pre- and post judgment court costs, filing fees, service of process charges, attorneys fees, fees or costs associated with requests for reconsideration, independent reviews, appeals, mediation, arbitration, and any other costs of collection incurred by the Office in any effort or action to collect my Charges either from me or from any Payer.

Assignment and Lien Terms. I hereby assign to the Office to the extent permitted by law, but only to the extent of my Charges, all of my claims to, rights to, and interests in, Proceeds, whether resolved or unresolved, including without limit ownership rights, which I may have now or in the future relating directly or indirectly to my Charges, condition, or causes of my condition ("Claims to Proceeds"), including without limit any and all causes of action, receivables, payment intangibles, and remedies that I might have against or with respect to any Payer now or in the future, and the right to prosecute, seek, settle, or otherwise resolve such Claims to Proceeds either in my name or in the Office's name and as the Office otherwise sees fit. I agree that this assignment shall be effective as of the date and time the initial cause of my condition occurred. I further intend for this Assignment & Lien to create a security interest under the applicable Uniform Commercial Code. Accordingly, I hereby grant to the Office a primary, non-contingent security interest in all of my Claims to Proceeds to the extent permitted by law for the purpose of securing payment of my Charges, the attachment and perfection of which shall relate back to, and be effective as of, the date and time that the initial cause of my condition occurred. I further authorize the Office to file the form(s) normally filed with the secretary of state or other governmental agency relating to such security interests, and to make such filings in all relevant jurisdictions as the Office sees fit in its sole discretion. I agree that once payment in-full has been made towards all outstanding Charges to the full extent permitted by law or contract and also as defined by my agreement with the Office, such security interest shall be removed or terminated solely upon my written request sent through the U.S. Postal Service Certified Mail. Consistent with these terms, I hereby direct any and all Payers, to pay the Proceeds directly to, immediately to, and exclusively in the name of, the Office to the full extent of my Charges. To the extent that any law, including without limit a lien statute, purports to limit, reduce, or modify the distribution of Proceeds in any manner inconsistent with this Assignment & Lien including without limit through the reservation of a portion of the Proceeds exclusively to me, I hereby waive such limits, reductions, or modifications. Such waiver shall not adversely affect or prejudice any rights which the Office may have and elect to exercise under said law.

Specific Direction to Any Attorney I Retain, Such as in Accident Cases. In the event that I retain one or more attorneys who receive(s) Proceeds from one or more Payers, I hereby direct (and the Office hereby requests) each attorney to provide immediate notice to the Office regarding such Proceeds, to promptly pay the Office in-full out of such Proceeds, and to provide a full accounting of such Proceeds to the Office. I agree that the purpose of such Proceeds shall be primarily to pay my Charges. If I have a dispute regarding the Charges, any remedies I may have shall not include instructing my attorney to withhold or delay payment of Proceeds to the Office. I further agree to and hereby irrevocably waive any present or future right I may have, whether arising under a "Common Fund Doctrine" or other legal basis, to require the Office to absorb the costs associated with, or otherwise assume responsibility for, any portion of my attorney's fees and costs, or other expenses of obtaining Proceeds.

Disclosure Directives. I hereby direct each and every Payer to immediately release to the Office any Pertinent Information relating to (a) any coverage I may have and (b) any Proceeds Determination by the Payer relating to the Office's Charges. "Pertinent Information" shall include without limit the amount of total coverage available and remaining, as well as the amount of any outstanding claims which the Payer has received from any claimant relating to my condition. "Pertinent Information" shall also include without limit copies of all documents, records, and other information (a) relied upon by the Payer in making a Proceeds Determination, or (b) was submitted, considered, or generated in the course of making a Proceeds Determination without regard to whether such document, record, or other information was relied upon in making the Proceeds Determination. "Proceeds Determination" shall include without limit any determination by the Payer to pay, deny, or delay payment of any Proceeds relating to the Office's Charges, as well as a decision to refer the Charges to an independent review or audit, utilization review, or independent medical exam. I further authorize and direct the Office to release any information relating any services rendered to or for me by the Office to all Payers, including without limit a copy of my Charges and a copy of this Assignment & Lien, unless otherwise agreed to in writing.

Miscellaneous. Except as provided in this paragraph, this Assignment & Lien shall not be modified or revoked without the expressed, written consent of the Office. I hereby revoke, with the Office's consent, the terms of any previously signed documents, but only to the extent those terms conflict with the terms of this Assignment & Lien. I agree that each and every provision of this Assignment & Lien is reasonably necessary. However, should any provision of this Assignment & Lien be found to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, or for any reason cease to be binding on any party hereto, all other portions and provisions of this Assignment & Lien shall, nevertheless, remain in full force and effect. This Assignment & Lien shall be governed under the laws of the state where the Office is located, and is performable in the county where the Office is located. In any action based upon this Assignment & Lien, I hereby consent to personal jurisdiction and venue of any court in said county and waive all objections based on improper jurisdiction, venue, or forum inconvenience. I further waive any statute of limitations which may apply in any action based upon this Assignment & Lien.

I have read, understood, and agree to the terms of this Assignment & Lien.

Patient Name (print): _____ Patient Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

Name of Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian, on Behalf of the Patient (please print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

Neck Index

ACN Group, Inc. Form NI-100

ACN Group, Inc. Use Only rev 3/27/2003

Patient Name _____ Date _____

This questionnaire will give your provider information about how your neck condition affects your everyday life. Please answer every section by marking the one statement that applies to you. If two or more statements in one section apply, please mark the one statement that most closely describes your problem.

Pain Intensity

- ⓪ I have no pain at the moment.
- ① The pain is very mild at the moment.
- ② The pain comes and goes and is moderate.
- ③ The pain is fairly severe at the moment.
- ④ The pain is very severe at the moment.
- ⑤ The pain is the worst imaginable at the moment.

Sleeping

- ⓪ I have no trouble sleeping.
- ① My sleep is slightly disturbed (less than 1 hour sleepless).
- ② My sleep is mildly disturbed (1-2 hours sleepless).
- ③ My sleep is moderately disturbed (2-3 hours sleepless).
- ④ My sleep is greatly disturbed (3-5 hours sleepless).
- ⑤ My sleep is completely disturbed (5-7 hours sleepless).

Reading

- ⓪ I can read as much as I want with no neck pain.
- ① I can read as much as I want with slight neck pain.
- ② I can read as much as I want with moderate neck pain.
- ③ I cannot read as much as I want because of moderate neck pain.
- ④ I can hardly read at all because of severe neck pain.
- ⑤ I cannot read at all because of neck pain.

Concentration

- ⓪ I can concentrate fully when I want with no difficulty.
- ① I can concentrate fully when I want with slight difficulty.
- ② I have a fair degree of difficulty concentrating when I want.
- ③ I have a lot of difficulty concentrating when I want.
- ④ I have a great deal of difficulty concentrating when I want.
- ⑤ I cannot concentrate at all.

Work

- ⓪ I can do as much work as I want.
- ① I can only do my usual work but no more.
- ② I can only do most of my usual work but no more.
- ③ I cannot do my usual work.
- ④ I can hardly do any work at all.
- ⑤ I cannot do any work at all.

Personal Care

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

Lifting

- ⓪ I can lift heavy weights without extra pain.
- ① I can lift heavy weights but it causes extra pain.
- ② Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage if they are conveniently positioned (e.g., on a table).
- ③ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage light to medium weights if they are conveniently positioned.
- ④ I can only lift very light weights.
- ⑤ I cannot lift or carry anything at all.

Driving

- ⓪ I can drive my car without any neck pain.
- ① I can drive my car as long as I want with slight neck pain.
- ② I can drive my car as long as I want with moderate neck pain.
- ③ I cannot drive my car as long as I want because of moderate neck pain.
- ④ I can hardly drive at all because of severe neck pain.
- ⑤ I cannot drive my car at all because of neck pain.

Recreation

- ⓪ I am able to engage in all my recreation activities without neck pain.
- ① I am able to engage in all my usual recreation activities with some neck pain.
- ② I am able to engage in most but not all my usual recreation activities because of neck pain.
- ③ I am only able to engage in a few of my usual recreation activities because of neck pain.
- ④ I can hardly do any recreation activities because of neck pain.
- ⑤ I cannot do any recreation activities at all.

Headaches

- ⓪ I have no headaches at all.
- ① I have slight headaches which come infrequently.
- ② I have moderate headaches which come infrequently.
- ③ I have moderate headaches which come frequently.
- ④ I have severe headaches which come frequently.
- ⑤ I have headaches almost all the time.

Index Score = [Sum of all statements selected / (# of sections with a statement selected x 5)] x 100

Neck
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Score

Back Index

ACN Group, Inc. Form BI-100

ACN Group, Inc. Use Only rev 3/27/2003

Patient Name _____

Date _____

This questionnaire will give your provider information about how your back condition affects your everyday life. Please answer every section by marking the one statement that applies to you. If two or more statements in one section apply, please mark the one statement that most closely describes your problem.

Pain Intensity

- Ⓐ The pain comes and goes and is very mild.
- Ⓛ The pain is mild and does not vary much.
- Ⓜ The pain comes and goes and is moderate.
- Ⓨ The pain is moderate and does not vary much.
- Ⓩ The pain comes and goes and is very severe.
- Ⓟ The pain is very severe and does not vary much.

Sleeping

- Ⓐ I get no pain in bed.
- Ⓛ I get pain in bed but it does not prevent me from sleeping well.
- Ⓜ Because of pain my normal sleep is reduced by less than 25%.
- Ⓨ Because of pain my normal sleep is reduced by less than 50%.
- Ⓩ Because of pain my normal sleep is reduced by less than 75%.
- Ⓟ Pain prevents me from sleeping at all.

Sitting

- Ⓐ I can sit in any chair as long as I like.
- Ⓛ I can only sit in my favorite chair as long as I like.
- Ⓜ Pain prevents me from sitting more than 1 hour.
- Ⓨ Pain prevents me from sitting more than 1/2 hour.
- Ⓩ Pain prevents me from sitting more than 10 minutes.
- Ⓟ I avoid sitting because it increases pain immediately.

Standing

- Ⓐ I can stand as long as I want without pain.
- Ⓛ I have some pain while standing but it does not increase with time.
- Ⓜ I cannot stand for longer than 1 hour without increasing pain.
- Ⓨ I cannot stand for longer than 1/2 hour without increasing pain.
- Ⓩ I cannot stand for longer than 10 minutes without increasing pain.
- Ⓟ I avoid standing because it increases pain immediately.

Walking

- Ⓐ I have no pain while walking.
- Ⓛ I have some pain while walking but it doesn't increase with distance.
- Ⓜ I cannot walk more than 1 mile without increasing pain.
- Ⓨ I cannot walk more than 1/2 mile without increasing pain.
- Ⓩ I cannot walk more than 1/4 mile without increasing pain.
- Ⓟ I cannot walk at all without increasing pain.

Personal Care

- Ⓐ I do not have to change my way of washing or dressing in order to avoid pain.
- Ⓛ I do not normally change my way of washing or dressing even though it causes some pain.
- Ⓜ Washing and dressing increases the pain but I manage not to change my way of doing it.
- Ⓨ Washing and dressing increases the pain and I find it necessary to change my way of doing it.
- Ⓩ Because of the pain I am unable to do some washing and dressing without help.
- Ⓟ Because of the pain I am unable to do any washing and dressing without help.

Lifting

- Ⓐ I can lift heavy weights without extra pain.
- Ⓛ I can lift heavy weights but it causes extra pain.
- Ⓜ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor.
- Ⓨ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage if they are conveniently positioned (e.g., on a table).
- Ⓩ Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage light to medium weights if they are conveniently positioned.
- Ⓟ I can only lift very light weights.

Traveling

- Ⓐ I get no pain while traveling.
- Ⓛ I get some pain while traveling but none of my usual forms of travel make it worse.
- Ⓜ I get extra pain while traveling but it does not cause me to seek alternate forms of travel.
- Ⓨ I get extra pain while traveling which causes me to seek alternate forms of travel.
- Ⓩ Pain restricts all forms of travel except that done while lying down.
- Ⓟ Pain restricts all forms of travel.

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 affect on my social life apart from limiting my more energetic interests (e.g., dancing, etc).
- Ⓨ Pain has restricted my social life and I do not go out very often.
- Ⓩ Pain has restricted my social life to my home.
- Ⓟ I have hardly any social life because of the pain.

Changing degree of pain

- Ⓐ My pain is rapidly getting better.
- Ⓛ My pain fluctuates but overall is definitely getting better.
- Ⓜ My pain seems to be getting better but improvement is slow.
- Ⓨ My pain is neither getting better or worse.
- Ⓩ My pain is gradually worsening.
- Ⓟ My pain is rapidly worsening.

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Name: _____

Date: _____

Keele STarT Back Screening Tool
(Modified for Both Neck and Low Back Pain)

Thinking about the last 2 weeks check your response to the following questions:	Disagree (0)	Agree (1)		
My pain has spread at some time in the past 2 weeks				
In addition to my main pain, I have had pain elsewhere in the last 2 weeks				
In the last 2 weeks, I have only walked short distances because of my pain				
In the last 2 weeks, I have dressed more slowly than usual because of my pain				
It's really not safe for a person with a condition like mine to be physically active				
Worrying thoughts have been going through my mind a lot of the time in the last 2 weeks				
I feel that my pain is terrible and that it's never going to get any better				
In general in the last 2 weeks, I have not enjoyed all the things I used to enjoy				
Overall, how bothersome has your pain been in the last 2 weeks?				
Not at all (0)	Slightly (0)	Moderately (0)	Very Much (1)	Extremely (1)

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