

Welcome

We would like to welcome you to our Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine Department of the WELLNESS CENTER. We want to provide you with the most caring and efficient treatment. In order to do that, here are some guidelines:

- _ **Appointments:** We strive to run “on time”. Occasionally, however, an emergency will disrupt the schedule. We apologize in advance should that occur and delay your visit in any way. Your prompt arrival for scheduled appointments will help keep us running smoothly.

- _ **Cancellations:** We understand that circumstances arise that may prevent your keeping an appointment. We request 24 hours notice of cancellation whenever possible so that we may give your time to someone else who may need it.

- _ **Fees, payment policy, and insurance:** The fees charged in our office are comparable to those charged by other health care providers in this area. Health and accident policies are an arrangement between you and your insurance company. You will be personally responsible for payment of all services charged.

- _ **For Patients with no insurance:** It is customary to pay for professional services when rendered unless other arrangements have been made. We ask that you pay with cash, check, or credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express and Care Credit.

- _ **For Patient’s injured on the job “Worker’s Compensation”:** Your employer is responsible for any costs in treating your work-related injury, including attorney’s fees, if necessary. If Your Injury Is Work Related Be Sure And Tell Us Before Starting Treatments. It is necessary to get pre-authorization.

- _ **For Patients with Insurance:** This Office will gladly prepare insurance forms and reports. If Acupuncture benefits have not been verified or authorized, we may ask that you pay up front for services rendered. We will reimburse you after we receive payment form your insurance company. All professional services are the basic responsibility of the patient or responsible party.

- _ **Herbal Formulas:** All herbal and nutritional sales are final!

- _ **What we offer:** The healing tools we make available to you may include any or all of the following: Acupuncture, Chinese Herbal medicine, Tui-Na, Gua-Sha, Acupressure, Cupping, moxibustion, electrical stimulation and Clinical Nutrition.

- _ **The Initial Visit:** We will discuss your concerns, take a very detailed history, and together with you devise a treatment plan. This process may take up to 1 hour. At the end of your visit, you may receive herbs or nutrients that may be appropriate.

We look forward to addressing your medical concerns in an empowering and creative way. Please feel free to give us comments on any aspect of our service, so that we may provide the best possible care.

Name _____

Date _____

**ACUPUNCTURE
ORIENTAL MEDICINE
NEW PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE**



NAME _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Sex: M F Marital Status: M S D W Name of Spouse _____ #Children _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Describe Duties: _____

What kind of Activities/Hobbies? _____

Referred By _____

REASON FOR VISIT TODAY: _____

Have you had Acupuncture or Chinese Herbal Medicine before? YES NO

How long have you had this condition? _____

Is it getting worse? _____ Does it bother your: Sleep Work Other _____

What seemed to be the initial cause? _____

What seems to make it better? _____

What seems to make it worse? _____

Are you under the care of a physician now? Yes No If yes, for what? _____

Who is your Physician? _____ Physician's Phone: _____

Other concurrent therapies: _____

Do you have HEALTH INSURANCE? _____ Name of Insurance: _____

Insurance ID# _____ Policy # _____

Insurance Co. Address _____

Insurance Co. Phone Number _____

Is this a WORK INJURY? _____ Have you been in an AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT? _____

() Past Year () Past 5 years () Over 5 years Describe accident: _____

Other Personal Injuries or Accidents? _____ Please describe: _____

Chiropractic Rehabilitation WELLNESS CENTER

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INFORMED CONSENT FOR ACUPUNCTURE TREATMENT AND CARE

I hereby request and consent to the performance of acupuncture treatments and other procedures within the scope of the practice of acupuncture on me (or on the patient named below, for whom I am legally responsible) by the acupuncturist named below and/or other licensed acupuncturists who now or in the future treat me while employed by, working or associated with, or serving as back-up for the acupuncturist named below, including those working at this office or any other office or clinic, whether signatories to this form or not.

I understand the methods of treatment may include, but are not limited to, acupuncture, acupressure, moxibustion, cupping, electrical stimulation, Tui-Na (Chinese massage), Chinese herbal medicine, and nutritional counseling.

I have been informed that acupuncture is a safe method of treatment, but that it may have side effects, including bruising, numbness or tingling near the needling sites that may last a few days, and dizziness or fainting. I understand that I should not move while the needles are being inserted, retained, or removed. Bruising is a common side effect of cupping. Unusual risks of acupuncture include spontaneous miscarriage, nerve damage and organ puncture, including lung puncture (pneumothorax). Infection is another possible risk, although the acupuncturist below uses sterile disposable needles and maintains a clean and safe environment. Burns and/or scarring are a potential risk of moxibustion. I understand that while this document describes the major risks of treatment other side effects and risks may occur.

The herbs and nutritional supplements (which are from plant, mineral, and animal sources) that have been recommended are traditionally considered safe in the practice of Chinese Medicine, although some may be toxic in large doses. I understand that some herbs may be inappropriate during pregnancy. Some possible side effects of taking herbs are nausea, gas, stomachache, vomiting, headache, diarrhea, rashes, hives, and tingling of the tongue. I will immediately notify the acupuncturist of any unanticipated or unpleasant effects associated with the consumption of the herbs. I will notify the acupuncturist who is caring for me if I am or become pregnant.

I do not expect the acupuncturist to be able to anticipate and explain all risks and complications of treatment, and I wish to rely on the acupuncturist to exercise judgment during the course of treatment which the acupuncturist thinks at the time, based upon the facts then known, is in my best interest. I understand that results are not guaranteed.

I understand the office medical and administrative staff may review my medical records and lab reports, but all my records will be kept confidential and will not be released without my written consent.

ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE: I authorize payment of benefits be made directly to this healthcare provider and I understand I am responsible for charges not covered by this assignment. I also authorize the release of any information requested to process this claim.

By voluntarily signing below I show that I have read, or have had read to me, this consent to treatment, have been told about the risks and benefits of acupuncture and other procedures, and have had an opportunity to ask questions. I intend this consent form to cover the entire course of treatment for my present condition and for any future condition(s) for which I seek treatment.

Patient's Name _____

Patient's Signature _____ Date Signed _____

To be completed by the patient's representative if the patient is a minor or is physically or legally incapacitated:

Print Name of Patient: _____

Print Name of Patient Representative: _____

Signature of Patient Representative: _____

Relationship or Authority of Patient: _____

Name of Acupuncturist: Amy Rogers-Cavender, L. Ac. and/or Nima Arabani, D.C., L. Ac.

GENERAL HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME _____

FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY

Allergies _____
 Cancer _____

Arteriosclerosis
 High Blood Pressure
 Stroke

Diabetes
 Heart Disease
 Asthma

Seizures
 Alcoholism

YOUR PAST MEDICAL HISTORY

AIDS/HIV
 Alcoholism
 Allergies
 Appendicitis
 Arteriosclerosis
 Asthma
 Birth Trauma
 Cancer
 Chicken Pox

Diabetes
 Emphysema
 Epilepsy
 Goiter
 Gout
 Heart Disease
 Hepatitis
 Herpes
 High Blood Pressure

Multiple Sclerosis
 Measles
 Mumps
 Pacemaker
 Pleurisy
 Pneumonia
 Polio
 Rheumatic Fever
 Scarlet Fever

Tuberculosis
 Seizures
 Stroke
 Thyroid Disorders
 Typhoid Fever
 Ulcers
 Venereal Disease
 Whooping Cough

Surgery (list) _____

 Major Trauma _____

 Other _____

YOUR DIET

Appetite Low
 High

Coffee
 Soft Drinks

Artificial
Sweetener

Sugar
 Salty Food

Thirst for Water:
glasses/day _____

Pharmaceuticals taken in the last 2 months: _____

Vitamins/supplements taken in the last 2 months: _____

YOUR LIFESTYLE

Regular Exercise
Type _____

Marijuana
 Drugs

Stress
 Occupational Hazards

Alcohol
 Tobacco

GENERAL SYMPTOMS

Poor appetite
 Heavy appetite
 Strongly like cold drinks
 Strongly like hot drinks
 Recent weight loss/gain

Poor sleep
 Heavy sleep
 Dream-disturbed sleep
 Fatigue
 Lack of strength

Bodily heaviness
 Cold hands or feet
 Poor circulation
 Shortness of breath
 Vertigo or dizziness

Chills
 Fever
 Night sweats
 Sweat easily
 Muscle cramps

HEAD, EYES, EARS, NOSE, THROAT

Glasses
 Eye strain
 Eye pain
 Red eyes
 Itchy eyes
 Spots in eyes
 Poor vision
 Blurred vision

Night blindness
 Glaucoma
 Cataracts
 Teeth problems
 Grinding teeth
 TMJ
 Facial pain
 Gum problems

Sores on lips or
tongue
 Dry mouth
 Excessive saliva
 Sinus problems
 Excessive phlegm
Color of phlegm _____

Recurrent sore throat
 Swollen glands
 Lumps in throat
 Enlarged thyroid
 Nose bleeds
 Ringing in ears
 Poor hearing
 Earaches

Headaches
 Migraines
 Concussions
Other head or neck
problems _____

RESPIRATORY

Difficulty breathing when lying down
 Shortness of breath
 Pneumonia

Tight chest
 Asthma/whooping

Cough
Wet or Dry? _____
Thick or thin? _____

Color of phlegm _____

 Coughing blood

CARDIOVASCULAR

- | | | | | |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Chest pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Tachycardia | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart palpitation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phlebitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots | <input type="checkbox"/> Irregular heartbeat | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty breathing | <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting |

GASTROINTESTINAL

- | | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea | <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea | <input type="checkbox"/> Bad breath | Bowel Movements: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vomiting | <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation | <input type="checkbox"/> Itchy anus | Frequency _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acid regurgitation | <input type="checkbox"/> Laxative Use | <input type="checkbox"/> Burning anus | Texture/form _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gas | <input type="checkbox"/> Black stools | <input type="checkbox"/> Rectal pain | Color _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hiccup | <input type="checkbox"/> Bloody Stools | <input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhoid | Odor _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bloating | <input type="checkbox"/> Mucous in stools | <input type="checkbox"/> Anal fissures | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intestinal pain or cramping | | | |

MUSCULOSKELETAL

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|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck/shoulder pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Upper back pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Limited range of motion | Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle Pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Low back pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Rib pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Limited use | _____ |

SKIN AND HAIR

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|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rashes | <input type="checkbox"/> Eczema | <input type="checkbox"/> Dandruff | <input type="checkbox"/> Change in hair/skin texture | Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hives | <input type="checkbox"/> Psoriasis | <input type="checkbox"/> Itching | <input type="checkbox"/> Fungal infections | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcerations | <input type="checkbox"/> Acne | <input type="checkbox"/> Hair loss | | _____ |

NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor memory | <input type="checkbox"/> Irritability | <input type="checkbox"/> Considered/attempted suicide |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Numbness | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily stressed | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeing a therapist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tics | <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Abuse survivor | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

GENITO-URINARY

- | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pain on urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood in urine | <input type="checkbox"/> Venereal Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Increased libido | <input type="checkbox"/> Impotence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to hold urine | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedwetting | <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased libido | <input type="checkbox"/> Premature ejaculation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Urgent urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Incomplete urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Wake to urinate | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Stone | <input type="checkbox"/> Nocturnal emission |

GYNECOLOGY

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|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Age menses began
_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Duration of flow
_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal discharge
(color) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Breast lumps | Date of last PAP
_____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Length of cycle
_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Irregular periods | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal sores | #pregnancies _____ | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Painful periods | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal Odor | #live births _____ | Date last period began
_____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> PMS | <input type="checkbox"/> Clots | Premature births _____ | |
| | | | Age at Menopause _____ | _____ |

OTHER

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____