

# Berning Chiropractic

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# Welcome

"The doctor of the future will give no medicine but will interest his patients in the care of the human frame, in diet, and in cause and prevention of disease."

- Thomas Edison

## Patient Information

Thank you for choosing our practice for your chiropractic needs. Please complete this form. If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to ask for assistance. We will be happy to help. Ask Joanie.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First) (Middle) (Last) (Maiden)

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

Home Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I give Dr. Berning and his office staff permission to *phone* me in the following manner(s): (check all that apply)

Home telephone Work telephone Cell phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

- O.K. to leave message with detailed information on answering machine or with family member.  O.K. to leave message with detailed information on voice mail.  O.K. to leave message with detailed information on voice mail.
- Leave message with call back # only.  Leave message with call back # only.  Leave message with call back # only.

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Sex: (circle) Male / Female

S/S #: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Marital Status: Minor Single Married Divorced Widowed

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

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

Spouse's or  Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Workplace: \_\_\_\_\_  
(✓ the one that applies)

Whom may we thank for referring you to us? \_\_\_\_\_

In case of emergency, contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

I give \_\_\_\_\_ permission to access:  Account Information  Patient Health Information  
(Other than spouse)

Responsible Party (complete if different than above)  Ins. Card Copied

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to patient: \_\_\_\_\_

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

D.O.B. \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ S.S. # \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Please turn over and complete

# Health History

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

Check **all existing** and **previous** health conditions:

- |  |  |   |   |
|--|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aids/HIV      | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy            | <input type="checkbox"/> Mid back pain          | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcers               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergy shots | <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting            | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraine headaches     | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatoid Arthritis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia        | <input type="checkbox"/> Gout                | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscarriage            | <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder pain        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anorexia      | <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches           | <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis     | <input type="checkbox"/> Sore muscles         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arm problems  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hernia              | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle jerking         | <input type="checkbox"/> Stiff joints         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma        | <input type="checkbox"/> Herniated disc      | <input type="checkbox"/> Neck pain              | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid problems     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis     | <input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Numbness               | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchitis    | <input type="checkbox"/> High Cholesterol    | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tumors, growths      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Broken bones  | <input type="checkbox"/> Insomnia            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker              | <input type="checkbox"/> Walking problems     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer        | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaw pain            | <input type="checkbox"/> Polio                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Weak muscles         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convulsions   | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney disease      | <input type="checkbox"/> Painful joints         | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Depression    | <input type="checkbox"/> Leg problems        | <input type="checkbox"/> Parkinson's disease    | _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes      | <input type="checkbox"/> Liver disease       | <input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia              | _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness     | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of feeling     | <input type="checkbox"/> Prosthesis             |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema     | <input type="checkbox"/> Low back pain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Pain between shoulders |   |

Have you ever had chiropractic care before?  Yes  No

Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ Last treatment \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Date last seen by your M.D./D.O. : \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Doctors name \_\_\_\_\_

## Surgeries and Dates:

- |  |                |  |                |  |                |
|--|----------------|--|----------------|--|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aortic aneurysm                     | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterectomy  | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder Surgery                    | ____/____/____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appendectomy                        | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Knee Repair   | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gall Bladder                        | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Knee Replacement  | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Spinal Surgery                      | ____/____/____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Bypass                        | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right                               |                | <input type="checkbox"/> Neck                                | _____          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Stents                        | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Mastectomy  | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Mid Back                            | _____          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hernia                              | ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Both |                | <input type="checkbox"/> Low Back                            | _____          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hip Replacement                     | ____/____/____ | Reconstruction? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                   |                | <input type="checkbox"/> Tonsillectomy                       | ____/____/____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right |                | <input type="checkbox"/> Caesarean (C-section)   | _____          |  |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Others                              | _____          |  |                |  |                |

Please list ALL Medication and Vitamins you are currently taking and the dosage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  Copy of list in file

Allergies:  penicillin  out door \_\_\_\_\_  in door \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Notes \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Jerry Berning D.C.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ File # \_\_\_\_\_

Describe what is bothering you today \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Started: # \_\_\_\_\_ days ago # \_\_\_\_\_ weeks ago # \_\_\_\_\_ months ago (date of onset if know \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_)

Is this condition due to:  Fall  Slip  Tripped  Reason Unknown  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Pain: (circle all that apply) Sharp Stabbing Burning Achy Dull Stiff & Sore Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Pain/discomfort:  Constant  Comes & Goes Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

Severity of pain: (No Pain) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Agonizing) Getting: Better Worse Same

What makes it better? Ice Heat Rest Movement Stretching Pain Medicine Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What makes it worse? Sitting Standing Walking Lying Down Sleep Overuse Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had any x-rays or MRI?  Yes  No Where? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

Doctors seen for THIS condition: Date Seen: \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ MD DC DO Where: \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_ Treatment: \_\_\_\_\_

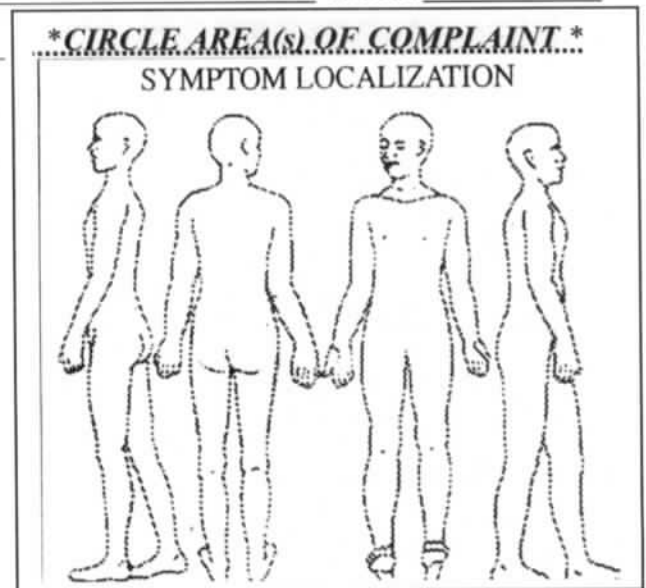
How have you treated yourself:

Rest  Rubs  Ice  Heat \_\_\_\_\_

Ibuprofen \_\_\_\_\_  Tylenol \_\_\_\_\_

Prescriptions \_\_\_\_\_  Other \_\_\_\_\_

List daily activities limited by this condition: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



I understand this information and guarantee these forms were completed correctly to the best of my knowledge and understand it is my responsibility to inform this office of any changes to the information I have provided.

Signature X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  
 Adult  Parent or Guardian  Spouse

**FEMALES ONLY**

Are you pregnant? (circle one) Yes No      Taking birth control? (circle one) Yes No

**X-ray confirmation:** This is to confirm that you have been advised that x-rays can be hazardous to an unborn child.  
At this time, to the best of your knowledge, I am not pregnant, and I consent to spinal x-rays if deemed necessary.

Signature of Patient: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

First Day of Last Period Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

~~Non Medicare Patient's~~  
**Berning Chiropractic**  
**Dr. Jerry Berning**  
**Signature on File / Authorization**

**Patient Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Account #** \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize "Berning Chiropractic, or Jerry Berning D.C." to release medical and billing information necessary to submit my claims for any treatment or services to my, then, current insurance company listed on my patient records. I also agree to provide complete current insurance coverage information in a timely manner for services provided to me.

I hereby authorize and request payment of medical / chiropractic benefits paid by my then current health insurance carrier, for services provided to me by "Berning Chiropractic, or Jerry Berning D.C." to be made directly to them. I understand and agree that health and insurance policies are an agreement between an insurance carrier and myself and all services rendered to me are charged directly to me and I am personally responsible for payment. I understand Berning Chiropractic will prepare reports and forms to assist me in collection from my insurance company.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
PATIENT (OR GUARDIAN IF MINOR) SIGNATURE DATE

**INFORMED CONSENT CLAUSE**

Even though Chiropractic is considered to be a safe form of healing art there is a remote chance for adverse effects to occur either temporarily or permanently. If you have any concerns about this statement or the possibilities of adverse effects please ask Dr. Berning. *I have read and understand this clause and hereby authorize Dr. Berning and whomever he may designate as his assistants to administer treatment, physical examination, X-ray studies, chiropractic care, therapy, or any clinic services that he deems necessary in my care. If deemed necessary x-rays will be sent to Dr. Steven J. Gould, D.A.C.B.R for diagnostic/radiologic consultation.* This authorization applies to all services rendered by Berning Chiropractic until it is revoked, in writing by me or my legal representative.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
PATIENT'S SIGNATURE DATE

**PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

I have received the Notice of Privacy Practices and if I have any questions or concerns I will contact this office.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
PATIENT'S SIGNATURE DATE

**Only if patient is under the age of 18 yrs**

*I (we) being the parents, guardian or custodian of minor \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby authorize, request Dr. Berning D.C./Berning Chiropractic and staff to perform examinations, diagnostic x-rays, and treatment that in their judgment is deemed advisable or is required to minor child.*

X \_\_\_\_\_  
PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR CUSTODIAN SIGNATURE DATE

~~Medicare Patient's Only~~  
Explanation of Non-covered Medicare Chiropractic Services  
*Berning Chiropractic Center*

Deductible:

Medicare requires you to pay a yearly deductible of \$147.00 toward your medical expenses. (*If you have already been treated by other doctors this year that will be applied toward your yearly deductible also.*) If you have a secondary insurance it might pay the Medicare Deductible.

What Medicare will pay for:

After you have met your deductible, Medicare will pay 80% for "allowable treatment charges." care under an active treatment plan.  
(The only "allowable treatment charges" for chiropractic is *Manual Manipulation of the spine.*)

Maintenance care: Medicare WILL NOT PAY for chiropractic maintenance therapy. (*care not under a treatment/corrective care plan.*) Maintenance is considered to be not medically necessary under the Medicare Policy Manual, chapter 15, 240.1.3.A and payment for maintenance services would be your responsibility.  
WE WILL ALWAYS TELL YOU IF THIS IS THE CASE.

Examinations:

In order to determine the extent of your condition, as well as the type of treatment you need, the doctor will perform an exam. Medicare WILL NOT PAY for this and the full payment must be made by you.

X-rays:

Medicare WILL NOT PAY for x-rays, however on your initial visit and possible during your treatment the doctor will want x-rays taken and payment must be made by you.

Physical therapy, supplements, and supports:

During the course of your treatment in this office, the doctor may determine that certain therapy, vitamin and/or supports may be necessary to assist in the treatment of your condition. Medicare WILL NOT PAY for these services and payment must be made by you.

I understand that although the chiropractic services listed above may be required for treatment of my condition, some charges are NOT covered by Medicare and I will be personally responsible for payment of these charges.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

