

# **Hello and Welcome to Soft Tissue Solutions**

This information sheet is designed to make your visits hassle-free. If you have any questions, please feel free to email or call us before your appointment.

## **Appointments:**

**Please allow enough time to deal with traffic issues and find our office.**

Your first appointment will last approximately 40 minutes and each appointment thereafter will last approximately 20 minutes.

**If you cannot make your appointment, please give us 24-hour notice.** This allows us enough time to fill that slot. If you do not show up or do not call to cancel, we will have to charge you for that appointment.

## **Please have with you:**

- Completed paperwork (see the 5 following pages)
- Change of clothes such as shorts, sweats, or a tank top – depending on the treatment area
- Cash, check, or credit card

## **Location: Royal Oak**

2605 W. 14 Mile Road, Ste. 220  
Royal Oak, MI 48073  
248-919-9696

Dr. Slota's office building is located on 14 Mile Road. Enter from Delemere and park in the rear.

# CHIROPRACTIC REGISTRATION AND HISTORY

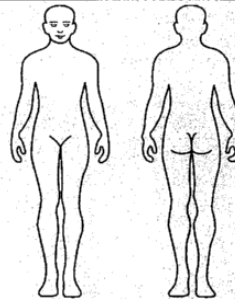
<b>1 PATIENT INFORMATION</b>	
Date _____	
SS/HIC/Patient ID # _____	
Patient Name _____	
_____ Last Name	_____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____
Address _____	
E-mail _____	
City _____	
State _____	Zip _____
Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Age _____	
Birthdate _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Minor	
<input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Partnered for _____ years	
Patient Employer/School _____	
Occupation _____	
Employer/School Address _____	
_____	
Employer/School Phone (_____) _____	
Spouse's Name _____	
Birthdate _____	
SS# _____	
Spouse's Employer _____	
Whom may we thank for referring you? _____	

<b>2 INSURANCE INFORMATION</b>	
Who is responsible for this account? _____	
Relationship to Patient _____	
Insurance Co. _____	
Group # _____	
Is patient covered by additional insurance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Subscriber's Name _____	
Birthdate _____	SS# _____
Relationship to Patient _____	
Insurance Co. _____	
Group # _____	
<b>ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE</b>	
I certify that I, and/or my dependent(s), have insurance coverage with _____ and assign directly to _____	
Name of Insurance Company(ies) _____	
Dr. _____ all insurance benefits, if any, otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I authorize the use of my signature for all insurance submissions.	
The above-named doctor may use my health care information and may disclose such information to the above-named Insurance Company(ies) and their agents for the purpose of obtaining payment for services and determining insurance benefits or the benefits payable for related services. This consent will end when my current treatment plan is completed or one year from the date signed below.	
Signature of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative _____	
Please print name of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative _____	
Date _____	Relationship to Patient _____

<b>3 PHONE NUMBERS</b>	
Cell Phone (_____) _____	Home Phone (_____) _____
Best time and place to reach you _____	
<b>IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT</b>	
Name _____	Relationship _____
Home Phone (_____) _____	Work Phone (_____) _____

<b>4 ACCIDENT INFORMATION</b>	
Is condition due to an accident? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Date _____	
Type of accident <input type="checkbox"/> Auto <input type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
To whom have you made a report of your accident?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Auto Insurance <input type="checkbox"/> Employer <input type="checkbox"/> Worker Comp. <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Attorney Name (if applicable) _____	

<b>5 PATIENT CONDITION</b>	
Reason for Visit _____	
When did your symptoms appear? _____	
Is this condition getting progressively worse? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
Mark an X on the picture where you continue to have pain, numbness, or tingling.	
Rate the severity of your pain on a scale from 1 (least pain) to 10 (severe pain) _____	
Type of pain: <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp <input type="checkbox"/> Dull <input type="checkbox"/> Throbbing <input type="checkbox"/> Numbness <input type="checkbox"/> Aching <input type="checkbox"/> Shooting	
<input type="checkbox"/> Burning <input type="checkbox"/> Tingling <input type="checkbox"/> Cramps <input type="checkbox"/> Stiffness <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
How often do you have this pain? _____	
Is it constant or does it come and go? _____	
Does it interfere with your <input type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep <input type="checkbox"/> Daily Routine <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation	
Activities or movements that are painful to perform <input type="checkbox"/> Sitting <input type="checkbox"/> Standing <input type="checkbox"/> Walking <input type="checkbox"/> Bending <input type="checkbox"/> Lying Down	



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**HEALTH HISTORY**

What treatment have you already received for your condition? ☐ Medications ☐ Surgery ☐ Physical Therapy

☐ Chiropractic Services ☐ None ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of other doctor(s) who have treated you for your condition \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last: Physical Exam \_\_\_\_\_ Spinal X-Ray \_\_\_\_\_ Blood Test \_\_\_\_\_

Spinal Exam \_\_\_\_\_ Chest X-Ray \_\_\_\_\_ Urine Test \_\_\_\_\_

Dental X-Ray \_\_\_\_\_ MRI, CT-Scan, Bone Scan \_\_\_\_\_

Place a mark on "Yes" or "No" to indicate if you have had any of the following:

AIDS/HIV	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Chicken Pox	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Liver Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Rheumatoid Arthritis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Alcoholism	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Measles	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Rheumatic Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Allergy Shots	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Emphysema	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Migraine Headaches	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Scarlet Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Anemia	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Epilepsy	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Miscarriage	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Stroke	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Anorexia	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Fractures	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Mononucleosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Suicide Attempt	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appendicitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Glaucoma	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Multiple Sclerosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Thyroid Problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Arthritis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Goiter	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Mumps	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Tonsillitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Gonorrhea	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Osteoporosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Tuberculosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Bleeding Disorders	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Gout	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Pacemaker	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Tumors, Growths	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Breast Lump	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Heart Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Parkinson's Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Typhoid Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Bronchitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hepatitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Pinched Nerve	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Ulcers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Bulimia	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hernia	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Pneumonia	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Vaginal Infections	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Cancer	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Herniated Disk	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Polio	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Venereal Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Cataracts	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Herpes	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Prostate Problem	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Whooping Cough	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Chemical Dependency	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	High Cholesterol	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Prosthesis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Other _____	
		Kidney Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Psychiatric Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

**EXERCISE**

☐ None  
☐ Moderate  
☐ Daily  
☐ Heavy

**WORK ACTIVITY**

☐ Sitting  
☐ Standing  
☐ Light Labor  
☐ Heavy Labor

**HABITS**

☐ Smoking Packs/Day \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Alcohol Drinks/Week \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Coffee/Caffeine Drinks Cups/Day \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ High Stress Level Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Are you pregnant? ☐ Yes ☐ No Due Date \_\_\_\_\_

Injuries/Surgeries you have had

Description

Date

Falls \_\_\_\_\_

Head Injuries \_\_\_\_\_

Broken Bones \_\_\_\_\_

Dislocations \_\_\_\_\_

Surgeries \_\_\_\_\_

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**MEDICATIONS****ALLERGIES****VITAMINS/HERBS/MINERALS**

Pharmacy Name \_\_\_\_\_

Pharmacy Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

## **Consent for Purposes of Treatment, Payment and Healthcare Operations**

I acknowledge that **Soft Tissue Solution's** "Notice of Privacy Practices" has been provided to me.

I understand I have a right to review **Soft Tissue Solution's** Notice of Privacy Practices prior to signing this document. The Notice of Privacy Practices describes the types of uses and disclosures of my protected health information that will occur in my treatment, payment of my bills or in the performance of health care operations of **Soft Tissue Solutions**. The Notice of Privacy Practices for **Soft Tissue Solutions** is also provided on request at the main administration desk of this practice. This Notice of Privacy Practices also describes my rights and **Soft Tissue Solution's** duties with respect to my protected health information.

**Soft Tissue Solutions** reserves the right to change the privacy practices that are described in the Notice of Privacy Practices. I may obtain a revised Notice of Privacy Practices by calling the office and requesting a revised copy be sent in the mail, or ask for one at the time of my next appointment.

I have the right to revoke this consent, in writing, except to the extent that Soft Tissue Solution's has taken action in reliance on this consent.

## **Patient Acknowledgement**

By subscribing my name below, I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this notice, and my understanding and my agreement to its terms.

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Signature of Patient or Personal Representative

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Date

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Name of Patient or Personal Representative

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Description of Personal Representative

# Soft Tissue Solutions

## **Why we have a cancellation policy**

One of the toughest policies to implement in any private practice is a cancellation policy. However, without one, a practice is subject to financial loss as a result of appointments that are cancelled without appropriate notice.

At Soft Tissue Solutions, your appointment time is specifically blocked for you. We do not schedule multiple clients for the same time. We value both our time and the time of our patients, so when a person does not show up for their scheduled appointment (no-show) or cancels at the last minute AND we are not able to fill that appointment unfortunately, you will be charged the full fee for that appointment. Since we often have a wait list, not only is this lost income for our practice, but another person does not get to benefit from the services we provide.

Oftentimes, the reasons for missing an appointment are valid – you are stuck in traffic or something unexpected keeps you from getting here on time. Be assured, if you call us and let us know you are running late or cannot make your scheduled time, we will do our best to accommodate you.

As a courtesy to you – we will send you a reminder email or text message a few days ahead to confirm your appointment and you can always let us know if you would like to reschedule. It is however, your responsibility to remember your appointment.

As always, we are so very grateful for your support of our practice. Respecting and acknowledging our cancellation policy makes our practice flow so much easier – we could not do it without you!

Thank you for your cooperation!

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Signature of Patient

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Date

# **Informed Consent to Care**

## **Soft Tissue Solutions**

You are the decision maker for your health care. Part of our role is to provide you with information to assist you in making informed choices. This process is often referred to as “informed consent” and involves your understanding and agreement regarding the care we recommend, the benefits and risks associated with the care, alternatives, and the potential effect on your health if you choose not to receive the care.

We may conduct some diagnostic or examination procedures if indicated. Any examinations or tests conducted will be carefully performed but may be uncomfortable.

Chiropractic care centrally involves what is known as a chiropractic adjustment. There may be additional supportive procedures or recommendations as well. When providing an adjustment, we use our hands or an instrument to reposition anatomical structures, such as vertebrae. Potential benefits of an adjustment include restoring normal joint motion, reducing swelling and inflammation in a joint, reducing pain in the joint, and improving neurological functioning and overall well-being.

It is important that you understand, as with all health care approaches, results are not guaranteed, and there is no promise to cure. As with all types of health care interventions, there are some risks to care, including, but not limited to: muscle spasms, aggravating and/or temporary increase in symptoms, lack of improvement of symptoms, burns and/or scarring from electrical stimulation and from hot or cold therapies, including but not limited to hot packs and ice, fractures (broken bones), disc injuries, strokes, dislocations, strains, and sprains. With respect to strokes, there is a rare but serious condition known as an “arterial dissection” that typically is caused by a tear in the inner layer of the artery that may cause the development of a thrombus (clot) with the potential to lead to a stroke. The best available scientific evidence supports the understanding that chiropractic adjustment does not cause a dissection in a normal, healthy artery. Disease processes, genetic disorders, medications, and vessel abnormalities may cause an artery to be more susceptible to dissection. Strokes caused by arterial dissections have been associated with over 72 everyday activities such as sneezing, driving, and playing tennis.

Arterial dissections occur in 3-4 of every 100,000 people whether they are receiving health care or not. Patients who experience this condition often, but not always, present to their medical doctor or chiropractor with neck pain and headache. Unfortunately a percentage of these patients will experience a stroke.

The reported association between chiropractic visits and stroke is exceedingly rare and is estimated to be related in one in one million to one in two million cervical adjustments. For comparison, the incidence of hospital admission attributed to aspirin use from major GI events of the entire (upper and lower) GI tract was 1219 events/ per one million persons/year and risk of death has been estimated as 104 per one million users.

It is also important that you understand there are treatment options available for your condition other than chiropractic procedures. Likely, you have tried many of these approaches already. These options may include, but are not limited to: self-administered care, over-the-counter pain relievers, physical measures and rest, medical care with prescription drugs, physical therapy, bracing, injections, and surgery. Lastly, you have the right to a second opinion and to secure other opinions about your circumstances and health care as you see fit.

I have read, or have had read to me, the above consent. I appreciate that it is not possible to consider every possible complication to care. I have also had an opportunity to ask questions about its content, and by signing below, I agree with the current or future recommendation to receive chiropractic care as is deemed appropriate for my circumstance. I intend this consent to cover the entire course of care from all providers in this office for my present condition and for any future condition(s) for which I seek chiropractic care from this office.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date