

# WELCOME

## Suburban Chiropractic Associates

### Patient Information

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Soc. Sec. #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_ First Middle Initial

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Male  Female Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Married  Single  Widowed  Divorced  Separated

Minor  Partnered for \_\_\_\_\_ Years

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Employer Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

### Accident Information

Is Condition Due To An Accident?  Yes  NO Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Accident:  Auto  Work  Home  Other

Did You Report Your Accident?  Yes  No If Yes, To Whom?  Auto Ins  Employer  Worker Comp  Other

Attorney Name (If Applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

### Reason For Visit

Reason for your visit: \_\_\_\_\_

When did your symptoms appear? \_\_\_\_\_

Is this condition getting better or worse?  Yes  NO Is the pain constant or come and go? \_\_\_\_\_

Does the pain interfere with your  Work  Daily Routine  Recreation  Sleep

Type of Pain:  Sharp  Dull  Throb  Ache  Numb  Tingle  Shooting  Pinch  Pressure

Where is the pain? \_\_\_\_\_ Pain Level 0 (No Pain) to 10 (Worst Pain Ever) \_\_\_\_\_

### Assignment And Release

I certify that I, and/or my dependent(s), have insurance coverage with (Ins Co) \_\_\_\_\_ and assign directly to Dr. Acquisto all 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 on all insurance submissions. The above named doctor may use my health care information and may disclose such information to the above named insurance company and their agents for the purpose of obtaining payment for services and determining insurance benefits of the benefits payable for related services.

Signature of Patient/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Patient \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Print name of Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

### Insurance Information

Who is responsible for this account? \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Patient: \_\_\_\_\_

Ins. Co. \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Group #: \_\_\_\_\_

### Subscriber (Policy Holder) Info if it is not You

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

D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Physician (PCP): \_\_\_\_\_

PCP Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Is Patient Covered By Additional Insurance?  Yes  No

### In Event Of Emergency

Who Should We Contact? \_\_\_\_\_

Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**HABITS:**

Suburban Chiropractic Associates

Did/Do you smoke? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Did/Do you drink alcohol? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Exercise Regularly? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Eye Problems? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 High Stress Levels? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you been in any accidents/trauma? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sports Injuries? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you sleep well, hours of sleep? Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Name & address of doctors who have treated you: \_\_\_\_\_

What activities make condition feel better? \_\_\_\_\_

What activities make condition feel worse? \_\_\_\_\_

**WORK ACTIVITY:**

Sitting     Standing     Light Labor     Heavy Labor

**FEMALE ONLY:**

Are You Pregnant?  Yes     No    Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

INJURIES/SURGERIES You Have Had	Description	Date
Falls	_____	_____
Broken Bones	_____	_____
Head Injuries	_____	_____
Surgeries	_____	_____

**Please Mark Any Of The Following Conditions You Have Now Or Have Had In The Past:**

- |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| AIDS/HIV <input type="checkbox"/>             | Cataracts <input type="checkbox"/>      | High Cholesterol <input type="checkbox"/>   | Headache <input type="checkbox"/>                   |
| Alcoholism <input type="checkbox"/>           | Chicken Pox <input type="checkbox"/>    | Kidney Disease <input type="checkbox"/>     | Psychiatric Care <input type="checkbox"/>           |
| Allergy Shots <input type="checkbox"/>        | Diabetes <input type="checkbox"/>       | Liver Disease <input type="checkbox"/>      | Rheumatic Fever <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Anemia <input type="checkbox"/>               | Emphysema <input type="checkbox"/>      | Measles <input type="checkbox"/>            | Stroke <input type="checkbox"/>                     |
| Appendicitis <input type="checkbox"/>         | Fractures <input type="checkbox"/>      | Multiple Sclerosis <input type="checkbox"/> | Tuberculosis <input type="checkbox"/>               |
| Arthritis <input type="checkbox"/>            | Glaucoma <input type="checkbox"/>       | Osteoporosis <input type="checkbox"/>       | Tumors/Growths <input type="checkbox"/>             |
| Asthma <input type="checkbox"/>               | Gout <input type="checkbox"/>           | Pacemaker <input type="checkbox"/>          | Ulcers <input type="checkbox"/>                     |
| Bleeding Disorder <input type="checkbox"/>    | Heart Disease <input type="checkbox"/>  | Parkinson's <input type="checkbox"/>        | Sexually Transmitted Infxn <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bowel/Bladder <input type="checkbox"/>        | Hepatitis <input type="checkbox"/>      | Polio <input type="checkbox"/>              | Thyroid <input type="checkbox"/>                    |
| Bronchitis <input type="checkbox"/>           | Hernia <input type="checkbox"/>         | Prostate Problem <input type="checkbox"/>   | High Blood Pressure <input type="checkbox"/>        |
| Cancer <input type="checkbox"/>               | Herniated Disc <input type="checkbox"/> | Prosthesis <input type="checkbox"/>         | Miscarriage <input type="checkbox"/>                |
| Epilepsy <input type="checkbox"/>             | Herpes <input type="checkbox"/>         | Eating Disorders <input type="checkbox"/>   |   |
| Rheumatoid Arthritis <input type="checkbox"/> | Pneumonia <input type="checkbox"/>      | Other: _____                                |   |

**MEDICATIONS**

\_\_\_\_\_

**VITAMINS**

\_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGIES:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY HISTORY**    \_\_\_ Auto-immune Disorder    \_\_\_ Cancer    \_\_\_ Diabetes    \_\_\_ G.I.    \_\_\_ High Blood Pressure    \_\_\_ Heart Disease    \_\_\_ Kidney Disease  
 \_\_\_ Lung Disease    \_\_\_ Seizure Disorder    \_\_\_ Stroke    \_\_\_ Thyroid Disorder    \_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Patient Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Authorization to Call, Text, E-mail**

I authorize the office and the doctors of Suburban Chiropractic Associates to contact all phone numbers, including text messages and email addresses listed on file. In addition, I am requesting appointment reminder calls or other non-personal matters to be sent via text/email to the following:

PRINTED PATIENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEXT: Cell Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

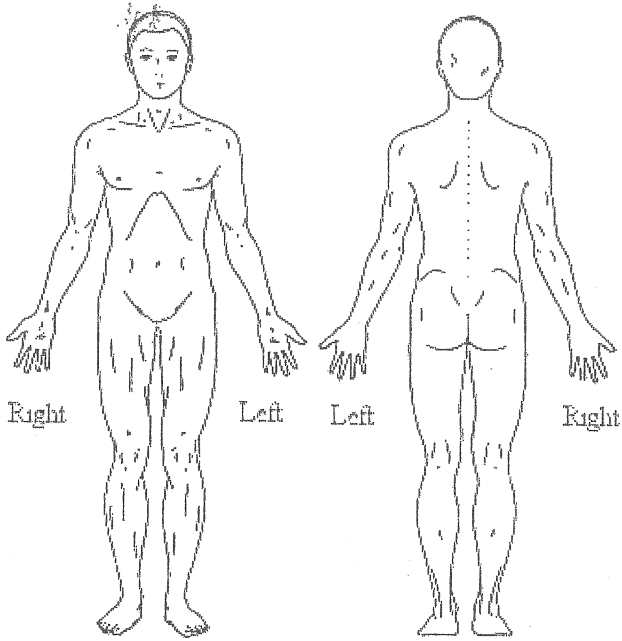
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose not to be contacted by \_\_\_\_\_ Email, \_\_\_\_\_ TEXT, or \_\_\_\_\_ email/text. I may withdraw this authorization at anytime by submitting in a request in writing to this office.

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

Please Circle where you are at: (No Complaint/Pain) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Worst Possible Complaint/Pain)

Using the symbols below, mark on the pictures where you feel pain.



Numbness N

Dull Ache A

Burning B

Sharp/Stabbing S

Pins, Needles P

Other \_\_\_\_\_ O

Please circle the appropriate number that corresponds to the pain level that you are **CURRENTLY** experiencing.

1. My pain when it is at its worst is:

No pain 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Worst Possible

2. My pain when it is at its least is:

No pain 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Worst Possible

3. My average pain level is:

No Pain 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Worst Possible

I hereby certify that the statements and answers given on this form are accurate to the best of knowledge and understand it is my responsibility to inform this office of any changes in my health.

I agree to allow this office to examine me for further evaluation.

Patient  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Back Index

Form BI100

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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.

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

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# Neck Index

Form N1-100

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.

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**NOTICE THAT YOU MAY BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MEDICAL COSTS IN THE EVENT OF FAILURE TO PROSECUTE, OR IF COMPENSATION CLAIM IS DISALLOWED, OR IF AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO WCL §32 IS APPROVED**

WCB CASE NO. (If Known)		CARRIER CASE NO. (If Known)	DATE OF INJURY	NATURE OF INJURY OR ILLNESS	INJURED PERSON'S SOC. SEC. NO.
CLAIMANT	NAME			ADDRESS	APT. NO.
EMPLOYER					
INSURANCE CARRIER					

You may become responsible for the medical costs of treatment for your illness or condition with the provider listed below if (1) you fail to prosecute the claim for workers' compensation or (2) it is determined by the Workers' Compensation Board that the illness or condition which required treatment was not a result of a compensable workplace accident or occupational disease or (3) if an agreement is executed by you and approved pursuant to Workers' Compensation Law §32 in which you waive your right to medical benefits from the workers' compensation carrier/self-insured employer for treatment/services performed after the date the agreement is approved. If any of the above events occurs, the provider may bill you directly instead of the employer or insurance carrier, and you will be responsible for the provider's fees for services rendered.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the above and understand the circumstances under which I may become responsible for payment.

Claimant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Provider's Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THE CLAIMANT**

Workers' Compensation Board Regulation 325-1.23 permits your doctor or therapist to request that you sign this A-9 notice. By signing this notice, you acknowledge your obligation to pay the provider's fees for the services you receive if it turns out that such fees are not legally required to be paid by your employer or its workers' compensation insurance carrier and if such fees are not covered by other insurance. The employer or carrier may not be required to pay the doctor's fees if, for example, you fail to file a claim for workers' compensation, or fail to notify your employer of your injury or illness, or fail to attend a Board hearing if your employer challenges your right to benefits. Even if you make all required efforts to prosecute your claim, the Workers' Compensation Board may still find that you are not entitled to benefits. In such cases, this notice advises your health provider that you acknowledge your personal liability for payment of his/her bills.

**Workers' Compensation Law Section 32**

The A-9 notice also covers instances in which a claimant with an existing valid workers' compensation case comes to an agreement with his/her employer or its insurance carrier settling his/her case in accordance with Section 32 of the Workers' Compensation Law. A Section 32 agreement may include a provision which relieves the employer or carrier of the liability to pay future medical bills associated with the case. Your health care provider may ask you to sign this A-9 notice to insure that you acknowledge your personal liability for payment of his/her bills if you have waived your right to future medical benefits under a Section 32 agreement.

If you have any questions, contact your attorney or licensed hearing representative, if you have one. You may also contact your local district office of the Workers' Compensation Board.

**TO THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER**

This notice is meant to advise the workers' compensation claimant that he/she may be responsible for payment. Failure of the claimant to sign this form does not relieve the provider of the obligation to treat the claimant, nor does it negate the claimant's responsibility for payment.

Keep the original of this form for your records and give a copy to the claimant. **Do not file with the Workers' Compensation Board.** You will receive Notices of Decisions in which the compensability of a claim, authorization of treatment, or payment of medical bills is included. You will also be notified if the claimant submits a Section 32 Agreement with the Board for approval. Do not bill the claimant unless and until you receive a Board decision finding that 1) claimant failed to prosecute the claim, or 2) the claim is denied, or 3) the treatment is not causally related to the work injury, or 4) a Section 32 agreement relieving the carrier of liability for medical treatment is approved.



# Employee Claim

State of New York - Workers' Compensation Board

Fill out this form to apply for workers' compensation benefits because of a work injury or work-related illness. Type or print neatly. This form may also be filled out on-line at [www.wcb.ny.gov](http://www.wcb.ny.gov).

WCB Case Number (if you know it): \_\_\_\_\_

## A. YOUR INFORMATION (Employee)

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
First MI Last

3. Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and Street/PO Box/Apartment No. City State Zip Code

4. Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Gender:  M  F  X

7. Will you need a translator if you have to attend a Board hearing?  Yes  No If yes, for what language? \_\_\_\_\_

## B. YOUR EMPLOYER(S)

1. Employer when injured: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Your work address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and Street City State Zip Code

4. Date you were hired: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 5. Your supervisor's name: \_\_\_\_\_

6. List names/addresses of any other employer(s) at the time of your injury/illness: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. Did you lose time from work at the other employment(s) as a result of your injury/illness?  Yes  No

## C. YOUR JOB on the date of the injury or illness

1. What was your job title or description? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What types of activities did you normally perform at work? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Was your job? (check one)  Full Time  Part Time  Seasonal  Volunteer  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

4. What was your gross pay (before taxes) per pay period? \_\_\_\_\_ 5. How often were you paid? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Did you receive lodging or tips in addition to your pay?  Yes  No If yes, describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## D. YOUR INJURY OR ILLNESS

1. Date of injury or date of onset of illness: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 2. Time of injury: \_\_\_\_\_  AM  PM

3. Where did the injury/illness happen? (e.g., 1 Main Street, Pottersville, at the front door) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Was this your usual work location?  Yes  No If no, why were you at this location? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. What were you doing when you were injured or became ill? (e.g., unloading a truck, typing a report) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. How did the injury/illness happen? (e.g., I tripped over a pipe and fell on the floor) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. Explain fully the nature of your injury/illness; list body parts affected (e.g., twisted left ankle and cut to forehead): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
First MI Last

DATE OF INJURY/ILLNESS: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**D. YOUR INJURY OR ILLNESS** *continued*

8. Was an object (e.g., forklift, hammer, acid) involved in the injury/illness?  Yes  No If yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Was the injury the result of the use or operation of a licensed motor vehicle?  Yes  No  
If yes,  your vehicle  employer's vehicle  other vehicle License plate number (if known): \_\_\_\_\_  
If your vehicle was involved, give name and address of your motor vehicle insurance carrier: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Have you given your employer (or supervisor) notice of injury/illness?  Yes  No  
If yes, notice was given to: \_\_\_\_\_  orally  in writing Date notice given: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
11. Did anyone see your injury happen?  Yes  No  Unknown If yes, list names: \_\_\_\_\_

**E. RETURN TO WORK**

1. Did you stop work because of your injury/illness?  Yes, on what date? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  No, skip to Section F.
2. Have you returned to work?  Yes  No If yes, on what date? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  regular duty  limited duty
3. If you have returned to work, who are you working for now?  Same employer  New employer  Self employed
4. What is your gross pay (before taxes) per pay period? \_\_\_\_\_ How often are you paid? \_\_\_\_\_

**F. MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR THIS INJURY OR ILLNESS**

1. What was the date of your first treatment? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  None received (skip to question F-5)
2. Were you treated on site?  Yes  No
3. Where did you receive your first off site medical treatment for your injury/illness?  none received  Emergency Room  
 Doctor's office  Clinic/Hospital/Urgent Care  Hospital Stay over 24 hours  
Name and address where you were first treated: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
4. Are you still being treated for this injury/illness?  Yes  No  
Give the name and address of the doctor(s) treating you for this injury/illness: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
5. Have you had another injury to the same body part, or a similar illness?  Yes  No  
If yes, were you treated by a doctor?  Yes  No If yes, provide the names and addresses of the doctor(s) who treated you and **COMPLETE AND FILE FORM C-3.3 TOGETHER WITH THIS FORM:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Was the previous injury/illness work related?  Yes  No  
If yes, were you working for the same employer that you work for now?  Yes  No

**I am hereby making a claim for benefits under the Workers' Compensation Law. My signature affirms that the information I am providing is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.**

**Any person who knowingly and with INTENT TO DEFRAUD presents, causes to be presented, or prepares with knowledge or belief that it will be presented to, or by an insurer, or self-insurer, any information containing any FALSE MATERIAL STATEMENT or conceals any material fact, SHALL BE GUILTY OF A CRIME and subject to substantial FINES AND IMPRISONMENT.**

Employee's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

On behalf of Employee: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

*An individual may sign on behalf of the employee only if they are legally authorized to do so and the employee is a minor, mentally incompetent or incapacitated.*

I certify to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, formed after an inquiry reasonable under the circumstances, that the allegations and other factual matters asserted above have evidentiary support, or are likely to have evidentiary support after a reasonable opportunity for further investigations or discovery.

Signature of Attorney/Representative (if any): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

ID No., if any: R \_\_\_\_\_ If Licensed Representative, License No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



## Instructions for Completing Employee Claim (Form C-3)

Please complete this form and send it to the Workers' Compensation Board centralized mailing address listed at the end of these instructions. If you need additional help completing this form, contact the Workers' Compensation Board at 1-877-632-4996. You may also fill this form out online at [wcb.ny.gov](http://wcb.ny.gov). If you do not have or know your Workers' Compensation Board Case Number, please leave this field blank. It is not required to process your claim. Remember to enter your name and the date of your injury/illness on the top of page two.

### Section A - Your Information (Employee):

In Section A, enter your name, address and other requested information.

**Note on Item 7:** Board hearings are conducted in English. If you need a translator, select **Yes** and indicate the language needed.

#### Notification Pursuant to the New York Personal Privacy Protection Law (Public Officers Law Article 6-A) and the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. § 552a).

The Workers' Compensation Board's (Board's) authority to request that claimants provide personal information, including their social security number, is derived from the Board's investigatory authority under Workers' Compensation Law (WCL) § 20, and its administrative authority under WCL § 142. This information is collected to assist the Board in investigating and administering claims in the most expedient manner possible and to help it maintain accurate claim records. Providing your social security number to the Board is voluntary. There is no penalty for failure to provide your social security number on this form; it will not result in a denial of your claim or a reduction in benefits. The Board will protect the confidentiality of all personal information in its possession, disclosing it only in furtherance of its official duties and in accordance with applicable state and federal law.

### Section B - Your Employer(s):

In Section B, enter the name, address, phone number and other information of the employer you were working for at the time of the injury/illness.

**Note:** Your employer is the company or agency that issues your paycheck. If you are a contractor at a work site or office, the staffing agency or vendor who hired you is your employer, not the work site or office where you report to work.

### Section C - Your Job on the Date of the Injury or Illness:

In Section C, enter your job title, work activities and pay information.

### Section D - Your Injury or Illness:

In Section D, enter your injury or illness information.

**Item 1:** Enter the date you were injured or the first date you noticed you became ill.

If this is an illness or occupational disease, skip item 2. The date you were injured must be in month/day/year format. The year should be written as four digits, e.g., 2015.

**Item 2:** Enter the time when the injury occurred. Check whether it was AM or PM.

**Item 3:** Indicate the location where the injury/illness occurred, including the address of the building and the physical location in the building where the injury/illness happened.

**Item 4:** Check whether this was your normal work location. If it was not, explain why you were at this location.

**Item 5:** Describe in detail what you were doing at the time of the injury/illness (e.g., unloading boxes from a truck by hand).

This explains the events leading up to the injury.

**Item 6:** Describe in detail how the injury/illness occurred (e.g., I was lifting a heavy box off a truck). This should include all people and events involved in the injury/illness.

**Item 7:** Indicate fully the nature and extent of your injury/illness, including all body parts injured. Be as specific as possible (e.g., I strained my back trying to lift a heavy box. It hurts to bend over or hold even lighter objects now).

**Item 8:** Indicate if some object was involved in the accident **other than** a licensed motor vehicle. Other objects may include a tool (e.g., hammer), a chemical (e.g., acid), machinery (e.g., forklift or drill press), etc.

**Item 9:** Indicate if a licensed motor vehicle was involved in the accident. If so, check if the motor vehicle involved was yours, your employer's, or a third party's. Include the license plate number (if known). If your vehicle was involved, fill out the name and address of your automobile liability insurance carrier.

**Item 10:** Check if you gave your employer or supervisor notice of your injury or illness. If so, indicate who you gave notice to as well as if it was orally or in writing. Include the date you gave notice.

**Item 11:** Check if anyone else saw the injury happen. If anyone did see it, include their name(s).

### Section E - Return to Work:

**Item 1:** If you stopped working as a result of your work-related injury/illness, check Yes and indicate the date you stopped working. If you have not stopped working, check No and skip to the next section.

**Item 2:** If you have since returned to work, check Yes. Also indicate on what date you started working again, as well as if you have returned to your Normal Duties or if you are on Limited or Restricted Duty. (If you have not returned to your full pre-injury or illness work duties, then you are on Limited Duty.)

**Item 3:** If you have returned to work, indicate who you are working for now.

**Item 4:** Enter your gross pay (before tax pay) per pay period for the job you are working at now. Indicate how often you are receiving a paycheck (weekly, bi-weekly, etc.).

**Section F - Medical Treatment for This Injury or Illness:**

**Item 1:** If you did not receive medical treatment for this injury/illness, check None Received and skip to item 5. Otherwise, enter the date you first received treatment for this injury/illness and complete the rest of this section.

**Item 2:** Check if you were first treated on the job for this injury or illness.

**Item 3:** Check the location where you first received off site medical treatment for your injury or illness. Include the name and address of the facility as well as the phone number (including area code).

**Item 4:** If you are still receiving ongoing treatment for the same injury or illness, check Yes and indicate the name and address of the doctor(s) providing treatment as well as the phone number (including area code); otherwise, check No.

**Item 5:** If you already had an injury to the same body part or a similar illness, check Yes and indicate if you were treated by a doctor for this injury or illness. If you were treated by a doctor, indicate the name(s) and address(es) of the doctor(s) whom provided care and **complete and file Form C-3.3 together with this form.**

**Item 6:** If you had a previous injury or illness, check if your previous injury or illness was work-related. If Yes, check if the injury or illness happened while working for your current employer.

Sign Form C-3 in the place provided for Employee's Signature on page 2, print your name, and enter the date you signed the form. If a third-party is signing on behalf of the employee, that person should sign on the second signature line. If you have legal representation, your representative **must** complete and sign the attorney/representative's certification section on the bottom of page 2.

**What Every Worker Should Do in Case of On-The-Job Injury or Occupational Disease:**

1. Immediately tell your employer or supervisor when, where and how you were injured.
2. Secure medical care immediately.
3. Tell your doctor to file medical reports with the Board and with your employer or its insurance carrier.
4. Make out this claim for compensation and send it to the nearest Workers' Compensation Board Office. (See below.) Failure to file within two years after the date of injury may result in your claim being denied. If you need help in completing this form, telephone or visit the nearest Workers' Compensation Board Office listed below.
5. Go to all hearings when notified to appear.
6. Go back to work as soon as you are able; compensation is never as high as your wage.

**Your Rights:**

1. Generally, you are entitled to be treated by a doctor of your choice, provided they are authorized by the Board. If your employer is involved in a preferred provider organization (PPO) arrangement, you must obtain initial treatment from the preferred provider organization which has been designated to provide health care services for workers' compensation injuries.
2. DO NOT pay your doctor or hospital. Their bills will be paid by the insurance carrier if your case is not disputed. If your case is disputed, the doctor or hospital must wait for payment until the Board decides your case. In the event you fail to prosecute your case or the Board decides against you, you will have to pay the doctor or hospital.
3. You are also entitled to be reimbursed for drugs, crutches, or any apparatus properly prescribed by your doctor and for carfares or other necessary expenses going to and from your doctor's office or the hospital. (Get receipts for such expenses.)
4. You are entitled to compensation if your injury keeps you from work for more than seven days, compels you to work at lower wages, or results in permanent disability to any part of your body.
5. Compensation is payable directly and without waiting for an award, except when the claim is disputed.
6. Injured workers or dependents of deceased workers may represent themselves in matters before the Board or may retain an attorney or licensed representative to represent them. If an attorney or licensed representative is retained, their fee for legal services will be reviewed by the Board and if approved will be paid by the employer or insurance company out of any compensation benefits due. Injured workers or dependents of deceased workers should not directly pay anything to the attorney or licensed representative representing them in a compensation case.
7. If you need help returning to work, or with family or financial problems because of your injury, contact the Workers' Compensation Board office nearest you and ask for a rehabilitation counselor or social worker.

**This form should be filed by sending directly to the address listed below:**

**New York State Workers' Compensation Board  
Centralized Mailing  
PO Box 5205  
Binghamton, NY 13902-5205**

**Customer Service Toll-Free Number: 877-632-4996**

Suburban Chiropractic Associates  
2577 Sheridan Drive  
Tonawanda, NY 14150  
Ph: 716-874-2040 Fax: 716-832-0124

**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF HEALTH INFORMATION PURSUANT TO HIPAA**

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

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

Patient Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I, or my authorized representative, request that health information regarding my care and treatment be released as set forth on this form to Dr. Acquisto and/or Suburban Chiropractic Associates:

Re-evaluation Reports: \_\_\_\_\_

Imaging Reports: \_\_\_\_\_

Test Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Records From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**AUTHORIZATION TO DISCUSS HEALTH INFORMATION:**

\* By initialing here, \_\_\_\_\_, I authorize Dr. Acquisto and/or Suburban Chiropractic Associates  
*Initials*

To discuss my health information with the following checked individuals:

Primary Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Members: \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney: \_\_\_\_\_

Specialists: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of patient or representative authorized by law.*

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*Date*