

Chiropractic Documentation

NOTE: This form is intended to be used as an educational tool and does not guarantee payment or coverage.

IDENTIFICATION

Patient's Name on Each Page

Patient DOB or Unique ID #

Provider Name, Address, and Phone Number

Date of Visit

Signature (Including Credentials) Electronic signature should contain name, credentials, date, and time for authentication

SUBJECTIVE INITIAL EVALUATION OR RE-EVALUATION

Patient's Chief Complaint

Pertinent History/ History of Present Illness

Onset/Aggravating or Relieving Factors/Trauma (including Mechanism of Injury)

Pain Location with Functional Loss and effect on Activities of Daily Living (ADLs)

Frequency/Interval Changes

Quality/Radiation/Severity

Timing/Duration/Intensity

Review of Systems (Pertinent to Complaints)

OBJECTIVE/FINDINGS

Asymmetry/Misalignment (Inspection/Posture)

Palpation (Spasm or Hypertonicity)

Range of Motion

Orthopedic/Neurologic Tests

Indication for X-rays (if applicable) and Imaging Documentation/Report

ASSESSMENT/DIAGNOSIS

Initial or Updated Diagnoses (Diagnoses must be consistent with Subjective and Objective Findings)

PLAN (each visit) TREATMENT, MODALITIES, and PROCEDURES

Modalities – Location/Duration/Intensity

CMT (Segmental Levels)

Recommended Frequency of Visits and Duration of Treatment

Specific Measurable Treatment Goals (baseline functional loss and ADLs)

Objective Measures to Evaluate Treatment Effectiveness

Home Exercise Program/Care Instructions/Counseling

NOTE: BCBSKS considers Maintenance Care not medically reasonable or necessary, NOT payable, and will be denied not medically necessary. Ongoing physical medicine treatment after a condition has stabilized or reached a clinical plateau (maximum medical improvement) does not qualify as medically necessary, and would be considered "maintenance care."

NOTE: Chiropractors must perform all services.

Policy Memo No. 1: http://www.bcbsks.com/CustomService/Providers/Publications/professional/PolicyMemos/pdf/2016/2016_BCBSKS_CAP_PolicyMemo_01.pdf

Chiropractic Guidelines: http://www.bcbsks.com/CustomService/Providers/Publications/professional/manuals/pdf/BPMappB_Chiro.pdf