

ABA FAMILY CHIROPRACTIC HOLISTIC HEALTH CENTER, LLC.

MEDICARE AND MEDICARE REPLACEMENT POLICY BENEFIT EXPLANATION

MEDICARE AND MEDICARE REPLACEMENT POLICIES USUALLY COVER SPINAL MANIPULATION ONLY

Before Medicare or a replacement policy will reimburse you for our charges for spinal manipulation, they require that you receive an examination of the area(s) being treated in order to document the existence of spinal subluxation. Unfortunately, these insurances do not cover the cost of the examination or any x-rays (unless they are taken by a medical facility). If you have supplemental insurance, it will not usually cover these charges, either.

Supplemental insurance usually does not pay any part of a service, product, or device on which Medicare does not first pay a portion. **Medicare does not pay for manipulation or treatment of any body part other than the spine. Medicare also does not cover pillows, supports, or nutritional supplements; therefore, the supplemental policy will not pay for these services either.** (However, in case you are fortunate enough to have one of the few supplemental insurance policies that does cover examinations and chiropractic x-rays, we will bill Medicare for these services so that you can be reimbursed if payment is received from the second insurance.)

We are sorry for any confusion or difficulties the above limitations may cause you, but we have no control over them. The government controls these insurance policies. Thank you for your consideration and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Michael A. Pickens, D.C.

Director

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE STATEMENT.

Patient Signature

Date

Witness Signature

Date