



Welcome to New York Spine and Wellness Center!

Your first visit will be an initial evaluation to discuss treatment options specifically designed for you.

You will not receive a procedure/injection at this visit.

Please print and complete all forms in this packet BEFORE you arrive for your appointment.

All Patients must bring the following **4** items to your appointment:

1. THE COMPLETED NEW PATIENT PAPERWORK
2. YOUR DRIVERS LICENSE OR PHOTO ID
3. YOUR CURRENT INSURANCE CARD(S)
4. COVID-19 VACCINATION CARD
(IF you have been vaccinated)

For questions about your first visit, please call our New Patient coordinator
Monday through Friday
8:00 A.M. — 4:00 P.M.
315-552-6700, OPTION 2

We are committed to providing your pain management care.
Thank you in advance for giving New York Spine and Wellness Center
the opportunity to help you enjoy better health.

We look forward to meeting you!



Today's Date ____/____/____

Please complete and give to receptionist with your insurance cards.

PATIENT INFORMATION							
Patient Name: Last	First	Middle	Birth Date	Sex	Employer Name	Occupation	
			/ /	M/ F/ NB			
Street Address		City	State	Zip	Social Security #	Preferred Phone # ()	
Emergency Contact	Contact's Preferred Phone# ()	Relationship			Patient's Email Address		
Referring Physician	Primary Care Physician	Pharmacy Name		Pharmacy Phone # ()			

PRIMARY INSURANCE INFORMATION				PLEASE GIVE INSURANCE CARD TO THE RECEPTIONIST			
Insurance Carrier	Name of Subscriber	ID # (include prefix or suffix)	Relationship to Subscriber (e.g. spouse)				
Subscriber Date of Birth / /	Subscriber Social Security #	Subscriber's Employer		Insurance Carrier Address			

SECONDARY INSURANCE INFORMATION				PLEASE GIVE INSURANCE CARD TO THE RECEPTIONIST			
Insurance Carrier	Name of Subscriber	ID # (include prefix or suffix)	Relationship to Subscriber (e.g. spouse)				
Subscriber Date of Birth / /	Subscriber Social Security #	Subscriber's Employer		Insurance Carrier Address			

WORKERS COMPENSATION INFORMATION							
If you have more than one active workers' compensation claim please complete the information for each separately below							
Date of Injury / /	Injury (body area covered)	Insurance Carrier Name		Employer			
WCB #	Carrier Case #		Case Worker Name and Phone Number				
Ins. Carrier Address:		City	State	Zip	Apportionment %		
Second Date of Injury / /	Injury (body area covered)	Insurance Carrier Name		Employer			
WCB #	Carrier Case #		Case Worker Name and Phone Number				
Ins. Carrier Address		City	State	Zip	Apportionment %		
NO FAULT INFORMATION							
Date of MVA	Insurance Carrier Name			No Fault Claim #			
Adjuster Name and Number							
Ins. Carrier Address		City	State	Zip			

I authorize release of all medical information necessary to process my medical claims. I also authorize my insurance company to make payment directly to the NY Spine & Wellness Center for services rendered to the above-named patient. I understand that I am fully responsible for all charges incurred for treatment rendered to the above-named patient. Failure to give 24-hour notice of cancellation of an NCS/EMG study or a procedure or no-showing for an NCS/EMG study or a procedure will result in a charge of \$50.00 per occurrence. **This charge cannot be billed to the insurance company. It will be my responsibility.**

Patient/Relative/Guardian*	Print Name	Date/Time
Relationship to Patient		
Interpreter (if required)	Print Name	Date/Time
Witness	Print Name	Date/Time

*The signature of the patient must be obtained unless the patient is a minor unable to give consent or otherwise lacks capacity.

It is your right to refuse to answer the following census. Please complete this brief survey in order to assist in healthcare studies. Thank you.

Ethnicity:	Race:	Language:
<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino	<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian	<input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> French
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic/Latino	<input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Creole
<input type="checkbox"/> Refuse to report	<input type="checkbox"/> More Than 1 Race	<input type="checkbox"/> Other



Attention Medical Records
 5496 East Taft Road, North Syracuse, NY 13212

PERMISSION FOR COMMUNICATION

Patient Information (Please Print)

Name: Last First Middle Date of Birth

Address: Street Address City State Zip Code

I permit New York Spine and Wellness Center, their physicians, nurses and other personnel to discuss my health information, in person or by telephone, or via electronic communication with the following family members or friends; (List family members /friends and state the relationship to the patient).

Medical Information

Name	Phone Number	Relationship
1.		
2.		
3.		

Behavioral Health Information

Name	Phone Number	Relationship
1.		
2.		
3.		

Release of information under this document is limited to verbal discussions, and electronic communication. This document does not permit release of records.

This authorization is limited to the following time frame from _____ (date) to _____ (date). If no dates are indicated, this form will remain in effect for an unlimited amount of time or until it is revoked in writing.

If, at any time I do not want communication of any form to be permitted between NYSWC and any individuals named above, I must notify NYSWC by contacting my provider.

 Signature of Individual

 Date

If this Authorization is to be signed by a Personal Representative of the Individual, please complete the following:

 Signature of Personal Representative

 Printed Name of Personal Representative Date

Description of authority: _____
 (A personal representative must provide legal proof of representation, e.g., guardian, health care proxy, Power of attorney)

PATIENT PAYMENT POLICY



Thank you for choosing the New York Spine and Wellness Center. We are committed to providing the best possible medical care. The following information is provided to avoid any confusion regarding payment for professional medical services.

We will do our best to be knowledgeable about all of the many different insurance plans, however, it is the patient's responsibility to know their insurance and what may or may not be covered. Please sign below that you have read and agree to this Policy.

- All co-pays to are to be paid at check-in, the day of your visit. **We do not waive co-pays.** We accept cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express.
- All fees are based on the type of service provided for your care & related services. The fees are competitive for this region.
- If the patient is a minor (18 years and younger), the parent or guardian is responsible for payment of the account, in accordance with the policies outlined in this document.
- In the event you have a past due balance, we will work with you to remedy the situation; you may experience an interruption in your care until the matter is settled.
- If your account is more than 180 days overdue, it will be referred to a collection agency. This is a last resort and done reluctantly after we have exhausted efforts for voluntary payment. You will be responsible for all reasonable collection costs incurred by our practice.
- If you have, or will be receiving a workers comp settlement, or a "Section 32", related to the same injuries we treat you for, you will be held solely responsible for the bills, **not your private insurance company.** You will be expected to pay the day of your visit.
- **We do not participate with No-Fault.** As a courtesy, we will bill your NF carrier if you agree to sign the Authorization to Pay Form. In the event your carrier payment is delayed or denied for any reason, **YOU will be held solely responsible for all bills.**
- **Claims denied by your NF carrier due to your non-compliance with your NF carrier, will not be billed to your private insurance. This includes, but is not limited to Medicaid or a Managed Medicaid Product.** You immediately become responsible for all outstanding charges.
- If a service provided to you, is denied by your insurance carrier for any of the following reasons, but not limited to: non-covered service, experimental, investigational or not medically necessary, you will be responsible for the payment of the service. **Please verify coverage of services with your insurance carrier.**
- An estimated cost for the service is available upon request.
- Do not make any notations or changes to this document, if you do, we will not be able to treat you.

Acknowledgement and Authorization

I have read, understand, and agree to all of the above. I understand that charges not covered by my insurance company, **as well as co-payments and deductibles, are my responsibility.**

I authorize my insurance benefits to be paid directly to New York Spine and Wellness Center. I authorize New York Spine and Wellness Center to release any medical or other information to my insurance company when requested.

Signature of Patient/Relative/Guardian*

Patient DOB

Print Name of Patient

Relationship to Patient

Print name of Relative/Guardian*

Interpreter (if required)

Today's Date

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Name _____ DOB _____ Date _____

PATIENT HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE-9 (PHQ-9)

Over the **last 2 weeks**, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?
(Use "✓" to indicate your answer)

	Not at all	Several days	More than half the days	Nearly every day
1. Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3
2. Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3
3. Trouble falling or staying asleep, or sleeping too much	0	1	2	3
4. Feeling tired or having little energy	0	1	2	3
5. Poor appetite or overeating	0	1	2	3
6. Feeling bad about yourself — or that you are a failure or have let yourself or your family down	0	1	2	3
7. Trouble concentrating on things, such as reading the newspaper or watching television	0	1	2	3
8. Moving or speaking so slowly that other people could have noticed? Or the opposite — being so fidgety or restless that you have been moving around a lot more than usual	0	1	2	3
9. Thoughts that you would be better off dead or of hurting yourself in some way	0	1	2	3

FOR OFFICE CODING 0 + _____ + _____ + _____
=Total Score: _____

If you checked off **any** problems, how **difficult** have these problems made it for you to do your work, take care of things at home, or get along with other people?

Not difficult at all	Somewhat difficult	Very difficult	Extremely difficult
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Today's Date _____

Name _____ DOB _____

Dear Patient, we are requiring all of our patients to complete this questionnaire in the event you are on or going to be considered for opioid therapy.

Mark each box with a Yes or No	YES	NO
Family history of substance abuse		
Alcohol		
Illegal drugs		
Rx drugs		
Personal history of substance abuse		
Alcohol		
Illegal drugs		
Rx drugs		
Age between 16-45 years		
Psychological disease		
ADD, OCD, bipolar, schizophrenia		
Depression		

I, the patient named above, have reviewed and completed the above form.

Initial _____

Initial Visit Questionnaire

All questions should be answered by patient.

Pt. Name: _____ Age: _____ DOB _____ Todays Date: _____

If you have a diagnosis of Alzheimer's or Dementia the following are required:

- You must always be accompanied by your Personal Representative, named on the Health Care Directive, at every office or procedure appointment.
- Health Care Directive document must be presented to New York Spine and Wellness Center at patients' initial visit.
- If you present with a diagnosis of Alzheimer's or Dementia without your Personal Representative and without the Health Care Directive document you will need to be rescheduled.

Have you ever been a patient at our practice under another name or gender? Y N

(If yes, clearly print name and gender) _____

Birth Sex: M / F

I identify as:

Preferred pronouns:

Male

Female

Female-to Male/Transgender Male

Male-to Female/Transgender Female

Genderqueer

Other

Decline

Intersex

Do you have any of the following Health Directives? Health-Care Proxy Durable Power of Attorney Medical or Dual Legal Guardian

How long have you had this pain? _____ Can onset of pain be traced to a specific event/injury such as car accident or work accident?

Please Specify: _____

Describe your pain? Check all that apply: Numbness Pins and needles Burning Aching Stabbing Sharp Dull

Constant Comes and goes away Other: _____

Place an X on the scale that best indicates the severity of your pain.

Today: No Pain ----- Worst Possible Pain
 Good Day: No Pain ----- Worst Possible Pain
 Bad Day: No Pain ----- Worst Possible Pain
 What pain can I live with: No Pain ----- Worst Possible Pain

What helps decrease your pain (position, exercise, medications, etc.)?

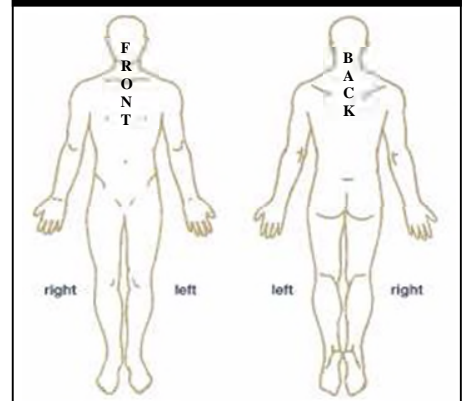
What are you unable to do now because of your pain that you were able to do before? Does anything worsen your pain (position, exercise, medications, etc.)

Any rashes/blisters over painful area? Y N Does your pain keep you awake at night? Y N

Check all you have tried and indicate if it was helpful or not.

- | | | | |
|--|------------------|--|------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Surgery | Did it help? Y N | <input type="checkbox"/> Hypnosis | Did it help? Y N |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biofeedback | Did it help? Y N | <input type="checkbox"/> Acupuncture | Did it help? Y N |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TENS Unit | Did it help? Y N | <input type="checkbox"/> Chiropractor | Did it help? Y N |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nerve Blocks | Did it help? Y N | <input type="checkbox"/> Massage Therapy | Did it help? Y N |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral Health | Did it help? Y N | | |

SHOW US WHERE IT HURTS



Please mark the painful body areas on the drawing above.

Do you use any assisted devices? Y N Check all that apply:

- Cane Wheelchair Brace Crutch Prosthetic Device Other _____

Have you participated in Physical Therapy (PT)? Y N At what PT office did you do your physical therapy? _____

Please list start and end dates you completed your PT: _____

Completed greater than 4 weeks of PT. Completed less than 4 weeks of PT.

List all medications and dosage: (include over the counter pain relievers/vitamins/supplements)

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Are you taking a blood thinner medication (i.e. Coumadin, Plavix etc.)? Y N Do you take aspirin/aspirin containing products? Y N

Are you taking a biologic medication (i.e. Humira, Enbrel etc.)? Y N Do you use Medical Cannabis? Y N

Have you ever seen a Hematologist (blood doctor) for blood issues such as clotting or bleeding? Yes No

If yes, explain _____

Quite often our office will need to contact one or more of your specialty physician's for copies of medical records, diagnostic test results, medication and/or surgical clearances. Please provide the names and office contact number for any of the following specialty physicians that you see.

	Physician Name	Telephone Number
Referring Physician	_____	_____
Primary Care Physician	_____	_____
Gastrologist	_____	_____
Hematologist	_____	_____
Cardiologist	_____	_____
Rheumatologist	_____	_____
Oncologist	_____	_____
Dermatologist	_____	_____
Neurologist	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____

Do you have any medication allergies? Yes No Please list medication names and reactions from those medications:

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Are you allergic to:

Latex Yes No Reaction _____ Adhesive Tape Yes No Reaction _____ IVP Dye Yes No Reaction _____

Do you have or ever had any of the following diseases or conditions?

- | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------|
| Y N Heart Attack/Stroke | Y N Heart Surgery | Y N Heart Murmur | Y N Pacemaker/ICD |
| Y N Alcohol/Drug Abuse | Y N Diabetes (mellitus) | Y N Artificial Valves | Y N GERD |
| Y N HIV+/Aids | Y N Diabetes (insipidus) | Y N Hepatitis | Y N Thyroid Conditions |
| Y N Frequent Neck Pain | Y N Shingles aka (herpes zoster) | Y N Cancer aka (malignant neoplasm) | Y N Liver Conditions |
| Y N High/Low Blood Pressure | Y N Emphysema | Y N Anemia | Y N Kidney Conditions |
| Y N Severe/Frequent Headaches | Y N Glaucoma | Y N Arthritis | Y N Chemotherapy |
| Y N Fainting/Seizures/Epilepsy | Y N Psychiatric Problems | Y N Ulcers | Y N MRSA |
| Y N Asthma | Y N Kidney Problems | Y N Artificial Bones/Joints | Y N Tuberculosis |
| Y N Alzheimer/Dementia | | | |

Any other diseases or conditions:

Is there a chance that you are pregnant? Yes No

Please list any surgeries and approximate dates:

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Do you have any of the following implanted items or devices?

- Pacemaker ICD Spinal Cord Stimulator Heart/Cardiac Stents Glucose Monitor Sleep Apnea Monitor

Is there a history in your family of any of the following?

- High Blood Pressure **Y N** What is the family relation: _____
Heart Disease **Y N** What is the family relation: _____
Diabetes **Y N** What is the family relation: _____
Arthritis **Y N** What is the family relation: _____
Cancer (malignant neoplasm) **Y N** **Type of Cancer:** _____ What is the family relation: _____

Do you use alcohol regularly: Yes No Specify quantity and how often: _____

Do you use tobacco regularly: Yes No Specify quantity and how often: _____

Is there a history or current use of illegal substances? (Cocaine, narcotics, amphetamines, etc.) Yes No

If yes what? _____ How often/when? _____

Do you use recreational Marijuana? Yes No How often/when? _____

Are you currently working? Yes NO Retired Current or Previous Occupation _____

Are you unable to work because of your pain? Yes No

Do you currently hold an active CDL (Commercial Driver's License)? Yes NO

Are you currently, or have you previously, been involved in lawsuit regarding your pain? Yes No

Have you seen a psychiatrist for your pain? Yes No

Have you attempted suicide? Yes No

By signing below, I certify that the answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Patient/Relative/Guardian Signature*

Print Name

Date

Relationship to Patient

Interpreter Signature (if required)

Print Name

Date

Witness Signature

Print Name

Date

**The signature of the patient must be obtained unless the patient is a minor unable to give consent or otherwise lacks capacity, please obtain proof of guardianship/POA*