

## Welcome to Body & Brain Centre!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Tick:  I would like to receive newsletters with special offers, health tips and more.

Emergency Contact - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ R'ship: \_\_\_\_\_

Children Names & Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

**Congrats on your bubba!!** How old is your baby? \_\_\_\_\_ Baby's name \_\_\_\_\_

How many times have you been pregnant? \_\_\_\_\_ How many child do you have? \_\_\_\_\_

How old are any other children? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you breastfeeding?  Yes  No  Previously

Who can we thank for referring you? \_\_\_\_\_ PS they will get a thank-you voucher

If online, what search words were used? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had chiropractic care previously? Yes / No Last Treatment: \_\_\_\_\_

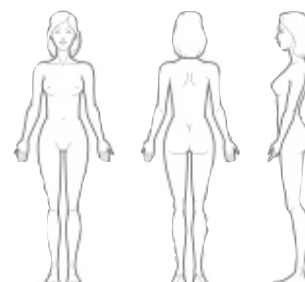
Name of Previous Chiropractor: \_\_\_\_\_

Techniques your chiropractor used? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your present condition/s, how it started & mark on the diagram (if relevant):

Condition 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Condition 2: \_\_\_\_\_



	When Did it Start? Date or days, months, years	How Often do you Feel it? 0% = never, 100% = always	How Long Does it Last?	Progress: Getting worse? Constant? Improving?	When is it worst? Waking up, night time, after sitting	Pain 0 = no pain, 10 = worst pain
Condition 1						Average: ____ Worst: ____/10 Best: ____/10
Condition 2						Average: ____ Worst: ____/10 Best: ____/10

	Improves with ... Medication, ice, heat, movement, rest, nothing	Worse with ... Coughing, sneezing, bending, sitting, inactivity, left rotation, etc
Condition 1		
Condition 2		

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Myotherapy  
Remedial Massage

**Brain**  
Biofeedback  
Neuro-Rehab  
Brain Scans

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Naturopathy

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### General Wellbeing

How do you rate your general wellbeing \_\_\_/10 Why? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever smoked?  Current  Past  Never How long? \_\_\_\_\_ How many daily? \_\_\_\_\_

Typical exercise routine: \_\_\_\_\_

Apart from disrupted sleep from your baby, do you have any sleep issues? \_\_\_\_\_

Mood \_\_\_/10 Why? \_\_\_\_\_

### Preconception Care

Did you use any assistance to fall pregnant? \_\_\_\_\_

How were you looking after yourself during the preconception time? \_\_\_\_\_

### Pregnancy Health

Did you experience any discomfort including nausea, heartburn, pain or other? \_\_\_\_\_

Were there any worries or complications? \_\_\_\_\_

How many scans did you have & when? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you give birth? \_\_\_\_\_

Who was part of your birth & pregnancy support?  GP  OB  Midwife  Doula

### Previous Pregnancies

Have there been any difficulties with previous pregnancies? \_\_\_\_\_

### Birth

How long was the labour? From first contraction until birth \_\_\_\_\_ Push time? \_\_\_\_\_

How Many Weeks? \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

How was your Child Delivered?  Vaginal  Caesarian (planned)  Caesarean (emergency)

How did your Child Present?  Crown / Top of Head First  Face First  Breach  Other (detail)

Were any Interventions Used?  Epidural  Induction  Forceps  Suction  Other (detail)

Did you Have any Tears or Stitches, including where & degree? \_\_\_\_\_

Details: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you believe the birth process was traumatic? \_\_\_\_\_

### Postpartum

How is your child fed?  Breastfed  Formula  Expressed breastmilk

Have you had any issues breastfeeding? If so, please describe. \_\_\_\_\_

How do you feel your body is recovery? \_\_\_\_\_

### Health History

Please list any medication (including supplements, contraception & recreational drugs):

Please list any physical trauma: includes broken bones, hits to the head, vehicle accidents, falls, surgeries

Trauma: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Trauma: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you suffered any major or recurring conditions? eg: stroke, heart, hormones, gut, psychological:

Allergies / Sensitivities: \_\_\_\_\_

Has someone in your Family suffered any major or recurring conditions? Please indicate relationship to you for each condition in your family history.

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## Informed Consent to Chiropractic Care

Postpartum Chiropractic is adapted as your body changes. Different techniques may be used at different times of your recovery and options will always be given for your comfort.

### Some techniques that may be used might include:

1. Physical Examination
2. Chiropractic adjustments (manipulations) of the spine or extremities (arms & legs)
3. Low force joint mobilisations
4. Massage and soft tissue techniques
5. Rehabilitation or home exercises
6. Taping
7. Electrical Stimulation
8. Laser
9. Supplements and / or dietary advice

After treatment, some people pull up with some tenderness, tiredness or headache. This tends to occur in a third of people and lasts 1-2 days. Some people experience stiffness, dizziness or nausea. If manual adjustments are used, there's a very small chance of fractures to weakened bones (eg: osteoporosis), cervical myelopathy (spinal cord being pinched in the neck), strain / sprain injuries, disc injuries in the neck (1 in 139 000) or lower back (1 in 62 000).

In extremely rare circumstances, manipulations of the neck may damage a blood vessel and give risk to stroke or stroke-like symptoms (1 in 518 886 - 2.15 million). Other research shows that there is no link and that this is by chance.

### **PLEASE DO NOT SIGN UNTIL YOU HAVE SPOKEN TO YOUR CHIROPRACTOR.**

I have read the above and acknowledge I am aware of and understand the potential risks. I do not expect the chiropractor to be able to anticipate or explain all the risks and complications. I wish to rely on the chiropractor to exercise her/his judgement during the course of the procedures which she/he feels, at the time, based upon the facts known, is in my best interests.

I have had the opportunity to discuss with the chiropractor and ask questions about the nature and purpose of the examination and treatment and all of my concerns. I understand that results are not guaranteed.

Please Tick

- The information provided is accurate and fully inclusive to the best of my knowledge. I understand the advice and treatment plan is made on the information that I provide. I will update my practitioner on any medical conditions or health concerns as they arise.
- I hereby request and consent to chiropractic examination and management. I understand that I can withdraw my consent at any time.
- I consent to information being sent to third parties when I have authorised it (eg: private health insurance)
- I understand I must provide 24 hours notice if I'm unable to attend my scheduled appointment to avoid paying a 50% cancellation fee. If I fail to provide notice that I cannot attend my appointment, I will be liable for 100% of the consultation fees. I also understand that all fees are payable on the day of consultation.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CHIROPRACTOR'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

Questions to Ask: \_\_\_\_\_  
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