

## **OFFICE POLICIES & FINANCIAL AGREEMENT**

Dear New Patient,

Welcome to our clinic. We, the healthcare providers at Whole Family Wellness Center, look forward to addressing all of your health needs. We encourage your questions and participation in all aspects of your health care.

Please read and initial the following:

Office hours & Appointments:	
 Initials	The office is open Monday through Friday, by appointment only.
Initials	Payment for all services and dispensary items is due at the time of the visit.
Initials	You will be charged a Missed Appointment fee of \$50.00 for any missed appointments or late cancellations (less then 24 hours notice).
	I give permission for the staff at WFWC to contact me via telephone or email and leave a message that may contain appointment or medical information if I am not available.
Initials	Unless a specific payment plan has been agreed upon and put into writing, we reserve the right to charge interest on any outstanding balance on the account. After 2 months, a 5% compounded interest will accrue, after 6 months, 8% compounded interest will accrue.
	Health Insurance & Acupuncture Services (please read carefully):
Initials	For acupuncture and traditional Chinese medicine services we will directly bill your insurance company for payment only after your insurance coverage has been verified. If your insurance benefits have not been verified at the time of your first visit, you are required to pay for your office visit in full at the time services are rendered. Amy Chitwood, LAc and/or Kendra Ward, LAc. are not preferred or in-network providers for any insurance plans, which means that you remain responsible for full payment of all fees, should your insurance company deny part of or all of your claims. You will be billed and are expected to pay any outstanding balance. Your insurance policy is a contract between you and your insurance company and we cannot guarantee payment of your claims.
Initials	All patients with health insurance coverage of acupuncture services, should note that the following items are not covered by most health insurance plans and you will be directly responsible for payment of these services or products:  • Late cancellation fees • Telephone consultations • Chinese herbal medicine • Flower essences
	I have read and understand the above-stated office policies of Amy Chitwood, L.Ac. and/or Kendra Ward, LAc. (at Whole Family Wellness Center, LLC) and will comply with them in all respects.
Your Signatur	re (parent or guardian if minor)
Print your nar	me (parent or guardian if minor & patient name)  Date