



# dr. kurt's place

functional chiropractic & lifestyle medicine

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## What to Expect

It is important to carefully read and watch all the information that was sent to you. All medical information must be completed before receiving an appointment.

Our primary goal is to help you get well.

We also understand that outlining what you can expect will decrease some of the initial apprehension and get you on the road to improved health much faster.

Remember that the most important part of any medical work-up is a **thorough and detailed history**. We have carefully developed a medical questionnaire that will allow us to obtain the most comprehensive and detailed history possible.

Like a good CSI agent, uncovering the underlying factors that have caused or are causing your present health problem(s) is essential for getting well. That will all start with our medical questionnaire.

## Medical Records

Medical records can only be released with your authorization. A medical records release form is enclosed for your use. You are responsible for obtaining previous medical records from other physicians or health care providers. Please contact your physician or other health care provider to obtain these records. Your records should be mailed to:

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**Colorado Springs, CO 80907**

## First Consultation

Once we have your completed medical questionnaire and have all your medical records, you will be scheduled for a 60 minute consultation with Dr. Kurt.

The cost for your first consultation is **\$175.00**.

Remember, the cost of your first visit not only includes your 60 minutes with Dr. Kurt, **but more importantly covers the time it will take for the doctor to thoroughly study your medical records prior to your appointment.**

On your first visit with Dr. Kurt, he will have completed his review of your medical questionnaire and reviewed medical records from your physicians. This will commonly provide significant information for him to determine what to do next to help you get well.

You will receive a detailed report from Dr. Kurt summarizing his findings and letting you know the possible underlying causes/reasons for your health challenge.

Our main objective is to carefully identify what has possibility been missed by other physicians and to give you some logical direction to help turn your health around.

The next step may require further testing consisting of **physical examination, off site lab testing, in-house nutritional testing, neurological efficiency testing and possibly other medical diagnostic testing.**

Depending on the amount of testing that has to be analyzed, this often takes Dr. Kurt 2-3 hours to go through everything to create a personalized plan for you. Fees for the analysis of labs and recommendations will be discussed after your first consultation, but will range between **\$150-\$250**, depending on what has been ordered to assess your condition.

Once Dr. Kurt has the results of the above testing, he will comb through the results, writing a report that will initially be emailed to you for your review, which explains the test results and outlines a plan of action. We encourage you to mark up this document with questions and need for clarification to guide the follow up visit.

## **Confirmation and Cancellation of Appointments**

Due to the overwhelming requests for new patient consultations, there is a 3-day cancellation policy, and your appointment must be confirmed at least 3 days prior to your scheduled consultation. You may cancel your appointment by calling our office. If calling after hours, please leave a message.

## **Insurance Information**

We are not contracted with any insurance or Medicare and we cannot assure you that services (office visits, phone consultations or lab tests) will be reimbursed. You may be provided (upon request) with diagnosis and procedure codes to assist you with possible insurance reimbursement. Some of the labs we utilize do accept insurance but not all types. We can check for you. Regardless if you have insurance or not, we offer our cost of lab fees plus a 3% markup to cover credit card processing fees if paying through the office. Some labs will accept direct payment.

## **Getting Results**

We are not your traditional doctor experience. The traditional model of healthcare is a fee for service format. This works fine in emergency situations where you have a one time immediate need. We are creating an action plan for you to regain your health. This is a process and therefore our plans to get you well are structured like an all-inclusive program.

The overwhelming majority of programs are initially set up for 120 days. If you're not willing to commit to your health for 4 months, your results will be severely limited or we not accept your case.

Results are based on 4 P's: Predictive, Preventative, Personalized, and Participatory. The final P (participation) is the secret to the sauce. We can test, analyze, and guide your action steps but you need to do them in order to get results.

## Payment Options

Our office accepts:

- Check/Cash
- Debit and All Major Credit Cards
- No Interest Financing Available via CareCredit Health Card



CareCredit is a credit card exclusive for healthcare services. With CareCredit, you can get a No Interest\* payment plan if paid in full within 12 month on purchases with your CareCredit card.

\*\* The majority of our patients use our in-house health credit service (CareCredit) because it does not tie up personal and/or business credit cards

You can apply online at <http://www.carecredit.com>

Payment for your consultation is due on the day of service.

Please sign and date below acknowledging that you have read and understand what is expected.

**Please fax, email, or drop off your signed copy to the above listed address.**

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Name

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Date

