## Welcome to Affinity Acupuncture and Rolfing/ Dr. Connie Christie, DAOM, LAc & Associates Please note that all information is strictly confidential.

First Name:	Today's Date:					
Last Name:	Pronouns:					
Date of Birth:	Age:					
Single	Married	Life Partner	Divorced	Widowed		
Address:		City/State/Zip:				
Home Phone:		Work Phone:				
Email Address:		Cell Phone:				
Do you want to g	jet our quarterly	newsletter? Yes	No			
May we correspo	ond with you via	text for scheduling?	Yes No			
All care related	correspondence	e must be done via p	phone call or em	nail.		
Occupation:		Na	me of Company	y:		
In Case of Eme	rgency Contact	3				
Relationship & P	'hone:					
Family Physician	:	Pho	one:			
How did you he	ar about us?					
<u>Insurance Informa</u> out the following:	ntion: If Affinity Ac	cupuncture and Rolfin	g will be billing yo	our insurance, please fill		
Name of Guaranto Guarantor's Date	or (Primary Plan Ho of Birth:	er: older): Group Number				
I hereby authorize services rendered insurance compan necessary to secu submissions.	e assignment of m . I fully understan ny or Medicare. I h re payment of ber	ny insurance rights and I am financially responder the defits. I authorize the defits. I authorize the	d benefits directly consible for any ba loctor to release al use of this signatu	to the provider for alance not paid by my Il information ure on all insurance		
Signature:			Date			

# Reason for Today's Visit: What is the reason for your visit today? How, when and where did this condition begin? What types of treatments have you tried, if any? How does this condition impair your daily activities? What makes it better or worse? Please list your main health problems that you would like to be free of in order of importance: Height:\_\_\_\_\_ Weight:\_\_\_\_ **Your Medical History:** Surgeries, Major Illnesses, Hospitalizations, Falls and Major Accidents (incl. Dates): Any falls/injuries to sacrum/head/tailbone (describe): Any birth trauma that you know of: Family History: Health and major emotional states as a child: List any major health issues in your family (going back to grandparents) Family History of Substance: Abuse Suicide Other Trauma

History of Abuse: check if applicable: physical emotional

sexual

other

Herb/Medication allergies and reaction (if any):					
Do you have, or have	you ever had any of t	the following illnesses?			
AIDS	Allergies	Arthritis	Asthma		
Cancer	Chronic Fatigue	Diabetes	Gall Stones		
Heart Disease	Hepatitis	High Blood Pressure	Herpes		
HIV+	Kidney Stones	Mental Illness	Mononucleosis		
Osteoporosis	Parasites	Rheumatic Fever	Seizures		
Stroke	Thyroid Problems	Ulcers	Venereal Disease		
Other					
Lifestyle:					
How good do you feel yo  Typical					
Breakfast:					
Lunch:					
Dinner:					
Snacks:					
Worst food in your diet?					
Water intake per day? _					
Caffeine(what form & he	ow much)				
Do you use					
Tobacco? Yes No How	much?				
		Hours per week working:			
	e? Yes No Number of ti	mes/ week:			

Sleep:  Do you have trouble falling asleep? Yes No				
Time to bed:Time to rise:				
How many hours of sleep do you get per night?				
Are you rested in the morning? Yes No Do you wake in the night? Yes No				
How is your home environment?				
Describe any stressors occurring at this time:				
What are hobbies/activities that provide you with a sense of pleasure and accomplishment?				
What is your opinion of yourself?				
What is the most negative emotion you experience?				
When and Where?				
<b>Urination:</b> Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:				
Burning Urgent Retention Scanty Profuse Dribbling Greater than 1x a night				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No				
Greater than 1x a night				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency:  Peels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float				
Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:				
Bowel Movements: Frequency:  Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears  Clogged/popping ears Frequent headaches  Body Fluids: Do you perspire abnormally during the day?At night?				
Greater than 1x a night  Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears  Clogged/popping ears Frequent headaches  Body Fluids: Do you perspire abnormally during the day? At night?  Are you always thirsty?  Men Only:  Have you been diagnosed with prostate problems? Yes No				
Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears  Clogged/popping ears Frequent headaches  Body Fluids: Do you perspire abnormally during the day? At night?  Are you always thirsty?				
Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears  Clogged/popping ears Frequent headaches  Body Fluids: Do you perspire abnormally during the day? At night?  Are you always thirsty?  Men Only:  Have you been diagnosed with prostate problems? Yes No  Do you experience premature ejaculation? Yes No  Do you have problems with Impotence? Yes No				
Bowel Movements: Frequency: Feels complete? Yes No Painful? Yes No Consistency (check): Well-formed Hard Loose Alternates  Undigested food Blood Mucus Sink Float  Head: Please check any of the following symptoms you are currently experiencing:  Ear pain Dry mouth Migraines Ringing in ears  Clogged/popping ears Frequent headaches  Body Fluids: Do you perspire abnormally during the day? At night?  Are you always thirsty?				

Women Only:
At what age did you get your first period?
What was that like?
Date of last menstrual cycle?
Are you currently using contraception? Yes No How long have you used
contraception throughout your life?
Dates/Type:
Are you pregnant now? Yes No
How many pregnancies have you had?
No. of deliveries:
Dates:
No. of Terminations:
Dates:
Complications?
No. of Miscarriages:
Dates:
Complications?
Maternal Family History of (please check): Infertility Fibroids Endometriosis
Cancer (type)Menstrual Problems PMS Menopause
Medications your mother took when she was pregnant with you (if any)
Number of days from the start of one period to the start of the next:
Are your menstrual cycles spaced regularly? Yes No
Average number of days of flow: Flow is: Light Normal Heavy
Color is: Pale Normal Dark Bright Red Brown
Are blood clots present? Yes No
Does your period cause you pain or cramping? Yes No
When? Before During After Period
Do you get nausea or vomiting with your period? Yes No
When? Before During After Period
Do you experience any of the following before your period each month?
Water retention Breast tenderness or swelling Mental depression Irritability
Food cravings Migraines Other
Do you ever bleed or spot between periods? Yes No
Do your bowel movements become loose at the beginning of your period? Yes No
Do you have any vaginal discharge between periods? Yes No Color
Do you have/have you ever had?

Yeast infections? Yes No	lo	Chlamydial ir Sores on your		
Uterine fibroids or polyps? Y		Endometrios		No No
Varicose veins? Yes No		Sore heels wh		
Incompetent Cervix? Yes	No	Painful interco	ourse? Ye	s No
Numb legs/feet when standing	still? Yes	No		
Pelvic inflammatory disease?	Yes No			
Difficulty experiencing orgasm?	Yes No			
Were you treated for it?	Yes No			
How				
Date of last pap smear?				
Have you been diagnosed with	pelvic adhesio	ns? Yes	No	
Have you been diagnosed with	any pelvic abr	ormalities?	Yes No	
Have you experienced menop	ause? Yes	No When?		
If you are experiencing menopa	ausal symptoms			
			00000000	
s there anything else that we s	hould know to b	est understand	and help you	1?



### **Administration Forms**

## Please read and sign the following forms included here:

- 1. Welcome Letter
- 2. Informed Consent to Treat
- 3. 24 Hour Cancellation Policy
- 4. HIPPA Receipt of "Notice of Privacy Practices"
- 5. Covid-19 Policy

## **Welcome Letter**

Dear New Patient,

Welcome to **Affinity Acupuncture & Rolfing**. We are honored and delighted that you have chosen us as your healthcare providers. We strive to provide a blend of proven ancient Chinese Medicine practices with cutting edge modern advancements, and are committed to your treatment being successful. We look forward to partnering with you to address your health concerns, and we will do all we can to ensure you achieve the most successful result possible for you.

The doctor-patient relationship requires both cooperation and mutual trust. We will strive to provide you with the best possible medical care, and ask that you participate in this effort to the best of your ability.

This welcome letter was prepared to acquaint you with the clinic policies of **Affinity Acupuncture** & **Rolfing.** Please review our FAQ under resources on our website if you are a new to acupuncture.

#### **Tips for Your Acupuncture Treatments**

- Wear loose fitting clothes that can be easily rolled up above your elbows and knees. Also, you
  may need to expose your abdomen from your rib cage to the top of your hips, so please
  avoid one -piece suits or dresses.
- 2. Be sure you have eaten at least a light meal within a few hours prior to arriving.
- 3. Avoid alcohol on the day of your treatment.
- 4. Drink plenty of water and stay hydrated after your appointment
- 5. For best results, avoid strenuous activity immediately following a treatment. Set aside enough time so that you are not rushing to and from your visit.
- As we follow through on your treatment plan, look for signs of improvement and take
  encouragement from them. Your belief and expectation has a strong influence on your body,
  and is a key factor in healing.



### Please ask questions whenever you do not understand your treatment or medical advice.

**Affinity Acupuncture & Rolfing** practitioners act as a team. Each provider is individually responsible for their own treatment style although we strive to communicate together regarding your care and treatment plan. As a team, we share health information.

**Fragrance Free Zone**: Many of our patients are sensitive to smells. Please avoid wearing any perfume, cologne, or scented lotions to your appointment.

**Cell phones and Electronics**: Out of consideration for others, please completely turn off your mobile devices or put them in silent mode.

**Music/Sound:** There is typically music played during treatment. Please speak softly to not disturb other patients resting.

Always report any problems you have with herbs, nutritional supplements or any treatment. Different people react differently to the same treatment or herbal prescription. It is possible for us to properly manage your care only if you tell us about difficulties you are having, or if formulations are not effective or causing you discomfort.

**Herbal Formulas/Supplement Price Policy.** We may recommend a product to achieve the best outcome for your health and medical needs. We have stock so that you may begin your treatment promptly. We practice fair pricing and will refund the difference, if you find a better priced, retail store product. This does not include online products, but we monitor amazon prices and ours are better.

#### Payment and Insurance and Cancellation Policy

**Payments:** Payment is due at time of service. We take cash, check, Venmo and medical credit cards. For Rolfing, we only accept cash or zelle unless otherwise arranged.

Cancellation/Late Policy: If you cancel with less than 24 hours notice, or if you miss a booked appointment, you will be charged \$95, the full cost of treatment. If you are more than 15 minutes late to an appointment, we may need to reschedule your appointment.

**Non-Refundable Payment Policy:** All services and herbs purchased are non-refundable. No refunds will be provided for the full or partial price for any used products or services

Refund Policy on Pre-Paid Packages: Refunds are accepted for "discount prepayment packages" within the first 30 days only. When refunded you will be charged at full rate for each



treatment you have used and be refunded the remainder.

**Insurance**: We participate in many insurance networks and as a courtesy will verify your benefits. Please understand that ultimately, you are responsible for payment should there be any discrepancies with your insurance company at a later date.

**Parking:** There is NO ON-PREMISE parking. There is plenty of street parking, free and metered taking quarters and credit cards.

Thank you once again for selecting **Affinity Acupuncture & Rolfing** for your care. Should you have any specific questions that have not been answered, please do not hesitate to ask.

Sincerely,

Dr. Connie L. Christie, DAOM, L.Ac. and the entire Affinity Acupuncture Team

Signature of Patient

Date

## **Informed Consent to Treat**

I hereby request and consent to the performance of acupuncture treatments and other procedures within the scope of the practice of acupuncture on me (or on the patient named below, for whom I am legally responsible) by Dr. Connie L. Christie, DAOM, L.Ac. and/or other licensed acupuncturists who now or in the future treat me while employed by, working or associated with or serving as back-up for Dr. Connie L. Christie, DAOM, L.Ac., including those working at Affinity Acupuncture and Rolfing clinic, whether signatories to this form or not.

I understand that methods of treatment may include, but are not limited to acupuncture, moxibustion, cupping, electrical stimulation, Tiu-Na (Chinese massage), muscle testing, Chinese herbal medicine, and nutritional counseling. I understand that the herbs may need to be prepared and the teas consumed according to the instructions provided orally or in writing. The herbs may have an unpleasant smell or taste. I will immediately notify a member of the clinical staff of any unanticipated or unpleasant effects associated with the consumption of the herbs.

I have been informed that acupuncture is a generally safe method of treatment, but that it may have some side effects including bruising, numbness or tingling near the needling site that may



last a few days, and dizziness or fainting. Bruising is a common side effect of cupping. Unusual (rare) risks of acupuncture include spontaneous miscarriage, nerve damage and organ puncture, including lung puncture (pneumothorax). Infection is another possible risk, although the clinic uses sterile, single use, disposal needles and maintains a clean and safe environment. Burns and/or scarring are a rare potential risk of moxibustion and cupping. I understand that this document describes the major risks of treatment, other side effects and risks may occur. The herbs and nutritional supplements (which are from plant, animal and mineral source) that have been recommended are traditionally considered safe in the practice of Chinese medicine, although some may be toxic in larger doses which will not be prescribed. I understand that some herbs may be inappropriate during pregnancy. Some possible side effects of taking herbs are nausea, gas, stomach ache, vomiting, headache, diarrhea, rashes, hives and tingling of the tongue. I will notify Dr. Christie or a clinical staff member who is caring for me if I am pregnant or become pregnant.

I do not expect Dr. Christie or the clinical staff to be able to anticipate all possible risks and complications of treatment, and I wish to rely on Dr. Christie and/or the clinical staff to exercise judgment during the course of treatment which she/them thinks at the time, based upon the facts known, is in my best interest. I understand that results are not guaranteed.

By voluntarily signing below, I show that I have read, or have had read to me, the above consent to treatment, have been told about the risks and benefits of acupuncture and other procedures, and have had an opportunity to ask questions. I intend this consent form to cover the entire course of treatment for my present condition and for any future condition(s) for which I seek treatment. I have stated all medical conditions that I am aware of and will update my practitioner of changes in my health status.

Affinity Acupuncture and Rolfing \Providers: Dr. Connie L. Christie, DAOM, L.Ac. & Associates

Patient Name
Parent or Guardian (if under the age of 18)

Signature of Patient

Date



# **HIPPA** Receipt of "Notice of Privacy Practices"

I have reviewed a copy of the clinic's https://acupuncturemarvista.com/p	Notice of Privacy Practices. (Refer: rivacy-policy/).				
Signature of Patient Date					
Signature (Parent, if patient is minor OK to share information with	) (spouse, translator, etc.)				
24- Hour Cancellation Policy					
quality patient-centered care, we reckeep your scheduled appointment; or	o cancel or change your appointment. In order to maintain quire a 24-hour cancellation notice when you are unable to otherwise you will be charged \$95, full price of a standard see is \$100 (full price). Please note, insurance and third				
I have read and understand the above	e policy.				
Signature	Date				
Covid-19 Policy					
Our Covid-19 policy follows the CDC required to reflect the current guidel	and Los Angeles County guidelines and will be updated as ines.				
Are you vaccinated?	lave you received a booster?				
Vaccine type	Dates of vaccination				
No clients will be treated in the clinic or shortness of breath. I have read and understand the abov	with any viral symptoms such as a fever, cough, e policy.				

Date

Signature