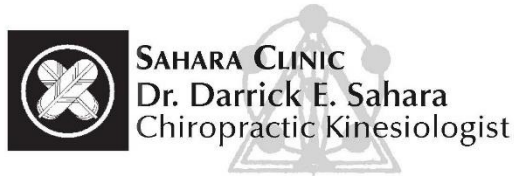


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Insurance Policy How We Handle Insurance

Dr. Sahara is a non-participating provider with insurance companies. Our office has discontinued courtesy billing and we only provide PPO, EOP or Flex plan patients, with a bill that has the procedural and diagnostic codes necessary to submit a claim. The insurance company may or may not reimburse the patient. We do not give this type of bill to patients with HMO or "pre-authorization needed" type insurances (eg. Workman's Compensation) because you will not get reimbursement. Many PPO, EOP and Flex plan insurance companies do not cover the first exam, consultation or supplements, but will often cover a certain number of treatments. It is our policy to provide the patient with as much information and help necessary to receive payment. Please contact your insurance company's customer service for help in filing a claim.

Attention Medicare Patients: The doctor has been allowed to opt out of billing Medicare. We do not provide superbills or letters. Please see a staff member if more information is needed.

Dr. Sahara is not a provider of any insurance because his treatments are according to the patient's needs and not what the insurance companies dictate as the correct treatment. For tax purposes, please save all paid bills and receipts of reimbursements from your insurance company. Consult your accountant for further information about itemizing your medical expenditures and how you should pay for your medical expenses.

***Payment is due when service is rendered.
We only accept cash or credit cards.***