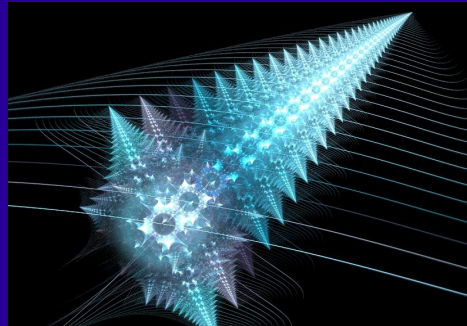


What is Chiropractic Care?



The purpose of chiropractic care is to restore and maintain the proper relationship between the spine and nerve system. The bones of the spine protect nerve pathways that are vital to life. Small misalignments of the vertebrae (bones of the spine) which interfere with these nerve pathways are called **subluxations**. Subluxations have many different causes and may prevent various organs, glands and tissues in the body from functioning properly. Subluxations can be found in both children and adults and are equally harmful to both.

By means of a **chiropractic adjustment**, subluxations are corrected and the proper relationship between the spine and nerve system is restored. The goal of chiropractic care is simply this: To adjust vertebral subluxations for the purpose of allowing proper transmission of nerve energy over the nerve pathways so the body can function with a proper nerve supply at all times.

This allows **innate** (inborn, natural) healing ability of the body to work at maximum efficiency, allowing each of us to express our innate potential for health to the best of the body's ability.

The chiropractor does not offer to heal or even treat disease. The goal of the chiropractor is to remove the interference to the nerve system caused by a vertebral subluxation. The only means is by the chiropractic adjustment. The chiropractor's objective is to remove nerve system interference to allow the body to reach its maximum potential for health.