# **Covid-19 Implementation: New Procedures & Precautions**

## **General Screening**

- Prior to visit, all patients are screened for:
  - Confirmed diagnosis or contact with known/suspected Covid cases (past 14 days)
  - Recent travel to "hot-spot" areas (past 14 days)
  - Covid related Symptoms; including temperature check
    - If temperature is >100.3 you will be advised to receive Covid19 testing
- Consent: All patients must read and sign a Covid19-specific informed consent; this is in addition to our usual informed consent

## Sanitizing/Cleaning

- All rooms have additional portable HEPA filters in-place (air cleaned every 30min)
- Hand sanitizer is available at the front desk and hand washing stations are located in the hallway; Bathrooms are also available for hand washing
- All high touch common-areas (e.g. bathrooms) are sanitized a minimum of 2x/day

### **Telemedicine Evaluations**

- New patient: Initial intake and evaluation will be performed via Telehealth to discuss symptoms & determine treatment plan; If appropriate treatment will be scheduled
- Current Patients with "Allergies" & Other 'conditions' that may mimic Covid19
  - You may be asked to perform a telehealth visit for evaluation prior to treatment

### **Your Treatment Flow**

- Physical Distancing: The entire clinic flow is designed to maintain a minimum of 6' distance between all patients and staff
  - o During Treatment, your practitioner will, at times, be closer than the 6' distance
- Waiting Room: If needed patients will be asked to wait outside/in car until the treatment
  - On most Saturdays, patients (3 max) can use the waiting room
- Wash: Please wash your hands after you enter the clinic; see Sanitizing/Cleaning above
- Masks: Patients, staff and practitioners all must wear a mask
  - Patients must wear a cloth mask to cover the nose and mouth with >1 layer of fabric/material; If needed, the clinic will provide patients a mask
  - Practitioners must wear medical grade mask (i.e. surgical mask or N95) and follow CDC guidance
- Sanitizing: Treatment rooms are disinfected before and after each treatment
- Checking out: Front Desk has implemented policies to maintain 6' distancing between all patients and staff. Please note that you may be asked to wait outside/in car.