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Welcome to my practice!

Personalized Regenerative Medicine is a new specialty that builds on the best of what we already know about health and healing.

Personalized Regenerative Medicine is my term for using the body's own unique healing forces to achieve the healing results for which we are searching. These healing forces include the fuel we give the body (food), the catalytic agents we use (vitamins, minerals), and the recent major advance in which transplantation of one type of cell to another part of the body enhances the natural healing process. I believe this is the thrust of medicine now and will be in the future.

Since this type of therapy is on the leading edge of medicine, most all insurance companies will not pay for our therapies until more doctors become educated with these new methods. Thus, it is important for you to have seen your doctor or doctors and have been accurately diagnosed before seeing me for this new type of medicine since this conserves your money to be used for our therapies. Because of this it is important that you consider me to be a specialist and **do not consider me to be your primary doctor.** Your primary doctor(s) should be able to take your insurance as part or all of their charges. Because I practice with new and different methods, I do *not* belong to any HMOs or other insurance groups since these groups do not approve or pay for these methods.

Sometimes I find that even though you have a primary doctor and specialist(s), they have not done the types of tests I need for your care. Thus I may ask you to do more tests for further evaluation of your condition(s). I would encourage you to take standard test requests back to your doctor(s) to see if they will order these tests as this will save you money. Some tests I order are not done by conventional labs and these tests will require you to pay the various labs individually. Most doctors are not aware of the various concepts and precepts of how I test and practice so I caution my patients in advance that they will usually not get their doctor's approval and support. Each patient must be strong in their own convictions that good health can be achieved naturally.

Additionally, patients often believe that nothing could possibly be added to their care in terms of diagnosis since they have already seen a number of physicians for diagnostic testing - but want to have one or more of the therapies I offer without further testing. If this describes you, I must simply warn you that your condition(s) may not have been diagnosed correctly (if at all) and your time and money spent on treatments at my facility could result in no improvement in your condition since we may not be treating the correct problem(s). Of course, in some patients, we are sometimes left without a clear picture of what is going on. In these circumstances, you are welcome to avail yourself of our services if it is with the clear understanding that we cannot guarantee you optimum results. In all circumstances, however, we do our best to help your body heal itself with natural agents.

In summary, I believe that this type of medicine is the future – but available at my office now! While many people and doctors will consider it to be experimental and perhaps even radical, to my way of thinking using foreign chemical compounds that put over 200,000 people in the hospital a year because of side effects is the true radical approach. The use of diet, vitamins, minerals, amino acids, and natural components of your own body is safe with virtually no side effects as compared to drugs. **With the use of these natural substances we can create in your body – true healing conditions.** That is my way of practicing – use as few drugs as possible and concentrate on helping your body help heal itself.

I (print) _____ acknowledge that I have read the above, understand it and accept that Dr. Steenblock is not my primary care doctor and therefore not responsible for the accurate diagnosis of any of my medical conditions and have come to him for treatment using the methods he employs. I recognize that many of Dr. Steenblock's methods are outside of what is considered usual and customary, and therefore will likely not be paid by insurance. Furthermore, I will not hold Dr. Steenblock responsible for my not having the tests or examinations that have been recommended by other doctors or Dr. Steenblock and fully acknowledge that I choose to have the treatments that Dr. Steenblock provides based on the possibly incomplete information I may or may not have provided. I further recognize that any or all of the treatments given by Dr. Steenblock and associates including stem cells may have no effect or little effect due to a variety of reasons not known at this time.

Signature _____ Date _____