

# MONTEBELLO Physiotherapy >>> & Sport Rehabilitation

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All treatments provided by a registered massage therapist.

**It is strongly advised you read and understand the following policies. If you have any questions please ask.**

## Patient Consent

- I agree and consent to a massage therapy assessment and treatment by a registered massage therapist. I have read and understand the policies below and agree to stand by these conditions. I additionally provide consent for my massage therapist to communicate with and release information to other health practitioners who are involved in my treatment program.

- I understand that all my medical records will remain confidential by my massage therapist and will not be released without my written consent to anyone other than those mentioned above, except where required by law.

**Initial**

**We respect your treatment and set individual appointment times, in return we ask for a minimum of 4 HOURS notice to cancel an appointment or you will be charged a \$50.00 fee.** **Initial**

-A patient health history form is legal requirement mandated by the College of Massage Therapists of Ontario (CMTO).

-A patient health history form is required prior to your first treatment, every year, and after an absence of one year from your last treatment.

-All information discussed and recorded is completely confidential. Your written authorization is required for the release of any personal information pertaining to your file.

-All patient information will be securely stored for 10 years following their last treatment, If the patient is under the age of 18, the information will be retained for 10 years following the patient's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Once the appropriate time has elapsed, the contents of the patient's file will be properly disposed of.

-Massage Therapy by definition is, the: (1) assessment and; (2) treatment of the soft tissue of the body. Therefore, every Registered Massage Therapist (RMT) may employ a variety of different manual techniques during a massage therapy treatment.

-An "appointment" should not be interpreted as the length of "treatment". An "appointment" may include a patient intake, assessment, treatment and assignment of remedial exercises.

-The patient may terminate treatment at any point during the appointment, at their discretion and without reason.

-In case of late arrivals, it should be understood that only the time remaining for your scheduled appointment will be allotted unless additional time is available.

-It is not my policy to work through WSIB or MVA claims.

I have reviewed all the above information and understand how my personal information will be used by this office. I further understand that this office is taking steps to protect my personal information.

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Name (print)

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Signature

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Date

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Signature of Witness