

Dawn Balusik Acupuncture

FINANCIAL POLICIES

FULL PAYMENT IS DUE AT THE TIME OF SERVICE

Payment Methods Accepted: Cash, Check, Visa, Mastercard, Discover and American Express are accepted.

Returned Checks: Each returned check will incur a fee of \$35.

Cancellations or Missed Appointments: We require a notice of 24 hours if you need to cancel an appointment, or you will be billed at the rate of \$65 for your missed appointment.

If you have a Health Savings Account: Acupuncture treatment is allowable under all HSA's. You will need to check with your specific HSA to find out if herbal medicine prescribed by a health professional is an allowable expense.

If Your Health Insurance Policy Covers Acupuncture: We do not do insurance billing. At your request, we will provide you a superbill/receipt form which contains all the procedure & diagnostic codes prudent to your visit. You can submit a copy of this form to your insurance company for them to reimburse you directly.

If You are an Auto Injury Patient: Unfortunately, Florida PIP does not cover acupuncture services, but you may submit your paid receipts to your PI attorney for reimbursement from your eventual settlement or lawsuit.

If You are a Medicare Patient: At this time, Medicare does not cover acupuncture services.

Fee Schedule:

New Patient (60-90 mins):	\$150 - \$175 (depending on severity)
Acupuncture Follow-up (45-60 mins):	\$85 (see package discounts below)
Childbirth Preparation (60 mins):	\$100 initial, then same as Follow-up
Herbal / Nutritional Only Follow-up (30 mins):	\$65
Pediatric (12 & under) Follow-Up:	\$65
Phone Consult (for active patients only):	\$35 per 15 minute increment
Herbal Formulas / Supplements:	varies

Package Discounts for Follow-Up Acupuncture Visits:

****Packages must be purchased with Check or Cash only.****

3 visits for \$240 (This is \$5 off each visit.)

6 visits for \$450 (This is \$10 off each visit.)

Note: If you request a refund on a partially used package, the fees for the completed treatments reverts back to the usual \$85 fee, and your refund will be calculated accordingly.

Acupuncture is Tax Deductible: so keep track of your receipts or request a ledger at the end of the year. The costs of acupuncture treatments and "prescribed herbs and supplements by an acupuncturist or physician for treatment of a specific condition diagnosed by an acupuncturist or medical practitioner" are deductible medical expenses. (<http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p502.pdf>.)

