# What to Expect During Your Visit to the Scoliosis Center of La Crosse



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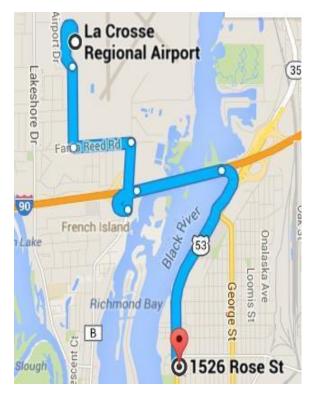
# Travel

The Scoliosis Center of La Crosse is located in La Crosse, Wisconsinat 1526 Rose Street. We are 4.2 miles from the La Crosse Municipal Airport (LAX), 73 miles away from Rochester International Airport (RST), and 149 miles from Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport (MSP). When you arrive in La Crosse, we recommend that you travel to the center first to familiarize your self with its location, then proceed to your hotel from the center.

#### **Arriving by Air**

#### Driving to the Scoliosis Center from the La Crosse Airport (8 minutes)

La Crosse Regional Airport (2850 Airport Drive, La Crosse WI 54603)



1. Headnorth towards Airport Dr. continues straight 0.9 mi

2. Turn **left** onto **Fanta ReedRd** 0.4 mi

3. Turn **right** onto **Dawson Ave** 

4. Turn **right** onto the **Interstate 90 E** ramp 0.3 mi

**5.** Merge onto **I-90 E** 0.7 mi

**6.** Take exit **3A** to merge onto **US-53 S/Rose St** 1.4mi

Destination on Left 1526 Rose St La Crosse WI 54603

# Driving to the Scoliosis Center from the Rochester Airport (1 hour 6 minutes)

Rochester International Airport (7600 Helgerson Dr. Rochester, MN 55902)



1	1.	Head NORTH on Leque Dr. towards Airport View Dr. SW	0.6 mi
<b>r</b>	2.	Turn RIGHT onto Cnty Rd 16 SE	0.4 mi
٦	3.	Turn LEFT to merge onto US-63 N/S Broadway toward Rochester	4.0 mi
	4.	Merge onto <b>US-52 S</b> via the ramp to <b>Preston</b>	0.5 mi
	5.	Merge onto US-52 S	5.5 mi
ገ	6.	Turn <b>LEFT</b> to merge onto <b>I-90 E</b> toward La Crosse	60.7 mi
	7.	Take exit <b>3A</b> to merge onto <b>US-53 S / Rose St</b>	0.5 mi

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## Driving to Scoliosis Center from Madison Airport (2 hours and 7 minutes)

Dane County Regional Airport (4000 International Ln, Madison, WI 53704)



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1. Head north onInternational Ln	1.2mi
2. Turn right onto Darwin Rd	0.3mi
3. Turn right onto Packer Ave.	1.3mi
4. Continue onto County Rd CV	2.5mi
5. Turn left onto I-39 N/I-90 W/I-94 W	0.5mi
6. Merge onto I-39 N/I-90 W/I-94 W	86.6 mi
7. Keep left to continue on I-90 W	
follow the signs for Tomah	41.9 mi
8. Take Exit 3 for US-53 S/WI-35	
towardLaCrosse/Onalaska	0.1mi
9. Merge onto US-53 S/WI-35 S/ Rose St	1.4mi

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## DrivingtoScoliosisCenter fromMinneapolis-SaintPaulAirport (2hoursand 18minutes)

Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport (4300 Glumack Dr., St Paul, MN 55111



@1526 Ros	e St
1. Head northwest on Glumack Dr.	0.9mi
2. Continue onto Airport Service Rd	0.1mi
3. Continue onto Glumack Dr.	0.3mi
4. SlightlefttostayonGlumackDr.	66 ft
5. Keepleft at the forkand mergeon to MN-5 E	0.8 mi
6. Take MN-55 W/MN-55 E exit toward Minneapolis	
Fort Snelling/ Hastings	0.4 mi
7. Keep right at the fork, follow signs for MN-55E/	
Mendota Bridge and merge onto MN-55 E/Minnesota State Hwy 55 E	0.2mi
8. Merge onto MN-55 E/Minnesota State Hwy55 E	7.7mi
9. Take the exit on the left onto MN-55 E/US-52 S toward US-52 S/Hastings/Rochester	76.3mi
10. Turnleft tomer geon to I-90 Etowards La Crosse	0.3 mi

**11.** Mergeonto**I-90 E** 60.4 mi

**12.** Takeexit**3A**tomergeonto**US-53S/RoseSt** 0.5 mi

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# Driving to Scoliosis Center from Milwaukee Airport (3 hours and 17 minutes)

General Mitchell International Airport (5300 S Howell Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53207)



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1. Headeast		16 ft
2. Slight left toward WI-119 W	V/ AirportSpur W	0.5mi
3. Continue straight onto WI-	119 W/ Airport Spur W	1.2mi
4. Keepright at the fork, follows	signsfor <b>I-94 W/Milwaukee</b>	1.2mi
5. Keep left at the fork, follows	signs for <b>I-43 S</b> /	
I-894 bypass/Madison/Fon Du Lac		0.2mi
6. Keeprightattheforkandmerg	geonto <b>l-94</b>	5.9mi
7. Take the I-94 W/US-41 W exi	it toward <b>Madison</b>	0.8mi
8. Merge onto I-94 W/U.S. 41 N		162 mi
9. Keep left to continue onl-90	0 W,	
Followsignsfor <b>Tomah/LaCrosse</b>		41.9 mi
10. Take Exit 3 for US-53 S/ WI-	35	
Toward La Crosse / Onalaska		0.1mi
11. Merge onto US-53 S/WI-35	5 S/ Rose St	1.4mi

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# Lodging

#### Super 8 (3 minutes to center)

1625 Rose St. La Crosse, WI 54603

(608) 781-8880

#### Candlewood Suites (3 minutes to center)

50 Copeland Ave. La Crosse, WI 54603

(608) 785-1110

#### Days Inn (6 minutes to center)

101Sky Harbour Dr. La Crosse, WI 54603

(800) 329-1073

#### QualityInn(7minutestocenter)

1830 Rose St. La Crosse, WI 54603

(608) 781-1400

#### Best Western (7 minutes to center)

1835 Rose St. La Crosse, WI 54603

(608) 781-7000

#### Grandstay Residential Suites (7 minutes to center)

535 Front St N. La Crosse, WI 54601

(608) 796-1615

#### Radisson (7 minutes to center)

200 Harborview Plz. La Crosse, WI 54601

(608) 784-6680

#### StoneyCreek Inn(8minutestocenter)

3060 Kinney Coulee Rd S. Onalaska, WI 54650

(608) 781-3060

#### Center Apartment/House

2 bedroom, 1 bathroom, full kitchen across the alley

from clinic.

Contact Clinic for Details (608) 386-9328

#### Hampton Inn (8 minutes to center)

308 Hampton Ct. Onalaska, WI 54650

(608)783-6555

# La Crosse Scoliosis Center Schedule

Our office opens at 8am, and we close at 6pm. Your treatment times will be Monday through Saturday. It is important to be on time for all treatments. If you are going to be more than 15 minutes late for your appointment, please call the center at (608) 386-9328.

A typical treatment visit lasts around 2 to 3 hours. The reason for the variance in time is due to the fact that different patients have specific & unique spinal presentations, and our treatment plans are customized to their individual needs. We recognize that some patients may occasionally require additional time or attention; however, there is never any charge for these supplementary therapies, and every patient can expect to receive the same excellent level of care & service in all aspects of treatment.

It can be difficult to predict exactly when your treatment session will end on each day. A good estimate is that you can expect to be completed with your care roughly two and a half hours after you arrive, although this is only an approximation.

# What to Wear and Bring to the Center

The ambient temperature of our clinic is maintained at 72 degrees Fahrenheit (23 degrees Celsius). Your core temperature may fluctuate from the more active therapies to the less active therapies, so please layer appropriately if you become warm or cold easily. Please dress comfortably and casually; T-shirts and sweat pants or gym shorts are the preferred attire. Jeans, button-up shirts, and articles with excessive bangles or ornamentation are not recommended. Also, please do not wear high-heels or flip- flops. For ladies, we recommend that you wear a sports bra (no underwire), and please remove all piercings before coming in for treatment (x-rays will be taken on your first and last day of treatment, and in the interim as required per individual patient need).

On the first and last day of treatment, posture grid pictures will be taken that require your back to be exposed. Best attire would be an open back swim suit. We respect your privacy; please notify the primary doctor if you would like these pictures to be taken by an employee of the same gender.

Our patients are encouraged to bring iPods and other similar portable entertainment devices (with headphones). We also provide a collection of Blu-Ray movies. Parents are welcome to bring books, laptops, and other electronic devices; free wireless access is provided to all of our patients.

While our office policy is not to allow food or drinks into the center, we will make an exception in the break room, the office, as well as the center apartment/House. Bottled water and purified water (hot & cold) are provided free of charge to all our guests. Our patients are encouraged to increase their water intake to promote their spinal health and decrease any residual muscle soreness during or after treatment.

# **About Our Methods**

Many of our patients arrive for their first day of treatment very well-informed about every aspect of the CLEAR protocols – informally termed, "Mix, Fix, Set." We also like to provide a brief overview of every step of the treatment to help provide patients with an example of a typical treatment session, so they know what to expect and can prepare accordingly.

The new patient paperwork can be found online at:
www.scoliosiscenteroflacrosse.com. We request you to print, have filled out, and
brought with you the: Disclosure & Consent, Patient Case History, Insurance Waiver,
Health Information Disclosure, and Scoliosis History. When you first arrive, you will turn
in the paperwork you have filled out from the forms online.

After a consultation with our doctors reviewing your past medical history and background scoliosis information, we will perform a comprehensive physical examination. The purpose of this exam is to maintain standards of care, collect data that may be used for research purposes, and ensure that the patient will not have any trouble tolerating any of the therapies and procedures utilized in our center. The physical examination includes posture pictures, various orthopedic tests designed to test your neuromusculoskeletal function, balance and proprioception, scoliometer measurements, spirometry, and a neurological exam. After this, a series of precision x-ray views are then obtained which will provide us the information needed to best adjust your spine and formulate a specific spinal exercise regimen customized to your spine and your x-rays.

After your scoliosis examination and x-rays are finished, you will watch a short video explaining the CLEAR scoliosis treatment method. Lastly, before you leave your first session, we will review with you your x-ray findings.

When you return when you return for your second session, you will watch a short video explaining the importance of chiropractic. Following this, we will review our report of findings with you. During this time, we will go over your spinal findings, our recommendations for care, dietary recommendations, specific spinal isometric &

scoliosis stretching exercises, and you will then commence to begin your first treatment session.



## The Wobble Chair

Every treatment session begins with the patient signing in at the front desk. Then, the "Mix" stage of the process begins with the Active Rehabilitation Chair (a.k.a., the "Wobble" Chair). This is a seat mounted on a pivot that focusses on range of motion, stretching muscles, raising the core temperature, and increasing spinal flexibility which helps prepare the spine and enhance the effectiveness of all subsequent therapies.

# **Vibrating Traction**

The next phase in the warm-up or "Mix" stage is the Vibrating Traction, or V/T.

Research conducted by scientists specializing in spinal biomechanics found that certain vibrational frequencies have the effect of relaxing the tendons, ligaments, and intervertebral discs. This vibration is very beneficial in treating scoliosis, due to the "bow

string" effect of the ligaments & tendons and the disc wedging that occurs in the concavity of the curve. The patient lies down with the V/T under their neck or low back, and a gentle vibration is transmitted to the spine. Most patients find this therapy very relaxing!



### **Cervical Traction**



After the V/T, the cervical traction unit is used to help traction the spine and restore the natural sagittal (front-to-back) curves of the spine. It is essential to restore the normal biomechanics of the spine in order to reduce the overall severity of the scoliosis. The cervical traction consists of two pieces, a curved piece which is placed behind the neck, and a straight piece that goes under the chin. While standing, the patient bends their knees, and applies a gentle pressure to the head to the head to traction the spine. This is done repetitively 100 times.

### Core Stimulator

Next is the Core Muscle Stimulator. This form of percussive massage therapy (tapotement) has been FDA-approved since 1988, and it is extremely effective in relaxing the core postural muscles that are often tight and guarded due to the scoliosis. We have collected hundreds of pages of research on this method, and it has been proven to be 68% more effective in reaching the deep muscle groups. A 30 second use releases muscle tension by as much as 65%. This method is widely used by physical therapists and rehabilitation experts and is also employed by many professional sports teams. Core muscle stimulation is very safe, and, while it can be challenging to the patient (as we are targeting muscles that are often overworked and sore), it produces no more discomfort than a deep tissue massage. Many of our patients report improvement in their sleep habits and decreased muscle pain after this therapy.



# Eckard Motorized Flexion/Distraction Table

Once the soft tissues of the spine are relaxed, we begin mobilization of the fixed portions of the spine using an Eckard Motorized Flexion/Distraction table. The lower half of this table moves slowly up and down, which alternatively stretches and relaxes the spine, and improves spinal health & segmental motion, especially in the wedged discs and other areas of the spine which are not moving like they should. The patient is placed face-down on the Eckard table, which has been customized with special scoliosis brackets & straps to induce a "mirror-image" configuration in the spine. While you are on this table, the lateral traction straps pull the spine straighter, and the repetitive

lowering & raising of the bottomhalf of the table create a natural "pumping" action in the inter-vertebral discs, promoting spinal health and increasing spinal motion. In order to achieve the best possible correction, these straps are secured very tightly, which may be mildly uncomfortable, but the soft leather pads are incapable of



causing injury. It's important to understand that treating scoliosis effectively requires the spine to be placed in a position which it does not normally assume; the less we are able to stretch the spine towards the opposite direction, the less the soft tissues (muscles, discs, ligaments, & tendons) will re-model and change, and the "rebound" effect of these tight muscles & ligaments will decrease the permanence of the achieved correction.

# Mechanical Drop Piece

The last "Mix" procedure is a Mechanical Drop Piece (MDP). This piece of equipment utilizes the same frequency of vibration as the V/T, but the two pieces of equipment have inimitable functions. Where the V/T applies primarily to the cervical & lumbar



spine in the sagittal dimension, treating the loss of the normal spinal curves in these areas, the MDP affects the thoracic and pelvic spine in an axial/coronal plane, addressing translation and rotation. The MDP uses a large fulcrum to affect larger spinal angles and uses more force and greater displacement to affect the

massive ligaments of the pelvic girdle reducing the rotation of the sacral base and innominates. The benefits will be most apparent in patients with a great deal of pelvic rotation.

# Chiropractic Adjustments

The second part of the treatment is the "Fix" stage. This consists of specific chiropractic adjustments, performed with the aid of precision adjusting instruments and drop pieces. All of the adjustments are performed based upon the analysis of your specific x-ray configuration, and are specific & unique to each patient. This precision adjusting technique is different than the traditional adjustments performed in the majority of chiropractic clinics; because of the great deal of time required to master & apply this technique, it is used by only the most advanced chiropractic spinal specialists.

# **Exercise Therapies**

The last stage of treatment is labeled the "Set" phase. It is a combination of exercise therapies designed to strengthen the postural muscles responsible for maintaining the achieved correction. Spinal weighting & whole-body vibration therapy combine to re-train the brains patterns of walking, standing, and relating to gravity. This

active re-training process is a vital component of ensuring long-term results. The Scoliosis Traction Chair combines traction with de-rotation and lateral traction to create a mirror-image position of the scoliotic spinal

configuration. Whole-body vibration is used simultaneously to help the body erase its old programs and patterns of behavior, and re-train the

brain and body to work together to achieve lasting correction.







# Compliancy and Commitment

"The patient must combat the disease alongside the physician."

Hippocrates

# Patients who do not do their exercises will be cheerfully dismissed and referred to an office where they do not care.

At the Scoliosis Center of La Crosse, our immediate objective is to effect a measurable reduction in the severity of all of our patients' scoliosis during their time in the clinic. It must be recognized that scoliosis care is a lifetime commitment, and the degree of permanence of the results we achieve depends greatly upon your degree of participation & commitment with the mandatory follow-up protocols. With proper dedication to these protocols, you have the best opportunity to get the most out of your time in the clinic after you leave. It is of the utmost importance that all of our patients understand that their journey is not over when their time in our clinic is up; rather, the true journey towards optimal spinal health is just beginning. Patients who do not follow their prescribed home rehabilitation and exercise therapies should expect to lose the correction they achieve in the clinic, and, due to the time we have spent relaxing the spinal soft tissues in order to achieve that correction, in the absence of any efforts on the part of the patient to stabilize & solidify the soft tissues, their scoliosis may in fact progress to a point worse than before. Our methods are an active process and require your compliancy & commitment. Patients who cannot dedicate themselves to taking responsibility for their spinal health should consider pursuing traditional, passive methods of scoliosis treatment such as bracing & surgery.

\*\*To emphasize the gravity of this commitment, every patient is required to sign a Scoliosis Patient Commitment Contract before beginning treatment. This contract explains what is expected of all of our patients when they commit to being under our care and following our instructions to help them overcome their scoliosis.\*\*\*

# **Patient Expectations**

To encourage an uplifting environment of fellowship and moral support, the atmosphere at the Scoliosis Center of La Crosse is open therapy bays and closed adjusting rooms. We believe all patients have a much more positive experience when they maintain a good attitude with other patients, doctors and the team. We encourage you to take the opportunity to share your positive experiences with other patients. Any foul language or disruptive behavior will not be tolerated as this hinders all patients' progress and directly affects others around you. If there ever is a problem or question regarding your care, we ask that you request a time to speak with the doctors about your concerns. We do not allow patients to advise other patients on their treatment as each patients specific needs are different and treatment protocols may not be similar. We ask for full cooperation with the team so that we can give you the best service. Please be respectful to all team members, doctors and property.

# Understanding the Follow-Up Protocols

After the completion of your treatment at the Scoliosis Center of La Crosse, we will provide you with a Specific Spinal Isometric Exercise regimen that has been custom-designed for your unique spinal configuration. These exercises must be done twice a day for ninety days to develop the muscle physiology that is necessary to maintain the achieved correction. Because any lost momentum cannot be regained, it is absolutely imperative that these exercises be performed regularly, and – just as important – correctly. For this reason, we teach all patients their exercises on day 1 and review them throughout their treatment. The time required to do the exercises varies from patient to patient, but each session averages around 10 to 20 minutes.

There will also be Spinal Weighting Protocols that you will need to follow. The purpose of the Spinal Weighing is to re-train your cerebellum & your subconscious mind to follow new patterns of standing, walking, and relating to gravity; this is every bit as important as the active stimulation of the muscles achieved by the exercise regimen. The individual weighting protocols that will be used in your specific case will be assigned during your time in the center, and may include weights that are placed on the forehead, shoulders, hips, or around the torso. The purpose of these weights is to correct your posture, placing your body into a "mirror-image" configuration, and we will then have you balance on an Air Disc or cushion to improve your balance & proprioception. During your time in the center, you will be provided with the spinal weights you need, and asked to wear these weights for 20 minutes, twice a day, and set up an area at home where you can perform these balance exercises daily (preferably near a television). Once you return home and the patient is set up with their spinal weighting, pictures will need to be taken from the front, side, and back, and emailed to us so we can ensure that the patient is responding to the weighting system correctly and the at home set up is correct.

The final component of the CLEAR Scoliosis Rehabilitation Follow-Up Protocols is the Scoliosis Traction Chair, or STC. Designed to be the ultimate tool in addressing the three-dimensional deformities that occur in scoliosis, the STC combines pg. 19

spinal un-weighting, de-rotation, and lateral traction to correct the spine in all three planes. The vibration therapy built-in to the chair also ensures stimulation of the neuromuscular pathways to solidify the spinal correction achieved in the chair and activates increased bone formation to reverse the vertebral wedging that occurs in the scoliotic spine. Because these changes are a long-term process, patients with moderate or severe scoliosis (over 25 degrees) are required to purchase a Scoliosis Traction Chair for home use and utilize this therapy for two 30-minute sessions every day. The patient & family members will be provided with detailed instructions of how to set up the Scoliosis Traction Chair for patient specific spinal configuration, including pictures and/or videos. Once you return home and the patient is set up in the STC for the first time, pictures will need to be taken from the front, side, and back, and emailed to us so we can ensure that the patient is being positioned correctly. Improper positioning in the Scoliosis Traction Chair, or failure to adequately tighten the ratchets enough to alter the position of the spine, may adversely affect the long-term outcome of your care. Be sure you understand exactly how you are set up in the STC, and that all of your questions are answered before you leave the clinic. Remember, your results depend upon your active involvement & participation!

# For Parents & Family Members

On the first day at the clinic, we highly recommend that all family members be present for the initial consultation, examination, and the first treatment session.

Because of the active nature of our system of scoliosis treatment, and the high degree of compliance involved, we find that our patients receive the best possible results when they are supported and encouraged from every side. This is also an opportunity for every member of the family to ask the questions they may have about scoliosis or the CLEAR methodologies.

By the third visit, our patients have developed a sense for the office flow, and understand where to begin and where to go next after each treatment station. At this point, we encourage family members to either sit in the lounge provided or refer to page 23-26, Recreation / Things to Do in La Crosse, and enjoy the sights & experiences offered by the La Crosse and surrounding areas as it is very important for the patient to accept an attitude of empowerment over their scoliosis and responsibility for the correction of their own spine. Additional consultations with family will be given as progress occurs. We will notify parents if needed of consultation times as they are warranted.

# Addressing Questions about X-Rays

Can we use my old x-rays?

The views taken by a CLEAR doctor are designed to provide the doctor with specific information about the biomechanical factors that are influencing the scoliosis in that specific patient's case. Every scoliosis is unique - it's impossible to design a "one-size-fits-all" exercise program that will work for every patient or develop one "magic" chiropractic adjustment that corrects every patient's posture. Only through objective precision x-ray analysis can the exact biomechanical factors involved in a specific case of scoliosis be identified. Then, everything - the exercises, the adjustments, the therapies - is designed around that patient's specific spinal configuration. The information in these x-rays gives us the knowledge we need to make effective clinical decisions that will give the patient the best possible results. The clinical purpose of these x-rays is clearly very different than a standard full-spine view, which is taken only to measure the Cobb Angle.

In order to ensure objectivity and uniformity in our x-ray analysis, only x-rays that have been taken by a CLEAR-certified Scoliosis Treatment Center can be used in the course of care.

# Ordering your Scoliosis Traction Chair

If you know you will need the Scoliosis Traction Chair as a part of your Follow-Up Protocols (it is typically prescribed for home use when the scoliosis is in danger of nearing surgical thresholds – 25 degrees or beyond), we will go over the ordering paperwork and information with you once you arrive. The chair will need to be ordered within the first week of care to ensure its delivery by the time you arrive back home following treatment. For the absolute best results, it is imperative that the STC be used the first day after treatment, and every day thereafter, for two 30-minute sessions daily. Any momentum that is lost can never be regained!

The Scoliosis Traction Chair is shipped from Central Minnesota, and typically takes 3-5 days to ship anywhere in the continental U.S. International shipping time varies, but may be as much as 7 to 10 days; please take this into account in the timing of your order.

The therapeutic benefit of the Scoliosis Traction Chair depends heavily upon the specific vibrational frequency of the motor. This frequency in turn depends upon the electrical frequency (the Hertz, or Hz) of the region. A STC that is designed for the U.S. (60 Hz) will operate at a frequency that is one-sixth lower if it is used in a region that operates on 50 Hz. It is important to understand that transformers only affect the voltage of the incoming current, and will not be effective in maintaining the vibrational frequency (and this the benefit) of the STC.

For this reason, all international STC orders are custom-built for the specific electrical frequency of the region they will be operating in. It is highly recommended that orders for international Scoliosis Traction Chairs be placed at the start of treatment allowing time for the chair to be built to the correct specifications.

Please contact Vibe For Health at (866) 520-4270, extension 1, or e-mail care@vibeforhealth.com to arrange the purchase of the Scoliosis Chair

# Questions about Billing and Payment

Before you arrive for your initial visit, all your questions about insurance vs. paying time of service will be confirmed.

After the initial consult, which is a courtesy visit to all of our patients and families, we will then contact you to discuss your treatment plan options, which will include the estimated cost of the treatment presented.

Prior to your first visit at the clinic, payment needs to be made in full; however, arrangements can be made to set up a payment plan with the clinic if needed. By removing the financial burden from the equation immediately, we can focus exclusively on providing the best possible care to the patient.

Scoliosis Center of La Crosse is considered an Out-of-Network Provider for the majority of insurance companies; this is due to the fact that signing a contract with an insurance company to participate in their network would grant them the right to limit the number of visits we could provide to our patients. Typically, an insurance company will cover 80% to 90% of the services provided by an In-Network Provider, and around 60% to 80% of the services provided by an Out-of-Network Provider; however, this is only an estimate. For specific information about your coverage, we recommend that you contact your insurance company and ask about your benefits in regard to Out-of-Network Providers and chiropractic care.

We can also provide you with support & assistance in billing your insurance company for the Scoliosis Traction Chair. Please note that not every patient will receive compensation from their insurance company for the STC; however, we can provide you with numerous supporting documents & research articles which will increase your chances of receiving reimbursement.

# Things to Do

# **Shopping**

Valley View Mall

3800 State Rd. 16, La Crosse, WI 54601

Hours: Monday thru Saturday 10am-9pm, Sunday 11am-6pm

#### Walmart

3107 Market Place, Onalaska, WI 54650 Hours: Open 24 hours

## Walgreens

2626 Rose St, La Crosse, WI 54603 Hours: Open 24 hours

## **Entertainment**

Sweet-Shop

1113 Caledonia St, La Crosse, WI 54603

Good old fashion Candy Shop. Hours: Monday thru Friday 9am-7pm, Saturday 9am- 6pm, Sunday 12p-5pm

#### The Pearl

207 Pearl St, La Crosse WI 54601 The best homemade ice cream in town!!

Hours: Sunday thru Thursday 9am-9pm, Friday and Saturday 9am-10pm

# Shenanigans

2100 Dawson Ave, La Crosse, WI 54603

Fun for the kids, games, attractions, food, and more! Hours: Monday – Thursday 4pm-9pm, Friday 4pm-10pm, Saturday 10am-10pm, Sunday 10am-8pm

#### Children's Museum

207 5<sup>th</sup> Ave S, La Crosse, WI 54601 Fun museum with loads of interactive learning activities Hours: Monday closed, Tuesday thru Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 12pm-5pm

#### Rivoli Theatre

117 N. 4<sup>th</sup> St., La Crosse, WI 54601 Have pizza and watch hit movies recently released on DVD.

Admissions: Matinee: \$3.00 for everyone. Evening: Adult-\$5.00,

Child-\$3.00

# Marcus Cinema

2032 Ward Ave, La Crosse, WI 54601

Admissions: Don't' miss \$5.00 Tuesday! Matinee: Adult-\$7.50, Child-\$7. Evening: Adult-\$9.50,

Child \$7

# **Sights**

#### Riverside Park

100 Block, State St, La Crosse, WI 54601

Beautiful park that overlooks that Mississippi River with gardens, fountains, and walking trails

#### Pettibone Park

Hwy 14, 16,61 & Park plz., La Crosse, WI 54601

Fun at the beach, beach volleyball, fishing, disk gold, and walking trails available

#### **Grandad Bluff**

3020 Grandad Bluff Rd, La Crosse, Wi 54601

A view you won't want to miss. Drive to the top of La Crosse's largest bluff and you can see the entire city. Great picnic areas with views and many hiking trails

# Myrick Park

2000 La Crosse St, La Crosse, WI 54601

Park offers a large playground area, tennis courts, and walking trails

## **Local Fast Food Recommendations**

#### Pickerman's

326 Jay St., La Crosse, WI 54603

#### (608) 782-7087

Great Sandwiches and Soups. Free delivery Monday – Saturday 10:30am-6:30pm Hours: Monday thru Saturday 10:30am-7:30pm

## Rudy's Drive-in

1004 La Crosse St., La Crosse, WI 54601 (608) 782-2200

Price Range: under \$10 Burgers, hotdogs, and the best homemade root beer and root beer floats!

Drive-in restaurant! Pull up, park, and get served in your car! Hours: Daily 10am-10pm (not open in winter)

## Lindy's

221 Main St., La Crosse, WI 54601 (608) 785-7200

Price Range: under \$10 Great Sandwiches, wraps, soup, and salad Offers online ordering and delivery Hours: Monday thru Friday 8am-10pm, Saturday and Sunday 10am-10pm

# **Pizza Delivery**

# Domino's Pizza Store #2107 (608) 779-3030

Hours: Sunday thru Thursday 10:30am-12am, Friday & Saturday 10:30am-2am

#### Pizza Hut

(608) 781-0449

Hours: Sunday – Thursday 11am-11pm, Friday & Saturday 11am-12am

# Big Al's

(608) 782-7550

Hours: Sunday – Thursday 11am-11pm, Friday & Saturday 11am-12am

## Roccy Rococo

(608) 781-9934

Hours: Monday-Thursday 10:30am-10pm, Friday & Saturday 10:30am-12am, Sunday 11am-10pm

## **Sit-Down Recommendations**

# Fayze's Restaurant

133 S 4<sup>th</sup> St., La Crosse, WI 54601

(608) 784-9548

Price Range:\$11-30

American style food and bakery. Fantastic food! Known for their

famous Talame buns!

Hours: Daily 6:30am-9pm

## Freight House

107 Vine St., La Crosse, WI 54601

(608) 784-6211

Price Range: \$30-60

Elegant seafood and steakhouse

Hours: daily 5pm-close

Entertainment available Friday & Saturday \*See website for more information\*

#### Ciatti's

9348 Hwy 16, Onalaska, WI 54650

(608) 781-8686

Price Range: \$11-30

Italian entrees, endless salad and

breadsticks, and a must try

chocolate cake!

Hours: Monday-Thursday 11am-9:30pm, Friday & Saturday 11am-10pm, Sunday 11am-9pm

#### Pizza Amore

212 Main St NE, La Crosse, WI 54601

(608) 782-6673

Price Range: \$11-30

Express Lunch Buffet, Gourmet

pizza, and classic Italian

entrees

Hours: Lunch Buffest: Monday-Friday 11am-2pm, Dinner:

Daily 4:30-close

## Buzzard Billy's

222 Pearl St, La Crosse, WI

54601

### (608) 796-2277

Price Range: \$11-30

Authentic New Orleans and American cuisine. Give the

Buzzard Eggs a try!

Hours: Monday thru Thursday

11am-10pm, Friday and

Saturday 11am-11pm, Sunday

11am-10pm,

# Applebee's

9364 State Rd 16, Onalaska, WI

54650

#### (608) 781-8570

Price Range: \$11-30 American style

food.

Hours: Sunday thru Monday

11am-1am, Friday and

Saturday 11am-2am

#### HuHot

3800 State Rd 16 (Valley View Mall), La Crosse, WI

54650

#### (608) 781-2636

Price Range: \$11-30

Create your own, all you can eat

Asian stir fry.

Hours: Lunch Buffet: Daily 11am-4pm, Dinner Buffet:

daily 4pm-9pm

#### **Texas Roadhouse**

4310 State Rd 16, La Crosse, WI

54601

#### (608) 781-6002

Price Range: \$11-30

Texas style American

Steakhouse and Barbeque

Hours: Monday thru Thursday 4pm-

10pm, Friday 4pm-11pm,

Saturday 11am-11pm, Sunday

11am-10pm