

Frequently Asked Questions

Does it hurt? What does treatment feel like?

There is little or no sensation during treatment. Occasionally one feels mild warmth or tingling.

What are the side effects or associated risks? Low level laser therapy has more than twenty years of use by healthcare providers worldwide with very few side effects ever having been reported. Sometimes, old injury or pain syndromes may feel aggravated for a few days after treatment, however

What is the length of time for each treatment? Typical treatment time is between 3 and 9 minutes, depending upon the size of the area being treated.

How often should a patient be treated?

that is more of a healing response.

In acute conditions where there is significant pain, daily treatments can be administered. Chronic conditions respond better when treatments are received 2 to 3 times a week, and then reduced to once a week or once every other week with improvement.

Can low level therapy be combined with other forms of treatment?

Absolutely! Low level laser therapy is often used with other forms of treatment, including chiropractic adjustments, massage, soft tissue mobilization, and electro-therapy.

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What is Low Level Laser Therapy?

Low Level Laser Therapy is the use of red and near-infrared monochromatic light to enhance the body's natural healing processes. A laser is essentially a focused beam of light that emits photon energy. When light is focused properly, the photons are all traveling in the same direction and at the same wavelength; this is known as coherent light. Cells communicate to one another through coherent light.

Is The Effectiveness Proven?

Yes. There are thousands of published studies demonstrating the clinical effectiveness of Laser Therapy. There are more than 100 rigorously controlled scientific studies that document the effectiveness of laser for many clinical conditions.

How Does Low Level Laser Therapy Work?

The laser device is held close to the skin over the area being treated. During the painless treatment, the light energy is absorbed and converted to biochemical energy, which stimulates the cells. Laser energy increases circulation which draws water, nutrients, and oxygen to the damaged area. The natural healing process of the cells is activated. This results in reducing pain, inflammation, muscle spasms, and swelling. Increased blood flow stimulates repair of the tissue.

Unlike the more publicized heat lasers, low-level lasers (3LT®) do not have a thermal

effect and are used to stimulate rather than destroy tissue.

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The world's most trusted low level laser is used at Stucky Chiropractic Center. Think of it as a calculator that subtracts pain and adds healing. It is the first laser in the world to receive FDA 510(k) market clearance for the treatment of chronic pain.

What Can Low Level Laser Therapy Help With?

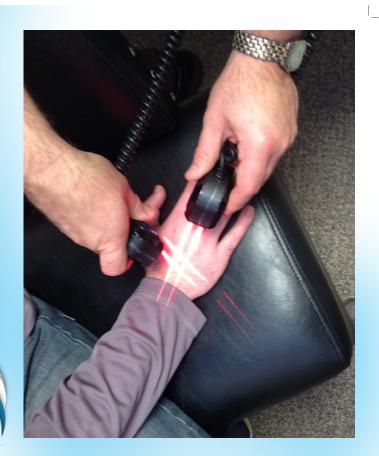
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and MUCH MORE!

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The Effects of Low Level Laser Therapy

Mitochondria are known as the powerhouses of the cell. They are organelles that act like a digestive system which takes in nutrients, breaks them down, and creates energy rich molecules for the cell. Low Level Laser Therapy's infrared laser light interacts with body tissues at the cellular level, increasing the metabolic activity within the cell. The result is improved mitochondria activity that leads to increased cellular function and overall health improvement.

