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Providing personal injury attorneys with the most up-to-date research on chiropractic and whiplash, from the biomechanics of whiplash injury to chiropractic's ability to enhance patient care and recovery.



In this issue, a 2011 study out of the Feinberg School of Medicine in Chicago:

Are There Implications for Morphological Changes in Neck Muscles After Whiplash Injury?

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Showed that neck pain in those with chronic whiplash may be due to trauma-induced physical changes in muscle:

Conclusion. Current evidence from structural MRI based studies demonstrates the widespread presence of fatty infiltrates in neck muscles of patients with chronic whiplash. Such findings have not shown to feature in patients with chronic insidious onset neck pain, suggesting traumatic factors play a role in their development. Recent studies have revealed that muscle fatty infiltrates manifest soon after whiplash but only in those with higher pain and disability and

Providing physicians and personal injury attorneys a method to more accurately objectify a chronic whiplash patients' subjective reports of pain.

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