# **Atlas Chiropractic Software - System Requirements**

Atlas recommends consulting with a qualified Network Professional to install your computers, network, and software. Working with a trusted IT professional can save time and money.

You are responsible for your data backup: Fire, theft, virus, or staff negligence can render your database unusable restoring a backup may be your only solution. We recommend https://www.atlaschirosys.com/backup/

Atlas requires a physical machine and stable network connection to perform properly. This includes all computer connections to CHAS and VTC screens. (NO VIRTUAL MACHINES OR WIRELESS CONNECTIONS)

## **Operating System:**

Atlas runs on Windows 11. It supports Windows Server 2022 and higher and Windows Server Essentials 2022 and higher. Either 32 or 64 bit OS are supported.

Home versions of Windows OS are not recommended as Servers (Main Computers) - they have limits to how many computers can connect at one time. Atlas must be installed on a Windows Operating System. Atlas Flex can run on any device within your network with a web browser, however it is optimized for a 10" tablet (IPad or Android).

## Network Infrastructure:

Small offices (1-5 computers) and mid-size offices (6-9 computers) can take advantage of simple peer-to- peer networks utilizing a Windows 11 computer as a 'File Server'. Larger offices (10+ computers) may be advised by their IT professional to install a Windows Server. This Server does not require any additional software (SQL, etc) for Atlas and can be configured as a simple File Server.

#### Database Backup:

Atlas (the Company) does not store or retain any of your data for backup purposes. The Atlas software does have the ability to create a 'restore point' daily backup and must be properly configured to work. This is only a small part of a Complete Backup Strategy. Atlas strongly recommends consulting with a trusted, local IT professional to create a backup plan. A good backup plan consists of local and off-site data storage. Refer to our Backup Strategy Manual available on our Support Site or www.atlaschirosys.com/backup for further information.

# Main Computer / File Server (Small or Mid-Size Office):

	Recommended Specs
Operating System	Windows 11 Pro
Processor	Intel Core i7-8700K Processor (or better)
Memory (RAM)	16GB DDR4 or higher (recommended 32GB)
Hard Drive	1 TB (or more) SSD
Network Card	Gigabit Ethernet (no wireless)
Monitor / Resolution	23" 1920x1080
USB Connections	At least 1 free (for Reader)
Input	Keyboard / Mouse

Workstation (Network PC's):

	Adjusting Table (not Flex)	Sign In (See Below)
Operating System	Windows 11 Home	Windows 11 Home
Processor	Intel Core i5-6500 Processor (or better)	Intel Core i3-6300 Processor (or better)
Memory (RAM)	16GB DDR4 (or higher)	16GB DDR4 (or higher)
Hard Drive	500GB (SSD recommended)	250GB (SSD recommended)
Network Card	Gigabit Ethernet (no wireless)	Gigabit Ethernet (no wireless)
Monitor / Resolution	23" 1920x1080	17" 1024x768
	Touchscreen recommended	Touchscreen optional
USB Connections	At least 1 free (for Reader)	At least 1 free (for Reader)
Input	Keyboard / Mouse	Keyboard / Mouse

- A separate PC is required for Patient Sign In - see additional information in the Basic Technical Details section

- Atlas Flex (VTC) can run on any device with a web browser but is optimized for a 10" tablet (IPad or Android)

- Subjective Questions at Sign-In requires a resolution of 1920x1080 and a touchscreen or mouse for input

# Server (Optional):

	Recommended	
Operating System	Windows Server 2022 (or newer)	
Processor	Intel Xeon E-2146G (or better)	
Memory (RAM)	16GB or higher (32GB recommended)	
Hard Drive	1 TB (or more) SSD	
Network Card	Gigabit Ethernet (no wireless)	
Monitor / Resolution	17" 1024x768	
USB Connections	Not required	
Input	Keyboard / Mouse	

Tablet Spec for Flex Soap notes (Optional):

	Minimum	Recommended
iPad	iPad Air 2	iPad Air 2
Misc Android Tablet	9.7 Inch display Android with WIFI	Samsung tab 9.7 Inch WIFI

# **Network Connections:**

Atlas requires a hardwired network between computers. Offices using Flex VTC can use wireless to connect their mobile device only. Atlas also recommends high speed internet into your office to aid with remote troubleshooting, support and updates.

# Sign-In PC Options:

Your Atlas software requires a separate PC for Patients to electronically 'check in' to your office. This PC does not have the workload other machines in your network will have and typically does not need to be as powerful. There are other features your Sign In PC can perform, such as Subjective Sign In and Family Check-In options. These additional features require enhanced hardware - See the Additional Hardware section below.

## Hard Drive (Storage) Space Requirements:

Your database size depends on many factors. Among these include how long you have been using Atlas, how much data converted into Atlas from a previous system and how many images and document files you store for each Patient. These images and documents can include X-Rays, EMG Scans, New Patient intake forms, re-

exam forms and more. Most new computers come equipped with large hard drives (500GB or more) which should be sufficient for most databases. We recommend using an SSD to improve overall speed.

# Battery Backup / UPS:

Atlas recommends the use of a UPS (Battery Backup) for each computer and networking component in your office. It is important to remember two things when choosing / installing a UPS.

1. Be sure to use a UPS that can handle the power draw of your components.

2. If you do not use a UPS on your network hardware (router, modem, switch, etc) your network will become unusable in the event of a power outage.

Consult with an IT professional for your specific requirements.

# Calling Module (optional):

The Atlas Calling Module helps direct Patients to available Adjusting Tables or Exam Rooms, based on specific configuration. Setup and use of the Calling Module requires:

- □ Microphone: to record Patient names and Table location information
- □ Speakers: plugged into the computer designated as the 'Calling Computer'

Atlas recommends a headset microphone with earphones to allow the recorder to create and check sounds.

# Imaging (optional):

To import film X-Rays and/or Documents into your Atlas system, you will need a digital camera (at least 4 megapixels) and a TWAIN compliant document scanner. Most hardware today will easily meet these requirements.

### Additional Hardware:

Atlas utilizes RFID Cards and/or Fobs to electronically sign Patients into the system. In addition, you will need RFID readers at your Front Desk, Sign In and Adjusting Tables depending on your specific setup and office flow and volumes. This equipment can be purchased directly from Atlas. Support Staff can consult on what is your best setup for your office and equipment to order.

In order to print Statements, Reports and other items out of Atlas you will need a standard local or networked Printer. Atlas software is compatible with almost all current Printers.

### **Additional Software:**

To utilize the Health Articles feature at the Adjusting Table, you will need a copy of Microsoft Word installed. In addition, you may need a PDF viewer to view PDF documents at the Adjusting Table also.

- □ **Imasight, 20/20 Imaging and others:** Atlas integrates with the latest version of Imasight Digital X-Ray system to import x-rays and to set up work orders.
- Insight Millennium (CLA), Titronics and others: Atlas integrates with the latest version of Insight Millennium software to import Patient EMG scans.
- Other Imaging Software: Atlas has created a feature for other Imaging Software companies to interface with Atlas allowing import from a variety of other systems - see additional documentation for details on this feature.



#### Hardware Acquisition:

At Atlas Chiropractic Software, we understand you have many options for your PC Workstation and have a choice to contact your local outlets (Best Buy, Tiger Direct, etc) or IT professional.

Technology changes rapidly. In order to keep up with these changes, Atlas maintains the most up to date information on our Atlas Support site found at: <u>https://www.atlaschirosys.com/orders/</u>

Our Support Team is available: Monday - Thursday 8:00am to 7:30pm Eastern Standard Time Friday 8:00am to 4:30pm Eastern Standard Time Phone: 1-866-762-8527 option 2 Email: support@atlashub.com

Online chat, with a Live Technician, is also available during our regular business hours at our Atlas Support site. The Atlas Support Team is knowledgeable in a variety of computer related topics, however our focus is supporting the Atlas software. It is recommended to consult with a local IT professional in regards to your computers and network. Atlas personnel are available to assist your IT team to ensure the best possible experience with your software configuration and usage. On occasion, your Atlas Support Representative is able to directly assist with general computer support (networking, antivirus, configuration) but Atlas recommends that issues outside of the scope of Atlas Support be directed to the appropriate Support professional.