



Chiron in the Houses

Evaluating Chiron in both the sign and house it appears offers a wealth of information about where one feels inadequate, lacking, out of place, unworthy, like a misfit or maverick, and where there's a recurrent pang of "not being ______ enough." But contained within that wound is the path to the remedy or healing—transcendence! When we do our "Chironic inner work," not only do we become whole and healed and have a choice regarding how to react when triggered, but we develop the precise tools necessary to help and support others with a similar wounding vibration.

First House/Aries: One's overall identity, sense of self, physical appearance, mannerisms, individuality, how one projects their ego-personality into the world and gets one's needs met: These all can feel fake, weak or unsupported. Feels like a stranger in a strange land, a perpetually wounded child. "I am not good/attractive/able-bodied ... enough." Can manifest as being dependent on others, bullied or wholly self-sufficient—and a bit of a bully oneself. **Healed:** self-authorized, charismatic, powerful healer.

Second House/Taurus: Struggles with self-worth, security and money issues, stability, overall values, scarcity mindset, fear of losing everything and being alone. Feels emotionally, physically and/or financially insecure or unsafe. "I do not have enough. I am not worthy of having more." Can manifest as overidentification with one's possessions or a rejection of materialism. **Healed:** secure within oneself, healthy attitude toward money and worldly goods, feeling safe in the world.

Third House/Gemini: Doubts value of one's self-expression, mental and verbal processes, communication skills, having a worthwhile message to share, healthy relationships with friends, neighbors, siblings, local community. Feels isolated, disconnected and frustrated that they can't communicate that. "I do not have enough human connection. My ideas are without merit." Can manifest as strong attachment to one's words or beliefs or confusion over what to believe, or learning or speech challenges. **Healed:** powerful communicator, innovator, thought leader.

Fourth House/Cancer: Issues around family of origin, ancestors and lineage, mother (or father in traditional astrology), one's "emotional inheritance," home, nurturing, finding comfort and emotional security, and putting down roots. May have been trauma or tumult in childhood or a wounded—or absent—parent. Feels like an orphan. "I am alone, unworthy of love or nurturance, and my childhood scars will never heal." Can manifest as obsessive pursuit of emotional connection, defensiveness or pushing attachment away. **Healed:** secure and solid home base and family life, healthy relationships, honoring one's lineage and gifts.

Fifth House/Leo: Craves the experience of creative expression, joy and playfulness, new love and passion, risk-tasking, children, fertility, artistry, drama, uninhibited performance and attention/affection but can be fearful or resistant. Feels unoriginal and afraid to be acknowledged. "I lack creativity, inspiration and am unlovable." Can manifest as showboating for attention and love, or being self-deprecating and avoidant. **Healed:** confident creator, loving partner/parent, happy.

Sixth House/Virgo: Hyper-developed sense of discernment and quest for perfection, obsessed with organization, being in service, health and healing including orthorexia and hypochondria, OCD. Never feels "perfect" enough. "I am flawed, in need of improvement, and others' desires are more important than my own. I have no inherent value." Can manifest as overly critical, analytical or detail- or health-obsessed or being disorganized and unhealthy. **Healed:** maintains balance with material and divine realms, finds appropriate outlet for sacred service, knows they're good enough as they are.

Seventh House/Libra: Issues around committed partnership, other people, relationships, contractual agreements. Feels like their very identity comes from their partner and being in relationship. "I need someone else to feel complete. Others' needs and opinions are more important than mine so I must sacrifice my desires." Can manifest as codependence and tunnel-vision focus on being in a partnership or being perpetually alone. **Healed:** balance between self and others, giving and receiving without strings, self-assured, decisive.

Eighth House/Scorpio: Struggles with "the holy trinity": sex, death, taxes. Challenges surrounding shared resources, joint ventures, long-term investments and wealth, merging, managing their intense emotions. May have approach-avoidance relationship with shadow work, death/rebirth/transformation, power and trust. Feels out of control and resorts to grasping, resisting or manipulating. "I am afraid of loss and death and must control everything to be safe. When I am vulnerable, I get hurt." Can manifest as obsessiveness, trust issues or hypersexuality—or dysfunction. **Healed:** finds strength and comfort in intimate relationships, accepts inevitability of death, finds empowerment in surrender.

Ninth House/Sagittarius: Obsession/insecurity around knowledge, wisdom, religion, philosophy, high vision, truth, justice, freedom, expansion, travel, foreign cultures, and a sense of belonging. Feels overwhelmed by too much to see/do/learn. "I will never know enough. [Or, I know everything.] I don't fit in anywhere." Can manifest as religious zeal, dogmatism, obsession with finding "truth" or utter lack of faith. Healed: forms their own opinions and accepts others', feels safe and connected anywhere, accepts that they will never have all the answers and that's okay!

Tenth House/Capricorn: Challenges around career, public image and professional reputation; doubts or undervalues their own achievements, prestige, recognition, outerworld success. Feels like an imposter, unworthy of acknowledgement. "I'm not as good/skilled as my peers. I need to play small and defer to others' authority." Can manifest as workaholism or always feeling like they have to prove something. **Healed:** self-assurance in career, sets challenges, understands that true rewards come from within., grateful for the chance to contribute.

Eleventh House/Aquarius: Struggles with finding their place in society, community, groups, and a healthy balance between individuality and conformity. While innovative and tech-savvy, can feel "born at the wrong time." Feels unsure when to fit in and when to relish their uniqueness. "No one understands me and I constantly feel rejected or out of place." Can manifest as shapeshifting to fit in or being excessively unconventional. **Healed:** values own individuality, knows when to stand out or speak up and when to blend in.

Twelfth House/Pisces: Insecurity with inner reality and other dimensions, can get lost in the collective unconscious, daydreams, escapism, notions of victimhood/martyrdom, addiction, dissolution. Not always sure what's "real" and what's imagination/projection. Feels trapped between two worlds and doesn't fully fit into either. "I am a fish out of water. I don't know what or who to believe or trust." Can manifest as the need for isolation and seeking ascension or codependence or soliciting pity. **Healed:** clear channel for higher guidance, confidently charts own course and forms healthy emotional bonds with others.