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CANCELLATION/NO SHOWS:

We require 24-hour notice if you are unable to make your appointment and reserve the right to charge you if you fail to contact our office in a timely manner.

After two failed appointments, the Dr. has the right to release you from her care and refuse to approve any further medication refills.

If you are late for your appointment, we have the right to reschedule your appointment as this delay affects not only the physicians but also others that may come after you.

PRESCRIPTIONS:

If you need a refill on a prescription, you may need to call your pharmacy and request a refill. They will contact our office for approval.

We require 48 hours' notice when requesting medication refills of any kind.

FINANCIAL POLICY:

We collect patient copay and/or deductibles prior to you seeing the physician. Please be prepared to pay. We accept Cash, Check, MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover.

MEDICAL INSURANCE CARD:

A copy of your Medical Insurance card is required **at every visit**. When asked for copies please provide this information as it is your responsibility to provide the insurance card. Your insurance may not cover the full cost of your charges, regardless of insurance, payment remains your personal responsibility and is due before you see the physician.

NURSE PRACTITIONER CONSENT FOR TREATMENT:

A nurse practitioner is not a Doctor. A Nurse Practitioner (NP) is a registered nurse who has completed specific advanced nursing education (generally a master's degree or doctoral degree) and training and can diagnose, treat, and monitor common acute and chronic disease, as well as provide health maintenance care. In addition, the NP may treat minor lacerations and other minor injuries. **PLEASE UNDERSTAND, YOU WILL EITHER SEE DR. STRENGTH, JAMES HAY (NP) OR KYLIE STEEN (NP).**

Parent/Guardian Signature