

Cancellation and No-Show Policy

Dear Patient:

We strive to meet and exceed the expectations of all our patients, and we are dedicated to rendering excellent medical care to you and the rest of our patients. In order to meet your needs, we are implementing a cancellation and no-show policy. This policy enables us to better utilize appointments for our patients.

We understand that situations arise in which you must cancel your appointment. It is therefore requested that if you must cancel your appointment, you provide a minimum 48 hours' notice.

Time is specifically reserved for you on the physician's schedule when you make your appointment. When sufficient notice is not given to cancel or reschedule your appointment, it does not give us enough time to contact another patient who could come into the office during your assigned time. This results in patients not getting the care they need when they need it.

Office appointments which are cancelled with less than 48-hour notification may be subject to a **\$50.00** cancellation fee. Cancelations less than 48 hours will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

Patients that do not show up for their appointment without a call to cancel their appointment will be considered a **NO SHOW**. Patients who no-show two times in a 12-month period may be dismissed from the practice and denied any future appointments. Patients may also be subject to a \$50.00 fee for not showing to an appointment.

NOTE: THESE FEES ARE NOT COVERED BY YOUR INSURANCES COMPANY AND ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILTY OF THE PATIENT AND MUST BE PAID IN FULL BEFORE THE NEXT APPOINTMENT.

Our practice firmly believes that physician/patient relationship is based upon understanding and good communication. Your health is important to us.

Patient Name (Please Print)	Date of Birth
Signature of Patient or Patient Representative	Date Signed

Please sign that you have read and understand this cancelation and no-show policy.