

Acknowledgement of Potential Charges

A routine wellness exam is a preventive medical service intended to identify new medical problems as well as educate patients on how to maintain and lead a healthy life style; its purpose is not to address specific complaints or manage known medical problems (such as headaches, high blood pressure and diabetes). If pre-existing medical conditions or significant new problems need to be addressed during a routine wellness exam, you may receive an additional office visit charge. These charges are required by your insurance. Charges are submitted to your insurance and are processed according to your insurance plan benefits and coverages.

Pricing for office visits varies depending on the complexity of the problem(s). Your insurance carrier may require a copay or apply a deductible for the office visit depending on your insurance plan benefit. Patients are responsible for any amount not covered by the insurance company.

<u>Included in your wellness exam</u>

Medical History

Review of medication list

Preventative screenings

Review of immunization status

Medical or other allergies

Social History

Family History

Surgical History

Review of systems

Vital signs

Complete physical exam (i.e. heart, lungs, skin, etc.)

Age appropriate pap smear (females)

Age appropriate prostate exam (males)

Ordering of screening labs

Health screening recommendations

Lifestyle behavioral recommendations

NOT included in your wellness exam

Evaluate and/or manage new medical problems Management of chronic health issues

(i.e. Diabetes)

Procedures/Injections

Immunizations

Non screening test (i.e. A1C, Glucose, Spirometry) Addressing worrisome or bothersome symptoms Identification of new problems by the provider for future workup

*An additional office visit will be billed.

**A copay or deductible payment will be required for this additional office visit charge.

Patient Name	Date of Birth
Signature_	Date

We highly recommend patients contact their insurance carrier to learn more about benefits and receive an estimate for treatment costs.