

INTERNAL MEDICINE AND PEDIATRIC ASSOCIATES OF BRISTOL, P.C.
OFFICE FINANCIAL POLICY

BASIC POLICY: Payment for service is due in full at the time service is provided in our office. We accept cash, checks and credit/debit cards.

FOR PATIENTS WITH INSURANCE: We bill most insurance carriers for you if proper paperwork is provided to us. Co-payments and deductibles are due at the time of service. So that we can keep our fees affordable, all balances owed to the practice should be paid within thirty (30) days of service.

MEDICARE PATIENTS: We will bill Medicare for you. We will also bill secondary insurances for you. All co-payments and deductibles are due at the time service is provided.

MEDICAID/TENNCARE PATIENTS: All Medicaid/TennCare patients must provide a current, valid card before being seen.

AUTO ACCIDENT: We do not file auto accident insurance. Payment in full is required at the time of service.

PROCEDURE FEES: All co-payments, deductibles and payments for non-covered procedures are due prior to your procedure. Prior authorization may be required by your carrier.

NON-COVERED SERVICES: Any care not paid for by your existing insurance coverage will require payment in full at the time services are provided or upon notice of insurance claim denial.

PERSONAL INJURY CASES: This office does not bill for automobile accident or other liability or lawsuit-related cases. You are responsible for payment at the time of service. We do not accept liens.

YEARLY HEALTH CHECKS: Periodic preventive health checks (physicals) may or may not be covered under your health insurance policy; however, they may be required by your physician.

MISSED APPOINTMENTS: In fairness to other patients and the doctor, we require at least 24 hours' notice to cancel appointments. You may be charged for missed appointments or dismissed from the practice for repeated violations.

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