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FINANCIAL POLICIES

As you know, healthcare billing can be very complicated and confusing. Therefore, please take a few moments to review our financial policies.

Adhering to these policies will reduce future billing problems, prevent delays in care and result in a better overall experience for you, our valued patient.

- ✓ We verify insurance eligibility prior to your first visit and pre-certify services when necessary. Benefit coverage and patient financial responsibility as disclosed by your insurance carrier will be reviewed with you upon request.
- ✓ If you are insured, payment of all out-of-pocket expenses is expected at the time of service. These include:
 - Deductibles
 - Co-payments
 - Co-insurance
 - Payment for services not covered by your insurance
- ✓ If insurance eligibility **cannot be verified**, a \$250.00 deposit will be collected prior to services being rendered, and the balance will be due at the time of check out.
- ✓ If you **are insured** by a plan that has a **high deductible**, a \$250.00 deposit may be collected prior to services being rendered, and the balance will be due at the time of check out.
- ✓ If you are **not insured** or Dr. Kim/Dr. Kornfeld are **not contracted** with your insurer, a \$250.00 deposit will be collected prior to services being rendered, and the balance will be due at the time of check out.
- ✓ If your account has an unpaid outstanding balance, we will be happy to schedule future visits and testing once the balance is satisfied or arrangements have been made with the Practice Manager or Billing Manager.
- ✓ The parent or guardian accompanying a minor is responsible for all out-of-pocket expenses at the time of service.
- ✓ We gladly accept all major credit cards, personal checks and cash.
- ✓ In the event you have questions regarding your bill or need assistance in making payment arrangements, please do not hesitate to call (727) 787-6744. Our physicians strive to meet the personalized needs of our patients. We are here to assist you.