

**PRIMARY CARE HEALTH PARTNERS
FINANCIAL POLICY**

Timber Lane Pediatrics

PAYMENT IS EXPECTED WHEN YOU COME IN FOR AN APPOINTMENT

- Co-payments, where applicable, are due upon check-in.
- Any deductible is due as soon as the amount can be determined.
- You are responsible for understanding what your insurance plan will cover or not cover.
- As a courtesy, we will bill non-participating insurance companies.

NOTIFY US OF ANY CHANGES IN YOUR ADDRESS AND/OR INSURANCE

- If your insurance changed, bring your new insurance card with you.
- Please contact your insurance company with insurance questions.

STATEMENTS ARE GENERATED FOR OUTSTANDING BALANCES

- If you are responsible for more than one patient account, we may offset an overpayment in one account to another account.
- We will assess a **\$25.00 service fee** for any checks returned unpaid.
- If payment is not received within **21 days** of the statement date, your account will be considered delinquent.

WE USE COLLECTION AGENCIES FOR DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS

- If your account is delinquent, we may list your default with credit reporting agencies.
- If you have a balance due, payment may be required before appointments are scheduled.
- If we incur any collection costs, these will be added to the balance you owe.

NOTIFY US TO CANCEL AN APPOINTMENT

- If you need to cancel an appointment, notify us **at least 24 hours before** the appointment.
- If you miss an appointment or are late in cancelling it, we may assess a **\$25.00 fee**.
- If you frequently miss or cancel appointments, you may be discharged from our practice.

WE USE AUTOMATED SYSTEMS FOR REMINDERS AND ACCOUNT FOLLOW-UP

- If you provide a cell phone number, you are authorizing us to use this number in our automated system for appointment reminders and follow ups on account balances.

Children's Names and Date of Birth

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I have read the above Financial Policy of Primary Care Health Partners and agree to its terms.

Insured/authorized representative signature _____ Date ____/____/____