

ELBERTA CLINIC NEW PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for your interest in joining our clinic. **Please be aware that we cannot fill or prescribe any controlled medications such as pain, anxiety, behavioral or sleep, due to new stricter regulations that have been placed on our providers.**

Please attach all copies of information requested below to your "new patient paperwork". If you are not able to supply copies, just present the items required when you deliver your new patient packet and we will be glad to make copies for you.

On the day of your first visit with us you will need to present the original cards (insurance and drivers license) to be scanned into our system. This information is obtained yearly or when any changes are made to your driver's license or insurance information. **Your packet will be reviewed only when all required information is supplied to our office.**

1. Insurance cards - we need a copy of the front and back of all cards.
2. Driver's license - we need a copy of the front and back. Only current and valid license will be accepted.

Prescription card - if you have a separate card from your main medical insurance. If you do then please have a copy of the front and back of the card.

We require all of our patients to have an annual wellness check-up performed by our Nurse Practitioners. This is generally required by most insurance companies. Research has found that when many illness are caught early you have a greater chance of survival.

Thank you,

The Elberta Clinic Staff

Elberta Clinic, PC
Patient Registration

Patient Information:

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____-____-____

Address: _____ SS# _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: Home: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Email: _____

Race: Asian Black Hispanic / Latino White Other Language: English Spanish Other _____

Marital Status: S M D W Sex: M F Age: _____ Ethnicity: Non-Hispanic Hispanic Other _____

Employer: _____ Hours/Days at Work: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ email: _____

Emergency Contacts:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone Numbers: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Responsible Party: If same as above skip this section

Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____-____-____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: Home: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Email: _____

Appointment Reminder consent text message and email notification

If you want to be notified of your appointments please provide your cell number, email and cell phone carrier below:

Cell #: _____

Email: _____

Cell phone carrier: _____

Signature _____ Date: _____

SELF OR PRIVATE PAY: Please read and sign if we are NOT filing insurance for you or the patient listed above.

I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges rendered to me or to the patient listed and agree to pay for such charges, present and future, at the time services are provided.

Signature of Patient or Responsible Party _____

HEALTH INSURANCE ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE

I, the undersigned, have insurance with _____
(Name of Insurance Company)

and assign directly to the physician providing services to me at Elberta Clinic, P.C. all medical benefits, if any, otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I hereby authorize the doctor to release all information necessary to secure the payment of benefits. I authorize the use of this signature on all my insurance submissions.

Signature of Insured/Guardian _____ Date _____

(MEDICARE ONLY)

MEDICARE AND MEDIGAP AUTHORIZATION

I request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits and Medigap benefits, if applicable, be made either to me or on my behalf to the physician providing services to me at Elberta Clinic, P.C. for any services furnished me by that physician. I authorize any holder of medical information about me to release to the Health Care Financing Administration and its agents any information needed to determine these benefits or the benefits payable for related services. I understand my signature requests that payment be made and authorizes release of medical information necessary to pay the claim. If "other health insurance" is indicated in item 9 of the HCFA-1500 form, or elsewhere on the other approved claim forms or electronically submitted claims, my signature authorizes releasing of the information to the insurer or agency shown. I understand that the deductible, coinsurance, and noncovered services will be my full responsibility.

Signature of Beneficiary _____ Date _____

(ALL PATIENTS)

CONSENT FOR TREATMENT

I hereby grant authorization and consent for medical treatment and procedures for myself or the patient listed above, and understand that no guarantee or assurance has been made as to the results which may be obtained.

Signature of Patient or Guardian _____ Date _____

INSURANCE: Patient's Name: _____

*PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

*PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR INSURANCE BY COMPLETEING ALL REQUESTED AREAS.

*ANY TRICARE MEMBERS MUST INCLUDE SUBSCRIBERS' SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (AS YOUR POLICY NUMBER) AND DATE OF BIRTH

*IF YOU HAVE COVERAGE WITH DUAL MEDICARE, BE SURE TO ALSO INCLUDE MEDICARE POLICY NUMBER IN SPACE BELOW.

*PROVIDE THE SPELLING OF NAME EXACTLY THE WAY IT IS ON EACH INSURANCE CARD.

1ST: PRIMARY INSURANCE COVERAGE

NAME _____ INS. COMPANY _____

POLICY/ID NUMBER _____ GROUP NUMBER _____

CLAIM ADDRESS _____

SUBSCRIBERS'S NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT: _____

2ND: SECONDARY INSURANCE COVERAGE

NAME _____ INS. COMPANY _____

POLICY/ID NUMBER _____ GROUP NUMBER _____

CLAIM ADDRESS _____

SUBSCRIBER'S NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

ADDRESS OF DIFFERENT: _____

3rd: INSURANCE TO PRIMARY INSURANCE

NAME _____ INS COMPANY: _____

POLICY/ID _____ GROUP _____

CLAIM ADDRESS _____

SUBSCRIBER'S NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT: _____

MEDICARE # IF NOT PROVIDED ABOVE _____ EFFECTIVE DATE _____

IN SIGNING BELOW, I ACKNOWLEDGE, TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITIES, THE INFORMATION IS CORRECT IN INFORMATION AS WELL AS PRIORITY.

NAME: _____ DATE: _____

THE ELBERTA FAMILY CLINIC, P.C.

POLICY 7

CONSENT FOR USE OR DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED
HEALTH INFORMATION FOR PAYMENT, TREATMENT
AND HEALTH CARE OPERATIONS

By signing below, you hereby consent for this Practice to use or disclose information about yourself (or another person for whom you have the authority to sign) that is protected under federal law, for the sole purposes of treatment, payment and health care operations. You may refuse to sign this consent form.

You should read the Notice of Privacy Practices for PHI attached to this form before signing the Consent. The terms of the Notice may change from time to time, and you may always get a revised copy of it by asking the Privacy Officer for this Practice.

You have the right to request that the Practice restrict how PHI is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment, or health care operations. The Practice is not required to agree to requested restrictions, however; if the Practice agrees to your requested restrictions, the restriction is binding on it.

Information about you is protected under federal law, and you have the right to revoke this Consent, unless we have taken action in reliance on your authorization (as determined by our Privacy Officer). By signing below, you recognize that the protected health information used or disclosed pursuant to this Consent may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected under federal law.

You may communicate with the following individuals regarding my condition or course of treatment: _____

You may communicate confidential information to me, including invoices for services, to the following address and/or phone numbers: _____

Individual Signature

Date

As a personal representative, I have authority
to act for the individual because I am the individual's

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION.
PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

HOW WE MAY USE AND DISCLOSE MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU. The following categories describe different ways that we use and disclose medical information. For each category of uses or disclosures, we will elaborate on the meaning and provide more specific examples, if you request. Not every use or disclosure in a category will be listed. However, all of the ways we are permitted to use and disclose information will fall within one of the categories.

For Payment. We may use and disclose medical information about you so that the treatment and services you receive at the practice may be billed to and payment may be collected from you, an insurance company or a third party. For example: we may disclose your record to an insurance company, so that we can get paid for treating you.

For Treatment. We may use medical information about you to provide you with medical treatment or services. We may disclose medical information about you to doctors, nurses, technicians, medical students, or other personnel who are involved in taking care of you at the practice or the hospital. For example, we may disclose medical information about you to people outside the practice who may be involved in your medical care, such as family members, clergy or other persons that are part of your care.

For Health Care Operations. We may use and disclose medical information about you for health care operations. These uses and disclosures are necessary to run the practice and ensure that all of our patients receive quality care. We may also disclose information to doctors, nurses, technicians, medical students, and other practice personnel for review and learning purposes. For example, we may review your record to assist our quality improvement efforts.

WHO WILL FOLLOW THIS NOTICE. This notice describes our practice's policies and procedures and that of any health care professional authorized to enter information into your medical chart, any member of a volunteer group which we allow to help you, as well as all employees, staff and other practice personnel.

POLICY REGARDING THE PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION. We create a record of the care and services you receive at the practice. We need this record in order to provide you with quality care and to comply with certain legal requirements. This notice applies to all of the records of your care generated by the practice, whether made by practice personnel or by your personal doctor. The law requires us to: make sure that medical information that identifies you is kept private; give you this notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to medical information about you; and to follow the terms of the notice that is currently in effect. Other ways we may use or disclose your protected healthcare information include: appointment reminders; as required by law; for health-related benefits and services; to individuals involved in your care or payment for your care; research; to avert a serious threat to health or safety; and for treatment alternatives. Other uses and disclosures of your personal information could include disclosure to, or for: coroners, medical examiners and funeral directors; health oversight activities, inmates; law enforcement; lawsuits and disputes; military and veterans; national security and intelligence activities; organ and tissue donation; protective services for the President and others; public health risks; and worker's compensation.

NOTICE OF INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS

You have the following rights regarding medical information we maintain about you:

Right to an Accounting of Disclosures. You have the right to request an "accounting of disclosures." This is a list of the disclosures we made of medical information about you. To request this list or accounting of disclosures, you must submit your request in writing to the Privacy Officer.

Right to Amend. If you feel that medical information we have about you is incorrect or incomplete, you may ask us to amend the information. You have the right to request an amendment for as long as the information is kept by, or for, the practice. To request an amendment, your request must be made in writing and submitted to the Privacy Officer and you must provide a reason that supports your request. We may deny your request for an amendment.

Right to Inspect and Copy. You have the right to inspect and copy medical information that may be used to make decisions about your care. We may deny your request to inspect and copy in certain very limited circumstances.

Right to a Paper Copy of this Notice. You have the right to a paper copy of this notice. You may ask us to give you a copy of this notice at any time.

Right to Request Confidential Communications. You have the right to request that we communicate with you about medical matters in a certain way or at a certain location. You must make your request in writing and you must specify how or where you wish to be contacted.

Right to Request Restrictions. You have the right to request a restriction or limitation on the medical information we use or disclose about you for treatment, payment or health care operations. You also have the right to request a limit on the medical information we disclose about you to someone who is involved in your care or the payment for your care, like a family member or friend. *We are not required to agree to your request.* If we do agree, we will comply with your request unless the information is needed to provide you emergency treatment. To request restrictions, you must make your request in writing to the Privacy Officer.

CHANGES TO THIS NOTICE. We reserve the right to change this notice. We will post a copy of the current notice in the practice's waiting room.

COMPLAINTS. If you believe your privacy rights have been violated, you may file a complaint with the practice or with the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services. To file a complaint with the practice, contact Laura Kichler, OM at 251-986-5057. All complaints must be submitted in writing. **You will not be penalized for filing a complaint.**

OTHER USES OF MEDICAL INFORMATION. Other uses and disclosures of medical information not covered by this notice or the laws that apply to use will be made only with your written authorization. If you provide us permission to use or disclose medical information about you, you may revoke that permission, in writing, at any time.

If you have any questions about this notice or would like to receive a more detailed explanation, please contact our Privacy Officer.

I acknowledge by signing below that I have received the Notice of Privacy Practices and Notice of Individual Rights.

Patient or Patient's Personal Representative

Date

Name: _____ Date of birth: _____ single married divorced widow(er)

Occupation: _____ Spouse's occupation: _____

Education: circle the last grade completed: high school 11 12 college post graduate

Have you lived outside of the U.S. in the last year? Yes/no Do you have pets? Yes/no

Who referred you to this clinic? _____

PLEASE LIST YOUR MEDICAL CONDITIONS:

HOSPITALIZATIONS/SURGERIES:

Surgery procedures and years performed

Hospitalizations other than surgeries

SOCIAL HISTORY

Do you smoke/dip? Yes/no If yes, how many packs a day for how many years _____ packs/day _____ years

Do you drink alcoholic beverages? If yes, type of alcohol, how much, how often? _____

Do you sleep well? Yes/no Snore? Yes/no Leg trouble at bedtime? Yes /no Do you drive fast? Yes/no

Wear a seat belt? Yes/no Do you gamble excessively? Yes/no

Do you have an exercise program? Describe: _____

Do you follow a special diet? Describe? _____

Women only:

Age at onset of menstruation? _____

Pregnancies: how many? _____

Date of last period? _____

children born alive? _____ Stillbirths? _____

Is it possible you are pregnant? _____

c-sections? _____ breast fed? _____

Do you see any specialists? Please list who and what conditions: _____

IMMUNIZATIONS:

Do you get yearly flu shots? Yes/no date of last shot? _____ Have you had a shingles shot? Yes/no When? _____

Have you had a pneumonia shot? Yes/no when? _____ Have you had a whooping cough shot? Yes/no

Do you remember the year of your last tetanus shot? _____

HEALTH MAINTENENCE:

When was your last yearly blood work? _____

When was your last mammogram? _____ where did you have your mammogram done? _____

When was your last colonoscopy? _____ What doctor and facility? _____

Have you ever received a blood transfusion? Yes/no Have you had a bone density/DEXA scan?yes/no when? _____

When was your last female check or PAP smear? _____ When was your last male prostate check? _____

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: (HAVE YOU EVER HAD?) Circle if yes

Chicken pox/mumps/whooping cough/measles/scarlet fever/mono

Hiatal hernia/ gall bladder problems/bleeding ulcers/inflammatory bowel disease/diverticular disease/abdominal cancer

Kidney stones/ bladder infections/ kidney failure/ bladder or prostate cancer/ sexually transmitted conditions

Abnormal moles/ skin cancers/ skin allergies/ rashes/ hives

Heart problems/ rhythm problems/blocked blood vessels/blood clots/ strokes/ angina/ heart failure/high blood pressure

Problems with surgeries/ blood clots after surgery/ free bleeding/ anemia or low iron/ frequent infections

Neurologic problems/ parkinson's disease/ stroke/ neuropathy/seizures or epilepsy/ migraine headaches

Lung problems/ pneumonias or recurrent bronchitis/ lung cancer/ clots in lungs/ asbestosis exposure/ TB/ asthma

Heavy periods/ lost pregnancies/ difficulty becoming pregnant/ menopausal issues/

Diabetes/ low blood sugar/ steroid use

Arthritis/ rheumatism/ bursitis/ rheumatoid/

x-ray therapy/ chemotherapy

depression/ nervous breakdown/ anxiety

Other: _____

INJURIES: Have you ever had any?

Broken bones? Yes/no If yes, year? _____ Surgery? _____

Concussion or head injury? Yes/no year? _____

Cuts/Sprains or dislocations? Yes/no year? _____

Whiplash or neck injury? Yes/no Year? _____

Other serious injuries? Yes/no year? _____

Serious car wreck? Year and injuries? _____

Do you have metal in your body or have a pacemaker? _____

ELBERTA CLINIC, PC

POLICY AGREEMENT

THE ELBERTA CLINIC STRIVES TO KEEP OUR PATIENTS HEALTHY. THEREFORE, WE HAVE INPLEMENTED A POLICY TO HOPEFULLY PREVENT CHRONIC DISEASE AND PROMOTE A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE.

IN ORDER TO DETECT DISEASES IN THEIR EARLY STAGE WE RECOMMEND AND ENCOURAGE ANNUAL WELLNESS VISITS AND HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENTS. THIS IS REQUIRED BY MOST INSURANCE COMPANIES AS WELL.

ONE OF OUR NURSE PRACTITIONERS WILL REVIEW THE PREVENTATIVE SCREENINGS THAT ARE DUE FOR YOUR AGE GROUP. SHE WILL DISCUSS THEM AND ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS YOU MAY HAVE. THIS MAY INCLUDE OUTPATIENT TESTING AND OR IN HOUSE VACCINATIONS. WE WILL SCHEDULE YOUR OUTPATIENT TEST AND NOTIFY YOU. IF YOU DON'T HEAR FROM US WITHIN A WEEK, PLEASE CALL 251-986-7301 AND PRESS OPTION 2.

WE ALSO REQUIRE ALL PATIENTS TO BRING THEIR MEDICATIONS TO EACH VISIT IN THE ORIGINAL BOTTLES. THIS IS IMPORTANT TO YOUR HEALTH AND TO PREVENT MEDICATION CONTRAINDICATIONS OR ADVERSE REACTIONS.

BY SIGNING BELOW, I ACKNOWLEDGE THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS OF ELBERTA CLINIC.

NAME _____ DATE _____