

PATIENTS WITH INSURANCE

Insurance is between you and your insurance company and not our office. We will be happy to bill your insurance for you, but payment for services is your responsibility.

Please understand that we get limited information from the insurance company when requesting your benefits. You are responsible for knowing what your benefits are and what they pay.

When your insurance states they will cover a certain percentage, that doesn't always mean they cover the percentage of our fee, it could mean that they pay a percentage of their fee schedule or allowed amount which at times could be significantly lower. Please read the fine print in your insurance booklet.

We estimate the percentage amount due from our fees and not from any insurance fee schedule or allowable amount.

Your deductible and your estimated copayments are due at the time of service unless prior arrangements have been made. If prior arrangements were not made in advance then estimated portion is due at the time of service.

We have outside financing available for your deductibles and copayments if needed through CARE CREDIT. Please ask and we will be happy to give you that information.

I give Dr. Knechtel my permission to release any information necessary to my insurance company to collect monies on my behalf and or for any appeals or disputes.

If you have any questions please ask and we will be happy to answer them for you.

Signature

Date