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Patient Responsibility Policy

Patients are financially responsible for services rendered without a valid referral, for non-covered services, out-of-network services, or services that your medical insurance provider determines in advance are not medically necessary.

<u>Medicaid/Medicare</u>: Our office does not accept Medicaid or Medicare. You are financially responsible for entire cost of all Medicaid/Medicare office visits.

- Provider Office Visits: It is your responsibility to confirm/verify with your insurance provider prior to office visits if the treating physician is in or out-ofnetwork. If you visit an out-of-network provider's office, you are financially responsible for entire cost of the visit.
- Lab and Test Services: Please use participating commercial lab(s) or specific participating hospitals covered under your plan. It is your responsibility to verify/confirm prior to services being rendered if participating commercial lab(s) and hospitals are in or out-of-network. You will be financially responsible for the cost of lab services and testing provided at non-participating locations not covered by your plan.
- **Medically Necessary Services:** Our office may seek payment from you for any services your insurance provider determines in advance are not medically necessary.

I have read and understand Eckardt Johanning MD's Patient Responsibility Policy.

- ➤ I understand that Eckardt Johanning MD does not accept Medicare and Medicaid; and that I am financially responsible for entire cost of all office visits.
- ➤ I understand that I am financially responsible for entire cost of all out-of-network office visits.
- ➤ I understand that I am financially responsible for entire cost of all services determined by my insurance provider to be medically unnecessary.

Signature (Patient, Parent or Guardian)	Relationship to Patient