

StoneCrest Internal Medicine
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Smyrna, TN 37167
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Welcome To Our Practice!

WELCOME

You, the patient, are the most important person in our office. We are committed to providing you with the best possible medical care. Excellence is our goal. We have worked to provide a full range of services and have highly trained and knowledgeable staff.

Please review and familiarize yourself with our office policies:

Office Procedures



Phones: Telephones are answered Monday through Friday 8am to 5pm.

Emergencies: For life threatening situations, call 911. If you have an urgent problem, please call our office for instructions. After hours, our answering service will inform you of how to reach a physician on call.

Test Results: For test results, we will follow up with you within 5 to 7 days. Abnormal results will be followed up as soon as possible.

Prescriptions: All prescriptions and refill requests should be requested during normal business hours. **Please have your pharmacy fax your refill request to (615) 768-7833 for medication renewals.** Please allow 24 to 48 hours for completion of the request. Be sure to call the pharmacy to see if the prescription is ready. Under no circumstances will pain medicine be called in during weekend hours or after hours. All mail order prescriptions will be written out and given to the patient. It is your responsibility to mail or fax this to your pharmacy insurance plan.

Phone Messages: Messages will be returned in 24 to 48 hours. Repeated phone calls will only delay the processing of your request.

Form Requests: If you are requesting forms to be filled out, please schedule an appointment or a fee of \$25.00 will be charged. Payment will be expected upon completion of the form.

Lab work: All lab work requires an appointment with the physician prior to labs being drawn.

Appointments For an appointment please call (615) 223-9233



- Please call in advance for routine office visits. Make follow-up appointments as you leave. We make every effort to stay on schedule, although emergencies arise. If we are seriously delayed, we attempt to notify patients beforehand.
- As a courtesy to other patients and staff, please notify our office as soon as possible if you are unable to keep your appointment. If you are **15 minutes** past your scheduled appointment time, we will need to reschedule. Multiple no-shows will result in termination from our practice.

Financial Policy



Co-payments and any outstanding balances are expected at the time of service. Insurance is filed as a courtesy; however, the patient is financially responsible for all services rendered. Patient accounts not paid promptly are subject to third part collections and/or legal procedures.

- If we are not a participating provider with your plan, we will provide you with a receipt for you to file with your insurance company.
- Any check returned from the bank will result in an additional **\$30.00 charge** that will appear on your account.
- If your insurance carrier has not responded to a claim within 90 days, we reserve the right to formally transfer all associated liability for the claim to the patient/ guarantor. Failure to promptly resolve balances may result in third party collection and/ or legal procedures be taken. Please keep a close watch for carrier claim payment and contact the insurance carrier

or clinic patient accounts representative at (615) 223-9233 in the event a claim is not resolved within 60 days from the date of service.

- We realize that emergencies do arise that may affect timely payment of your account. If such extreme cases do occur, please contact a patient account representative at (615) 223-9233.
- Please always notify our office of any change in name, address, phone, or insurance information.
- We accept: **Visa, MasterCard, and American Express, Cash, or Check.**

Insurance



Prior to your appointment, please check your insurance information so you will be informed about referrals, co-payments, and any deductible required at the time of the visit.

- For your first visit, please bring your insurance card and arrive early to complete necessary patient information forms.
- We accept Medicare as well as most insurers, however, please review all insurance information with our staff prior to services being rendered.
- Your health insurance contract is between you and your insurance company. Any complaints regarding your coverage should be directed to your carrier.
- Referrals: Please allow 48 hours for referral processing.

What do we need from you?

- To inform the medical practice staff of any pertinent changes in insurance, employment, demographic information, or relationships with other care/service givers.
- To arrive on time for scheduled appointments and cancel, when necessary, with a phone call.
- To provide payment for services requested and delivered by the medical practice not covered by insurance within 90 days.
- To notify the medical practice of any change in his/her health status.
- To follow the recommended treatment plans and inform the medical practice of any physical or mental impairment requiring special accommodation.
- To ask questions if directions and procedures are not understood.
- Bring all medicine bottles with you to every appointment.

Driving Directions



From downtown Nashville:

Take I-24 East to exit 66B. Turn right at the first traffic light onto StoneCrest Pkwy. The Physician Building is at the far right corner of the hospital.

From Murfreesboro:

Take I-24 West to exit 66. Turn right at the first traffic light onto StoneCrest Pkwy. The Physicians Building is at the far right corner of the hospital.

Patient Signature _____ Staff Signature _____

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Financial Policy

Thank you for choosing us as your healthcare provider. We are committed to your treatment being successful. Please understand that payment of your bill is considered part of your treatment. The following is a statement of our financial policy which we require you to read and sign prior to treatment.

Payment is due at the time of service. We accept cash, check, or Visa/ MasterCard.

Regarding Insurance

We file your insurance as a courtesy. The balance is your responsibility whether or not your insurance pays. We cannot file your insurance if you do not provide us with a copy of your insurance card. Your insurance policy is a contract between you and your insurance company. We are not a party to that contract. If we should file a claim for your services and your insurance company has not responded within forty-five days, you will be expected to pay the balance in full at that time. Please be aware that some, perhaps all, of the services provided may not be covered under your insurance plan.

Self-Pay Accounts

If a patient does not have insurance coverage, they are considered "self-pay accounts." Payments for all services (office visit, lab work, injections, etc.) are due at the completion of each visit. A 20% discount is given at the time of service and when payment is collected.

Regarding insurance plans when we are a participating provider: All co-pays and deductibles are due at the time of service. In the event that your insurance coverage changes to a plan where we are not a participating provider, refer to the above paragraphs.

Usual and Customary Rates

Our practice is committed to providing the best treatment for our patients and we charge what is usual and customary for our area. You are responsible for payment regardless of any insurance company's arbitrary determination of usual and customary rates.

Minor Patients

The adult accompanying a minor and the parents (or guardians of the minor) are responsible for payment. For unaccompanied minors, non-emergency treatment will be denied unless accompanied by an adult.

Thank you for understanding our financial policy. Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

I have read the financial policy. I understand and agree to this financial policy.

Signature _____ Date _____

Patient Name _____ DOB _____

Patient Information

Dr. Mr. Mrs. Ms. Jr. Sr. Other _____
 Patient's Name (Last) _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____
 Also Known As Name (Last) _____ (First) _____
 Marital Status Married Single Divorced Widowed Legally Separated Other _____
 Social Security Number _____ Female Male Date of Birth ____/____/____
 Email address _____
 Phone Numbers: Daytime _____ Home _____ Work _____ Cellular _____
 Evening _____ Home _____ Work _____ Other _____
 Address _____ City, State, Zip _____
 Employment Status: Employed Full-Time Study Part-Time Student Retired Self-Employed Unemployed
 Employer _____ Occupation _____
 Emergency Contact Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone number _____
 Do you have a living will? _____ How did you hear about our office? _____

Responsible party Information

Responsible Party Name (Last) _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____
 Also Known as (Last) _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____
 Social Security Number _____ Female Male Date of Birth ____/____/____
 Email address _____
 Phone Numbers: Daytime _____ Home _____ Work _____ Cellular _____
 Evening _____ Home _____ Work _____ Other _____
 Address _____ City, State, Zip _____
 Employment Status: Employed Full-Time Study Part-Time Student Retired Self-Employed Unemployed
 Employer _____ Phone Number _____
 Relationship to Patient _____

Primary Insurance Information

Name of Subscriber _____ Relationship to Subscriber _____
 Male Female Subscriber DOB ____/____/____ Subscriber Social Security Number _____ - ____ - ____
 Insurance Company/Phone Number _____ (____) _____
 Insurance Company Address _____
 Subscriber/ Policy ID _____ Group ID _____ Co-pay \$ _____
 Effective Date _____ Termination Date _____

Secondary Insurance Information

Name of Subscriber _____ Relationship to Subscriber _____
 Male Female Subscriber DOB ____/____/____ Subscriber Social Security Number _____ - ____ - ____
 Insurance Company/Phone Number _____ (____) _____
 Insurance Company Address _____
 Subscriber/ Policy ID _____ Group ID _____ Co-pay \$ _____
 Effective Date _____ Termination Date _____

I agree that the information supplied on this form is accurate and up-to-date to the best of my knowledge.
 Patient/ Responsible party Signature _____ Date _____

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Patient Consent Form

Please Read and Sign

I, the undersigned, hereby consent to the following treatment:

- Administration and performance for all treatments
- Administration of any needed anesthetics
- Performance of such procedures as may be deemed necessary or advisable in my treatment
- Use of prescribed medication
- Performance of diagnostic procedures/ tests and cultures
- Performance of other medically accepted laboratory tests that may be considered medically necessary or advisable based on the judgment of the attending physician or their assigned designees

I fully understand that this is given in advance of any specific diagnosis or treatment. I intend this consent to be continuing in nature even after a specific diagnosis has been made and treatment recommended. The consent will remain in full force until revoked in writing.

I understand that StoneCrest Internal Medicine may include consent at satellite offices under common ownership.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that StoneCrest Internal Medicine will use and disclose my information for the purposes of treatment, payment, and healthcare operations as described in the Notice of Privacy Practices.

A photocopy of this consent shall be considered as valid as the original.

Medicare Patients: I authorize to release medical information about me to the social security Administration or its intermediaries for my Medicare claims. I assign the benefits payable for services to StoneCrest Internal Medicine.

I certify that I have read and fully understand the above statements and consent fully and voluntarily to its contents.

Patient (or Responsible Party) Signature **Date**

I acknowledge that I have been given the StoneCrest Internal Medicine Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that if I have questions or complaints that I should contact the Privacy Official.

Patient Initials _____

SYSTEM REVIEW:

Do not check the positive & pertinent negative responses
 • For an "EXTENDED" system review - at least 2 systems
 • For a "COMPLETE" system review - at least 10 systems (Dictate responses to pertinent systems, then state: "All other systems negative")

• CONSTITUTIONAL SYMPTOMS

Good general health lately.....No Yes
 Recent weight changeNo Yes
 FeverNo Yes
 FatigueNo Yes
 HeadachesNo Yes

• EYES

Eye disease or injuryNo Yes
 Wear glasses/contact lensNo Yes
 Blurred or double visionNo Yes
 Glaucoma.....No Yes

• EARS/NOSE/MOUTH/THROAT

Hearing loss or ringingNo Yes
 Earaches or drainingNo Yes
 Chronic sinus problems or rhinitisNo Yes
 Nose bleedsNo Yes
 Mouth soresNo Yes
 Bleeding gums.....No Yes
 Bad breath or bad tasteNo Yes
 Sore throat or voice change.....No Yes
 Swollen glands in neckNo Yes

• CARDIOVASCULAR

Heart troubleNo Yes
 Chest pain or angina pectorisNo Yes
 PalpitationNo Yes
 Shortness of breath with walking or lying flatNo Yes
 Swelling of feet, ankles or handsNo Yes

• RESPIRATORY

Chronic or frequent coughs.....No Yes
 Spitting up blood.....No Yes
 Shortness of breathNo Yes
 Asthma or wheezingNo Yes

• GASTROINTESTINAL

Loss of appetiteNo Yes
 Change in bowel movementsNo Yes
 Nausea or vomiting.....No Yes
 Frequent diarrheaNo Yes
 Painful bowel movements or constipationNo Yes
 Rectal bleeding or blood in stoolNo Yes
 Abdominal pain or heartburnNo Yes
 Peptic ulcer (stomach or duodenal)No Yes

• GENTOURINARY

Frequent urination.....No Yes
 Burning or painful urinationNo Yes
 Blood in urineNo Yes
 Change in force of strain when urinatingNo Yes
 Incontinence or dribblingNo Yes
 Kidney stonesNo Yes
 Sexual difficultyNo Yes
 Male - testicle painNo Yes
 Female - pain with periodsNo Yes
 Female - irregular periods.....No Yes
 Female - vaginal bleeding.....No Yes
 Female - # of pregnancies # of miscarriages _____
 Female - date of last pap smear _____

• MUSCULOSKELETAL

Joint PainNo Yes
 Joint stiffness or swellingNo Yes
 Weakness of muscles or joints.....No Yes
 Muscle pain or cramps.....No Yes
 Back painNo Yes
 Cold extremities.....No Yes
 Difficulty in walkingNo Yes

• INTEGUMENTARY (skin, breast)

Rash or itching.....No Yes
 Change in skin colorNo Yes
 Change in hair or nails.....No Yes
 Varicose VeinsNo Yes
 Breast painNo Yes
 Breast lumpNo Yes
 Breast discharge.....No Yes

• NEUROLOGICAL

Frequent or recurring headachesNo Yes
 Light headed or dizzyNo Yes
 Convulsions or seizuresNo Yes
 Numbness or tingling sensationsNo Yes
 TremorsNo Yes
 Paralysis.....No Yes
 Stroke.....No Yes
 Head injuryNo Yes

• PSYCHIATRIC

Memory loss or confusionNo Yes
 NervousnessNo Yes
 DepressionNo Yes
 Insomnia.....No Yes

• ENDOCRINE

Glandular or hormone problemNo Yes
 Thyroid diseaseNo Yes
 DiabetesNo Yes
 Excessive thirst or urinationNo Yes
 Heat or cold intolerance.....No Yes
 Skin becoming dryerNo Yes
 Change in hat or glove sizeNo Yes

• HEMATOLOGIC/LYMPHATIC

Slow to heal after cutsNo Yes
 Bleeding or bruising tendency.....No Yes
 Anemia.....No Yes
 PhlebitisNo Yes
 Past transfusionNo Yes
 Enlarged glandsNo Yes

• ALLERGIC/IMMUNOLOGIC

History of skin reaction or other adverse reaction to:
 Penicillin or other antibioticsNo Yes
 Morphine, Demerol, or other narcotics.....No Yes
 Novocaine or other anestheticsNo Yes
 Aspirin or other pain remediesNo Yes
 Tetanus antitoxin or other serumsNo Yes
 Iodine methiolate or other antisepticsNo Yes
 Other drugs/medications _____
 Known food allergie. _____

Name _____

DOB _____



TRI STAR MEDICAL GROUP
StoneCrest Internal Medicine

Patient Name _____ DOB _____

Address _____

Please provide us with names, addresses, and telephone numbers of any physician who has seen you as a patient within the last two years.



TRISTAR MEDICAL GROUP
StoneCrest Internal Medicine

May StoneCrest Internal Medicine and/or members of the office staff release medical information to specified persons other than you? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please specify to whom this information may be released:

Authorized Person	Relationship to You
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

If we need to contact you regarding an appointment, may we leave a message on your answering machine? Yes _____ No _____

If we need to contact you regarding lab or test results, may we leave a message on your answering machine? Yes _____ No _____

May we leave a detailed message with the people listed above regarding lab or test results? Yes _____ No _____

If we are unable to reach you by phone, may we mail results to your home? Yes _____ No _____

I understand that as part of my continuing healthcare, my physician maintains medical records in his/her office, which contain my health history, symptoms, examination test results, diagnosis and treatment plans, to be used as a basis for planning my care and treatment, and that this information may be released to my other physicians/healthcare.

I understand that I have the right to request restrictions as to how my medical record may be used or disclosed.

I understand that my physician keeps on premises a copy of the "Notice of Privacy Practices for Protected Health Information" which provides a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my medical record, and that I have been provided the opportunity to review this document prior to signing this consent, and that a written copy will be provided to me on request.

I understand that my physician has the right to change this policy and that I will be notified in writing prior to any changes taking effect.

I understand that this document is a part of my permanent medical record, and that I may make changes regarding the disclosure of my health information at any time and that I need to notify my physician in writing of these changes.

 Patient Signature

 Date

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION (PHI)

Section A: This section must be completed for all Authorizations					
Patient's Name:		Birth Date:		Social Security Number:	
Provider's Name:		Recipient's Name: StoneCrest Internal Medicine		Physician:	
Provider's Address:		Address 1: 300 Stonecrest Blvd Suite 110			
		Phone/ Fax: P: 615-223-9233 F: 615-768-7833			
Phone/ Fax:		City: Smyrna		State: TN	Zip: 37167
P:		F:			
Expiration Date or Event: This authorization will expire on the following expiration date (or) expiration event: Date: _____ Event: _____					
Purpose of Disclosure:					
Description of Information to be Used or Disclosed					
Is this request for psychotherapy notes? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, then this is the only item you may request on this authorization. You must submit another authorization for other items below. <input type="checkbox"/> No, then you may check as many items below as you need.					
Description:		Date of Service:		Description:	
Date of Service:		Description:		Date of Service:	
<input type="checkbox"/> All PHI in Medical Record <input type="checkbox"/> Admission Form <input type="checkbox"/> Dictation Reports <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Orders <input type="checkbox"/> Intake/Output <input type="checkbox"/> Clinical Test <input type="checkbox"/> Medication Sheets		<input type="checkbox"/> Operative Information <input type="checkbox"/> Cath Lab <input type="checkbox"/> Special Test/Therapy <input type="checkbox"/> Rhythm Strips <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Forms <input type="checkbox"/> ER Information		<input type="checkbox"/> Labor/Delivery Summary <input type="checkbox"/> OB Nursing Assess <input type="checkbox"/> Postpartum Flow Sheet <input type="checkbox"/> Itemized Bill: <input type="checkbox"/> UB-92 Claim: <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	
I understand that:					
1. I acknowledge, and hereby consent to such, that protected health information may include information such as; alcohol, drug abuse, mental health, AIDS or HIV testing or treatment. _____ (Initial) 2. I may refuse to sign this authorization and my treatment will not be conditioned upon signature of the authorization (except for non-health related services such as pre-employment testing, life insurance exams, or drug screenings.) 3. I may revoke this authorization at any time in writing, but if I do, it will not have any affect on any actions taken prior to receiving revocation. Further details may be found in the Notice of Privacy Practices. 4. If the requester or receiver is not a health plan or health care provider, the released information may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations and may be re-disclosed. 5. There may be a reasonable fee to obtain a copy the information being requested on this form. 6. I get a copy of this form after I sign it.					
Section B: Is the request of PHI for the purpose of marketing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, the health plan or health care provider must complete Section B; otherwise skip to Section C.					
Will the recipient receive financial or in-kind compensation in exchange for using or disclosing this information? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, describe: _____					
Section C: Required Signatures					
I have read the above and authorize the disclosure of the protected health information as stated.					
Signature of Patient/Guardian/ or Personal Representative:				Date Signed:	