

SAFETY MATTERS

During this unique time, our offices and ambulatory surgery centers are open.



JOHNS HOPKINS
MEDICINE

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM US:



ENHANCED CLEANING AND DISINFECTING:

Our office and surgery centers are always clean, but we have now taken additional measures to further clean each individual site. We disinfect highly-touched surfaces throughout the day with EPA-approved disinfectants that are considered effective against coronavirus. We have also added extra time in between each visit to allow for additional social distancing and cleaning.



KNOWLEDGEABLE AND PREPARED STAFF

Our staff has been trained extensively on infection prevention protocols, which include comprehensive patient screenings and utilizing personal protective equipment (PPE) when providing patient care.



INCREASED SAFETY MEASURES:

We have equipped all registration desk staff with protective equipment and have implemented mandatory screening with questionnaires and temperature checks for all staff patients.



CONTINUOUS MONITORING:

Our leadership team meets on a continuous basis to ensure our safety protocols meet or exceed all currently accepted local and national guidelines.

WHAT WE ARE ASKING OF YOU:



SYMPTOMATIC PATIENTS:

If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 (fever > 100 degrees, chills, cough, shortness of breath or unexplained loss of taste or smell etc.), we kindly ask that you reschedule your appointment once you are symptom-free.



FACE MASKS:

We are asking everyone to please wear a face covering to protect themselves and others. Examples include: surgical mask, cloth mask, bandanna, scarf, neck gaiter or clothing without holes.



SOCIAL DISTANCING:

To keep all patients and our staff safe, we are adhering to social distancing by spacing our waiting room chairs to maintain a safe distance from fellow patients.



LIMIT PATIENT & STAFF EXPOSURE:

To minimize overcrowding, if you have someone accompany you who is not necessary to your care, we ask that they wait in the car or somewhere outside of our waiting room.



HYGIENE:

Please practice the appropriate hand-washing techniques or utilize sanitizers that contain at least 60% alcohol, directly before and immediately after your appointment. We are equipped with these materials.