

# **DEMOGRAPHICS AND INSURANCE**

#### Patient's Name:

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	Date of Birth:	
Cell Phone:		
Parent/Guardian #2: Name:	Relationship to mi	nor:
Cell Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Preferred Pharmacy:	Phone	#:
Whom may we call in case of an emergency? Na	me:	
Relationship to patient:	Primary Pho	ne #:
What if my child needs to see a provider? A paren	t or legal guardian must accompany patient	s who are minors.
I Please list ALL insurance information a	nsurance Information and plans the parent/guardian has h	ad within the last calendar year.
Insurance Company:	Insurance Phor	ne #:
Subscriber Name:	DOB:	SS#:
Insurance ID:		
Patient Relationship to Subscriber:		

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Patient Relationship to Subscriber:			



# PEDIATRIC MEDICAL HISTORY FORM

Patient Name:	DOB: //
Name of Person Completing Form:	Relation to Patient:
Present Health Concerns:	

MEDICATIONS: Please list all prescription and non-prescription medications, vitamins, home remedies, birth control, herbs, etc.

Medication Name	Dose	Frequency

\*\* If you are on 5 or more medications – please bring them with you to each appointment. \*\*

ALLERGIES: List all reactions to medicines, foods and other agents

Allergy	Reaction or Side Affect

**REVIEW OF SYSTEMS:** Please indicate with a check (V) any current or ongoing problems your child has on the list below

CONSTITUTIONAL Fevers/chills/sweats	<ul> <li>Abdominal pain</li> <li>Blood in bowel movement</li> <li>Nausea/vomiting/diarrhea</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Change in vision</li> <li>Nearsighted</li> <li>Farsighted</li> </ul>
Unexplained weight loss	NEUROLOGICAL	GENITOURINARY
Fatigue/weakness	Headaches	Nighttime urination
Excessive thirst or urination CARDIOVASCULAR	Dizziness/light-headedness	
	Numbness	Discharge from penis
Chest pain/discomfort	Memory loss	
Leg pain with exercise		
Palpitations	Loss of coordination	
GASTROINTESTINAL	EYES	

#### GYNECOLOGICAL

- . . . . .
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding
- Vaginal discharge
- Vaginal odor

#### EARS/NOSE/THROAT/MOUTH

- Difficulty hearing/ringing in
- Hay fever/allergies
- Problems with teeth/gums

#### HOSPITALIZATIONS: Please list all prior hospitalizations and dates.

Reason	Hospital / Clinic Name	Date

#### SURGERIES: Please list any surgeries, location, and dates.

Surgery	Hospital / Clinic Name	Date

#### PREGNANCY & BIRTH:

Is the patient yours by: □Birth □Adoption □Stepchild □Other: \_\_\_

Were there any medical problems during pregnancy? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_\_

RESPIRATORY

SKIN

Cough/wheeze

MUSCULO-SKELETAL

Difficulty breathing

Muscle/joint pain

Rash or mole change(s)

Were there problems during labor and delivery? 
□ Yes □ No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Were there problems such as needing oxygen, trouble breathing, jaundice (yellowness), after the patient's birth? 
Yes 
No 
If yes, please explain:

#### SLEEP:

How many hours a night does the patient sleep? \_\_\_\_\_\_ How many naps does the patient take per day and length of naps? \_\_\_\_\_\_ Does the patient have any sleep problems? □ Yes □ No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_\_

#### NUTRITION & FEEDING:

Milk intake now: □ Soy Milk □ Rice Milk □ Cow's Milk (%) □ other	r, please specify:
of ounces of milk per day	
Has the patient seen a dentist?   Yes  No If yes, date of last visit	·
What is the water source at the house?   City  Well	

PSYCHIA	TRIC
	Anxiety/stress
	Problems with sleep
	Depression

OTHER:

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#### **DEVELOPMENT:**

Were there any concerns about growth or progress made in such areas as rolling over, walking, riding a tricycle, dressing themself, or feeding themself? 
Yes 
No If yes, please explain:

Are there any areas of concerns about language or speech development? 

Yes 
No If yes, please explain:

Has your child ever been to occupational, physical, or speech therapy? 
□ Yes □ No If yes, please explain:

When the patient is in the car, do they use: 
Infant Seat 
Booster Seat 
Seatbelt Only
Does the patient wear a helmet while riding a bike? 
Yes 
No
Do you have concerns about the patient's behavior at home or in groups with other children? 
Yes 
No
If yes, please explain:
For Female Patients Only: Age at first menstrual period
Any issues / concerns?

#### SOCIAL HISTORY:

 Are the patient's parents:
 Married
 Never Married
 Separated
 Divorced If divorced, for how long?

 Mother's Employer:
 Mother's Occupation:

 Father's Employer:
 Father's Occupation:

Do any household members smoke? 

Yes 
No
Is violence in the home a concern? 
Yes 
No

Are there guns in the home? □ Yes □ No

Would you like to speak with the physician regarding the patient's: 
Alcohol Use 
Tobacco Use 
Sexual Activity 
Aggressive
Behavior

How many hours per day does the patient spend with the following: \_\_\_Watching TV \_\_\_On the Computer/iPad \_\_\_Playing Video Games

Do you have any concerns about lead exposure due to having an old home, or because of plumbing, and peeling paint? 
Yes 
No Do you have smoke detectors in your home? 
Yes 
No

#### SCHOOL HISTORY:

Did/Does the patient attend school/preschool? 

Yes 
No Current grade in school?

Name of School Attending:\_\_\_

Do you have concerns with how the patient is doing in school? 

Yes 
No

Any concerns about relationships with teachers or other students? 
Yes 
No

Does your child play any sports? 
Yes 
No How many times a week? How long (minutes) \_\_\_\_\_\_

Who lives at home with the patient?

Name	Date of Birth	Relationship

	Living Status	Asthma	Diabetes	High Blood Pressure	Heart Disease	Stroke	Heart Attack	Cancer (Type)	Substance Use Problems	Depression	Other
Mother											
Father											
Siblings											
Maternal Grandmother											
Maternal Grandfather											
Paternal Grandmother											
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Other Family Members Information: (please write in)											

**FAMILY HISTORY:** Please indicate with a check ( $\sqrt{}$ ) who in the patient's family has had the following conditions. In the first column please indicate their living status. L = Living, D = Deceased, U = Unknown.

**PREVIOUS PEDIATRICIANS:** Please list the names, address and phone numbers below of previous pediatricians the child has seen from birth until current age.

Practice / Doctor Name	Address	Phone Number



### CONSENT FOR TREATMENT AND PRACTICE PRIVACY POLICIES

### 1. CONSENT FOR TREATMENT

I hereby consent to examination and treatment by Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington, including diagnostic and/or other procedures ordered by the provider.

#### 2. ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS

I authorize direct payment of benefits provided under any health care plan or medical expense policy due to me or payable on my behalf to Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington. I further authorize release of information required by any third party payor regarding this claim. I permit a copy of this authorization to be used in place of the original. I acknowledge that any or all of the expenses not paid by my third party payor, as defined under my plan benefit contract, are my responsibility.

#### 3. PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I acknowledge that Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington has provided me with a written copy of their Notice of Privacy Practices, if so requested. I also acknowledge that I have been afforded the opportunity to read the Notice of Privacy Practices and ask questions, which explains how my medical information will be used and disclosed.

#### 4. PAYMENT

I accept financial responsibility for payments for all services and products received. All copayments and deductibles must be paid at the time of service. This arrangement is part of your contract with your insurance company. You may pay by cash, check or credit card. I also understand there will be an additional \$50.00 late fee added to my child's account for any past due balance greater than 60 days and bounced checks for each date of service. I have also been made aware that Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington does not take credit card payments over the phone. I understand my child's past due account may get placed with a collection agency

#### 5. PATIENT AUTHORIZATION

I authorize Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington to send copies of my child's records to other providers as needed for continuity of care. I agree and understand that a copy of my child's medical records including developmental progress, and behavioral health records, will be included as part of my child's health information. I also agree that Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington can release my records to accrediting or regulatory agencies, if those agencies request my records and if the law allows these agencies to see my records.

#### 6. TEXT MESSAGING CONSENT

By signing below, I authorize Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington to contact me by automated SMS text messages for appointment reminders. I understand that

message/data rates may apply to messages sent by Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington under my cell phone plan. I know that I am under no obligation to authorize Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington to send me text messages. I may opt-out of receiving these communications at any time by calling the office at (859) 286-9046. Please allow 5-7 business days for processing. I understand that text messaging is not a secure format of communication. There is some risk that individually identifiable health information and other sensitive or confidential information contained in such text may be misdirected, disclosed to, or intercepted by unauthorized third parties. Information included in text messages may include your child's first name, date/time of appointments, name of provider, and provider phone number, or other other pertinent information. By signing below, I indicate that I am the primary user for the mobile phone listed on the registration form. I accept the risk explained above and consent to receive text messages via automated technology from Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington to the phone number I have provided.

#### 7. AUTHORIZATION TO COMMUNICATE HEALTH INFORMATION

I authorize Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington to leave messages on my answering machine, voicemail, or with individuals who answer the phone numbers provided on the patient registration form. Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington will share private health information with authorized individuals.

#### 8. WELL CHILD VISITS

To ensure the best possible care for your child, we ask that you attend all scheduled well-child visits in accordance with the American Academy of Pediatrics' recommended schedule. These visits are essential for immunization counseling, disease detection, growth and development monitoring, and establishing a strong relationship between your family and our healthcare provider. In the event that you choose to miss <u>1</u> scheduled visit, we will provide written notification of our need to dismiss you from our practice at Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington.

Please initial each statement and sign below. By signing below, I attest I have read the above and authorize Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington, to treat, bill, and share my medical information as discussed above.

Signature of Patient/Parent or Guardian(if minor)

Name of Patient/Parent or Guardian (if minor)

Relationship to Patient (if minor)

Date



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# **Our Vaccine Friendly Policy**

Willow Tree Pediatrics is a vaccine-friendly environment and believes that parents should be free to select the best "medical home" for their children, regardless of one's philosophy on vaccination.

We do not receive any government funding or grants for vaccines. Therefore, we do not keep all vaccines in our practice. If our provider orders a vaccine that is not routinely stocked, then you will be referred to Kroger Little Clinic to make a vaccine appointment. You will book your appointment online and take a vaccine order with you to the appointment.

Some parents choose to vaccinate their kids consistent with the recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics and we have parents fit in this category. However, some of our parents choose not to vaccinate their children, others want to partially vaccinate or follow alternative vaccination schedules, and still others just want help figuring out what will be best for their child. If you fit into any of these categories, you may have had a hard time finding a pediatric provider in Fayette County. Many doctors abandon patients for simply requesting an alternative vaccine schedule or even for asking too many questions. We deeply respect each individual parent's right to choose how to proceed with vaccinating their children without the threat of having their choice of pediatric home being threatened.

If you decide to do anything less than the recommended schedule, we will respect your wishes but you acknowledge your decision and its risks are solely your responsibility and that we are not accountable for any adversity should your child suffer from a disease for which there is a vaccination.

I have read and acknowledge this statement.

PATIENT'S NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE

TODAY'S DATE



# APPOINTMENT CANCELLATION/ NO SHOW POLICY

Thank you for trusting your medical care to Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington. When you schedule an appointment with Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington, we set aside enough time to provide you with the highest quality care. Should you need to cancel or reschedule an appointment please contact our office as soon as possible, and no later than 24 hours prior to your scheduled appointment. This gives us time to schedule other patients who may be waiting for an appointment. Please see our Appointment Cancellation / No Call No Show Policy below.

- Effective January 1, 2025, any established patient who fails to show or cancels/reschedules an appointment and has not contacted our office with at least 24 hours notice will be charged a \$50.00 fee.
- Any established patient who fails to show or cancels/reschedules an appointment without a 24 hour notice a **second** time will be charged a **\$75.00 fee**.
- If a patient accumulates a third cancellation/reschedule without a 24 hour notice, a \$75.00 fee will be assessed and the patient may be dismissed from Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington.
- The fee is charged to the patient, not the insurance, and is **due before the patient can be seen again in the office.**

As a courtesy, when time allows, we make reminder calls for appointments. If you do not receive a reminder call or message, the above Policy will remain in effect. We understand there may be times when an unforeseen emergency occurs and you may not be able to keep your scheduled appointment. If you should experience extenuating circumstances please contact our Administrative Assistant: who may be able to waive the No Show fee. You may contact Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at the number above. Should it be after regular business hours Monday through Thursday, or a weekend, you may leave a message to cancel your appointment.

I have read and understand the Medical Appointment Cancellation/No Show Policy and agree to its terms.

Signature (Parent/Legal Guardian)

Relationship to Patient

Printed Name

Date



# PATIENT PORTAL AGREEMENT

By accessing and using the portal, you are indicating your acceptance and confirm that you have read, understood, and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of this Agreement and the related Notice of Privacy Practices. If you do not accept these terms and conditions, your immediate remedy is to not access or continue to use the portal.

In this agreement, you understand that the portal is not meant to be used in case of an emergency. For all matters requiring urgent care, which you believe may negatively impact your health or well-being, you understand that you must call 911 or proceed to the nearest emergency department.

This Patient Portal is provided as a courtesy to our patients. You will receive an email to login and gain access to your child's account after your first visit. However, if abuse or negligent usage of the Patient Portal persists, we reserve the right, at our discretion, to terminate Patient Portal offering, suspend user access and modify services available through the Patient Portal.

In the patient portal, there are many features you can utilize, such as viewing medical records, such as lab results, direct messaging, accessing immunization records, and seeing upcoming appointments.

If needed, you can message our medical assistant(s) directly through the portal with any questions you may have in regards to your children's care. Messaging the medical assistant with questions through the portal is our preferred choice of communication. Patient-initiated digital communications provided by the provider fall under <u>online digital evaluation services</u>, or <u>e-visits</u>. Therefore, messaging our provider directly for medical advice will be billed to your insurance which often requires a copay. With direct messaging, I understand that it can take 24-48 hours to receive a response.

By signing this form, I certify that I have read this form and/or has this form explained to me. I fully understand its contents and I have been given an opportunity to ask any questions and that those questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

Name of Patient/Parent or Guardian (if minor)

Signature of Patient/Parent or Guardian (if minor)

Today's Date

Relationship to Patient (if minor)



# Well Visits and Office Visits

Well baby and well child visit definition - "Routine doctor visits for comprehensive preventive health services that occur when a baby is young and annual visits until a child reaches age 21. Services include physical exam and measurements, vision and hearing screening, and oral health risk assessments." -Healthcare.gov

**Office visit definition** - An appointment designed to discuss new or existing health issues, concerns, worries, or symptoms. Your provider may order tests, prescribe medication, refer you to a specialist or provide advice and education. Office visits are covered by a standard insurance copay or deductible.

# Please read and initial that you understand and agree to the following:

\_\_\_\_\_I understand that I may receive a bill for an office visit during a well visit appointment if the appointment meets any of the criteria of the office visit definition mentioned above.

I may receive a bill if my child's insurance plan is not ACA-compliant. While new group health plans and exchange plans are required to cover all parts of the well child visit with no cost sharing, many health insurance plans are exempt from the ACA and, as a result, this requirement. These include existing unchanged health plans from before the ACA became law ("grandfathered" plans), federal employee plans, government plans like Tricare or ChampVA, ERISA-based self-insured plans, and membership plans like faith-based cost-sharing services.

\_\_\_\_\_ I may receive a bill if my child's insurance plan is ACA-compliant, but my child(ren) received some preventive services which are not part of the ACA-recommended list.

The list of services that ACA-compliant plans are expected to cover can be found at the US Preventive Services Task Force. For example, routine vaccines—not travel vaccines—are in the list of covered preventive services. If a child received a travel vaccine as part of a well-child visit, an ACA-compliant plan may not full cover the cost of the travel vaccine (even though it is a preventive service).

\_\_\_\_\_I may receive a bill if my child's insurance plan is ACA-compliant, but my child(ren) received some non-preventive services as part of the visit. Well visits are intended for covered **preventive** services only.

Some examples of items that are NOT a part of a well visit are rapid strep test for strep throat or evaluation of chronic headaches done at a well-child visit. While both of these services help promote wellness, neither are included in the definition of a standard well-child visit service and will result in an additional charge based on the rules of your insurance plan. We encourage patients to schedule a separate visit(unless it is an acute issue) for issues outside of the well visit so that the provider may set aside the time needed for the issues.

\_\_\_\_\_I may receive a bill if my child's insurance plan is ACA-compliant, but my child(ren) receive more frequent services than is typical.

This occurs when well-child visits are scheduled closer together than what the insurance company considers to be "annual." Some insurance companies pay for one well child visit per calendar year. This means a child might have a check-up in September one year and July the next. Other insurance companies have more stringent rules and say that at least 365 days must pass between well exams. If not, the second well visit will be denied by your insurance company, and you will be responsible for the charge. Be sure you understand your insurance company's definition of "annual" before scheduling the appointment.

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date



859-286-9046

# **Annual Administration Fee**

Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington is committed to providing you with exceptional care. As you know, many changes have taken place in the healthcare industry. Amongst these changes is the rise in administrative costs of operating a doctor's office. Services that were once covered by insurance are not either partially covered, covered under certain medical necessities, or not covered at all. We want to continue to provide the highest quality of medical care to our families, but unfortunately, this includes providing services that are no longer covered by your insurance company. Over the past several years, Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington has absorbed the cost of these non-covered services. In the current environment, this has become unsustainable. This fee is designed to bundle together the cost of certain services. Your out-of-pocket expenses will be lower by charging an annual fee than charging you for individual services.

- Prescription refill requests occurring outside of appointments and prior authorizations
- Letters to schools for your child's needs
- Medical records transfer costs when sharing records with specialists
- Completing health forms for school / camp / sports forms / immunization records
- Access to HIPAA compliant portal for secure messaging with the office

The new patient administrative fee for Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington families is:

- Families with one child \$125.00
- Families with two children- \$150.00
- Families with three or more children- \$175.00

I, the undersigned, agree to the Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington administrative fee. I understand that the annual administrative fee is paid and renewed yearly and covers for services not covered by my insurance plan. I am aware that additional children in the family will automatically be added. I agree to pay the additional cost within 15 days after a new child is added to my family.

The renewal cost for the annual administrative fee for established patients of Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington families is:

- Families with one child \$25.00 per year
- Families with two children \$50.00 per year
- Families with three children \$75.00 per year

I have read and understand the administrative fee information and agree to the terms of Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington's annual administrative fee policy. I agree to pay this fee for items and services not covered and not reimbursed by my insurance plan. I understand this fee is not applied to any copayments or deductible payments that I am responsible for.

Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date	
Relationship to Patient(s):		
Patient Name:	DOB:	



# **NEWBORN INSURANCE VERIFICATION**

Dear Parent,

Congratulations on the birth of your new baby! We welcome you to Willow Tree Pediatrics of Lexington.

Please take the time to fill out this form so we may be able to file your insurance claims correctly for you. It is imperative that you add your new baby to your policy immediately. You must complete the required paperwork for your employer as you only have **30 days** to have your baby added to your policy. Your child does not have to have a social security number before adding them.

Child's Name:
Mother's Name and Date of Birth:
Mother's Insurance:
Policy Number:
Group Number:
Father's Name and Date of Birth:
Father's Insurance:
Policy Number:
Group Number:
Which plan will you be adding your child to?
Please return this form to our office and provide a copy of both insurance cards to our

staff at this first visit.

I understand if my child is not added to the insurance within the first 30 days, I will be responsible for the balance accrued during that time.