

# Financial Policy for Surgery and Procedures

**Thank you for choosing our physicians as part of your care team. We are committed to providing you with quality and affordable health care options for all of your orthopaedic needs.**

Should your physician recommend a large treatment plan, including surgical treatments and injections, our patients will be provided with a cost estimate as it pertains to any out-of-pocket portion. This estimate, which will be made available to you prior to services being rendered, is based on your eligibility and benefit coverage as offered in your insurance policy. Please note that this is not a guarantee of payment by your health insurance. Final determination is made when the claim is received and processed by them. Should you wish, our benefit specialist will happily walk you through the estimation.

Any out-of-pocket estimate will be required in full as a deposit towards treatment. The deposit and/or any self-pay fee for surgery or injection will be due in advance, at least one week prior to the procedure. Any balance remaining, after insurance payment and deposit have been applied, is due within 30 days.

**48-hour notice is required for all surgery cancellations. A \$200.00 fee will be assessed and surgery will not be rescheduled until the fee is paid.**

Surgical assistants are an integral part of our surgical team. They provide our surgeons with valuable assistance during the peri-operative period. Some insurance companies do not provide reimbursement for surgical assistants.

**In that event, you will be financially responsible for their service and our practice fee will be reduced to \$250 for each assistant at surgery.**

Should you have any questions regarding these policies, please contact one of our benefits specialists at 703.444.5000.

## Arthritis & Sports Practitioners



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