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NOTICE TO PATIENTS ABOUT ANNUAL PHYSICIAL/WELLNESS VISITS

Many insurance plans pay for an annual physical examination of wellness visit; however, plans and coverage change frequently. Verbiage varies by insurer-annual wellness visit (AWV) or physical examination (PE) are two of the more common names.

These annual examinations are a time for you and your provider to focus on your preventative health care such as vaccinations and cancer screenings and review of stable chronic conditions.

These visits are NOT for the management of current (acute) medical problems, new problems, new or adjusted prescriptions needed for chronic complex conditions.

If you have a medical problem that you would like to address at the same time as your physical examination or wellness visit, there will be an additional office visit charge.

I have received and understand the above information.

Patient Signature: _____Date: _____