

## **COVID-19 Patient Policy**

For those patients with significant exposure to COVID or a current case of COVID, we ask you to undertake a telehealth visit if appropriate or wait 5 days from onset of symptoms or positive testing before coming into the office. If you are in our office from day 6 to 10 after a COVID diagnosis, please let the front office staff know you have recently been diagnosed with COVID and remained masked for the entirety of the visit while in our office. If the provider feels you must be seen within the initial 5-day COVID window, the provider may make other arrangements for you to be seen. This may include recommending you be seen in the hospital.

## Patients are asked to reschedule their visit or move to a telehealth visit if they have:

- COVID-19 exposure risk in the last 5 days
- Tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 5 days
- Pending COVID-19 test results
- Fever (temperature greater than 100.0)
- Respiratory symptoms from COVID, flu, RSV, or other illness
- New onset loss of taste or smell

## **Visitor Policy**

Due to limited space in our waiting rooms, we ask that all patients respectfully come alone to their appointments when possible.

**Obstetric patients:** Patients are allowed to have 1 guest accompany the patient to their appointment, including ultrasounds. Please limit additional guests due to lack of space.

For more information regarding COVID-19 and pregnancy, please see our ACOG FAQ patient education sheet located under our Health Library tab.