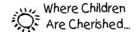
Welcome to Alliance Pediatrics, PA!



Thank you for your interest in bringing your new baby to Alliance Pediatrics!

There are a few things you should know after your little one arrives:

- Adding your baby to your health insurance: Make sure you contact your HR department and let them know you want to add the baby to your insurance; they may have an enrollment form that you can complete to help make the addition of a dependent to your policy smoother.
- **Circumcisions:** If you have had a boy, you have the option of having the circumcision done at the office after your first appointment; you can discuss this with the Pediatrician at the hospital before being discharged. If you have Medicaid, this service is not covered and is a \$200 flat fee to be paid at check-in the day of the appointment (cash or credit only).
- **First Appointment at our office:** The Pediatrician who discharges your baby will let you know when you should make the **first appointment.** You can then call our office at (352)335-8888 to register the baby into our system. Make sure you have your insurance card on hand and know who the "guarantor" will be. The "guarantor" will be the person responsible for all financial aspects of the account, and can be different then the "insurance holder (subscriber)" on the account. Just keep in mind that the guarantor will **NEED** to be present at your first appointment to sign the New Patient Paperwork as well as present the Driver's license to be scanned into our system.
- **New Baby Appointments:** Your first appointment with the office will happen within the first few days of your baby's birth. As there will be some paperwork we need you to fill out, please try to arrive at least 15 minutes early. The next appointment will be <u>2 weeks</u> after birth, to recheck weight and the general health of your baby. You will then have a <u>one month</u> appointment and following that a <u>two month</u> appointment. Please see the schedule of visits on the back of this handout to review the important appointments ahead to monitor your baby's growth and development.
- Vaccines for Medicaid Patients: Our office does not currently participate in the Vaccines for Children Program. All visits, sick and well child checkups will occur at Alliance Pediatrics, however patients will need to receive their shots at the local health department.

ATTENTION-READ THIS:
PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU REVIEW AND UNDERSTAND
OUR NEW POLICY ON VACCINATIONS (ATTACHED TO THIS FORM).