

Accurate Clinic

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Pain Management Visits

The management of chronic pain requires significant time for proper assessment and chart documentation for each visit. Therefore pain management visits are limited to the management of pain. This means that if you wish to have other conditions assessed and managed, including anxiety, depression, high blood pressure, cholesterol, weight loss, quitting smoking or other acute or chronic conditions not specifically a part of your chronic pain management, it will require a separate visit to be scheduled. This separate visit may be scheduled for the same day as the pain visit if desired but it requires an additional block of time to allow for the assessment and chart documentation pertinent to the separate condition being managed. There may be a separate charge for this service.

Management of Anxiety and Depression

We provide counseling and medical management of anxiety and depression as well as other psychological conditions. For episodic care of these complaints, an Urgent Care visit can be provided to manage short term needs. For long term management, however, it is necessary for a patient to be evaluated by our licensed psychotherapist. Subsequent to the psychotherapist's initial evaluation, a plan for long term care will be developed to allow for periodic sessions with the psychotherapist as frequently as needed.

The charge for the initial 1-hour assessment visit with the psychotherapist is \$85. Subsequent 30 minute reassessment visits are \$50 and can be scheduled on a regular basis or based on the patient's needs.

If management requires the prescribing of controlled medications such as the benzodiazepines (Xanax, Valium, Klonopin etc.), there is a no-refill prescription policy so monthly visits with the physician are required. Dr. Ehlenberger does not prescribe benzodiazepines to those patients he prescribes opioid pain medications. For other medications, refills may be provided up to a 6 month supply based on the discretion of the physician.

Urgent Care

Dr. Ehlenberger is board certified in Emergency Medicine and offers urgent care visits to our patients, their families and the public. Walk-in service is provided but, if possible, please call ahead to schedule an appointment to reduce your wait time. If you present to the clinic for a scheduled appointment and you wish to be evaluated for an additional, urgent complaint such as an acute illness or injury, please notify the receptionist immediately upon arrival - do not wait until you see the physician for your appointment and then make your request. Since separate charting and triage are required for any additional urgent care assessment, it will create a longer wait for you to be evaluated if you do not notify the receptionist at check-in.



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Please ask the receptionist for further information about our additional medical services for yourself, your family or your friends.