



Greetings from Barton Women's Health

Health care is personal and we know you have many choices in your care. Thank you for choosing the practice of Barton Women's Health for your gynecological and/or obstetric care. We look forward to seeing you and taking part in your medical care with us. Below are a few items to assist you with your care in this office:

Prescription Refills:

In order to help us properly process your requests we ask that you contact your pharmacy first and have them fax us a refill request. We strive to renew refills the same day, but this may not always be possible. In some cases it may take up to 72 hours to process a refill. If you have an ongoing prescription or a medication you take daily be sure to call at least a week prior to running out to avoid any disruption in your medication. Generally prescriptions are not called in or refilled over the weekend. Not all medications are covered, so please bring a copy of your formulary to your appointment, so a covered medication can be prescribed, if possible.

Schedule Appointments:

You've heard the cliché before: An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. It gets repeated so often because it's true. Most medical conditions benefit greatly from early detection. By scheduling annual visits with your doctor, you can feel confident you're doing everything you can to address issues before they become dangerous. If you have issues between your annual visits, please call to schedule an appointment. Never be afraid to ask questions if you don't understand something your doctor has said. We will make every effort to provide you with an appointment in a timely manner; however we do not always have the capability to accommodate same day appointments. While we do understand unforeseen issues may arise we ask that you try to schedule in advance for routine appointments.

Office Hours:

Monday – Friday from 8:30 am – 5 pm, but are closed for major holidays.

Emergencies:

The phone number for Barton Women's Health is the same, day or night – 530-543-5711. When calling after hours, our answering service may be able to contact either your own physician, or another trusted physician. The physician on call may not be immediately available. If you do not receive a call back in a timely manner, you have the option to go to the nearest emergency room, or call 911.

Again, we thank you for choosing Barton Women's Health for your health care needs.

Sincerely,

Our physicians and staff