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## Anticipated Fee Schedule for Our Obstetric Care & Delivery

5/4/17

### Office Visits:

Initial Visit, OB I	New Patient	\$387
	Established Patient	\$250
Establish Care & Ultrasound		
OB II	Est. Patient	\$174
History & Lab Work		
OB III	Est. Patient	\$250
Physical Exam, Pap & Cultures		
Subsequent OB Check Visits		
	Est. Patient	\$174 -\$250

After the first three (3) visits, we will see you in the office once a month visits until your 30<sup>th</sup> week. We will see you in the office every other week until your 36<sup>th</sup> week. Thereafter, we will be seeing you weekly until you deliver.

Please note these charges are for routine obstetrical care only. There will be additional charges for high risk pregnancies or office visits that entail more than the time allotted for routine obstetrical care.

### Ultrasounds:

Performed in this office	\$485.00
Separate Facility	These ultrasounds will be billed by the facility where the test is performed.

### Delivery Fees:

Vaginal Delivery Only	\$4025
With Postpartum Care	\$4955
Cesarean Section Only	\$5000
With Postpartum/Post Op Care	\$5622
VBAC Deliveries are additional and cannot always be determined until after delivery.	
2-6 Week Postpartum Visit	\$650
You will only be billed this charge separately if you are delivered by another physician in our call group.	

#### *Call Group:*

Wynd Counts, MD, Wendy Cruz, MD, Kristina Eaton, MD, Melanie McCleave, MD, John DeKeyser MD.

*\*\*Delivery Fees will vary if you are delivered by an on-call physician\*\**

### Non-Stress Tests (NST) & Biophysical Profiles (BPP):

NST	\$352
BPP	\$650

Separate facility

These tests will be billed by the facility where the test is performed.

**Labs:**

**\*\*\*ALL labs except Pap smears & In-house tests are billed to your or your insurance directly from Quest laboratories. The fees are set by Quest and are subject to change without prior notice. Also Quest does not bill your secondary insurance until you call them with the appropriate information\*\*\***

An OB Panel will be taken at your OB II visit. A 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester Screen is also taken at the 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> week of pregnancy; this is done at AK Family Sonograms. A Pap will be obtained during your OB III visit. At your 28<sup>th</sup> week, a 1 Hr. Glucose, CBC, Antibody Screen, & a 3 Hr. Glucose (only if indicated) will be taken. A Group B Strep Strep Culture will be obtained at your 36<sup>th</sup> week.

**Vaccines:** Due to differences in insurance policies, few insurances are covering the cost of immunizations. Medicaid, Medicare, & TRICARE are known to NOT cover vaccines given in an office setting. We will be asking that our OB patients covered by these policies to choose:

1. Have their immunization here in the office and pay us directly.
2. Have our office call in a prescription for the vaccine, bring it directly, immediately to our office and we will inject it.
3. Have our office write you an order of the immunization and you get it at the pharmacy (or base) of your choice. That entity will then bill your insurance.

**Obstetrical Patients with two (2) or more insurances:** We understand that you may think that this will cover your entire bill. However, our experience has shown that this is not necessarily the case.

**Obstetrical Patients with Medicaid:** During your pregnancy you are not required to pay the \$3 co-pay. We still require a copy of your Medicaid coupon or card.

**Obstetrical Patients with TRICARE:**

*PRIME:* We must have an active referral from the base with John B DeKeyser, MD specifically noted. If you would like an IUD or other form of birth control at your final postpartum, that must also be on the referral.

*Standard: **We do not bill globally.*** There will be a \$20 co-pay due at each visit.

*\*\*We do not see patients with any TRICARE for non-obstetrics/gynecological issues\*\**

There will be additional charges billed to you and/or your insurance by the neonatologist, pediatrician, assistant surgeons, hospitals, and any other physician that you may have contact with in-reference to you and your baby's care.

Please rest assured that we will refund to you any money that creates a credit in a timely manner after your last postpartum visit and all of the claims with your insurance have been paid.

At any time you may ask for an accounting of you billing. We would be happy to go over it with you. Every insurance company is different and there are many policies within a given company. It is **NOT** the responsibility of our office to know exactly what amount your insurance will pay on your obstetrical care & delivery. What we most commonly experience is that most insurance companies cover 80% after you have met your deductible. The remaining 20% is your responsibility. Please note you will be held responsible for any amount that your insurance company has not covered.

**This is our company policy.  
The fees listed above are estimated and are subject to change.**