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Acknowledgement of Risks Relating to COVID-19

COVID-19 poses a significant risk to our patients and staff until there is effective vaccination of the public. Infection control measures are in place for the protection of you, other patients, and our staff as part of our commitment to your health, safety, and well-being. Nevertheless, in-facility (office/clinic/face to face) medical treatment presents an unavoidable risk of exposure to COVID-19 that must be minimized to the extent possible by social distancing (when possible), wearing masks, frequent hand washing, and any other available safety measures.

Every patient will be treated as if they are potentially infected and we will use personal protection precautions, gowns, gloves, masks, hair and shoe covers and face shields for the safety of our patients and our staff. We also have installed HEPA/UV filters in every room and in common areas to further help avoid the risk of exposure. Hand sanitizer is provided in common areas and also in the patient rooms. If you have a fever, cough or respiratory symptoms, a mask must be worn.

Dr. Mickey and her staff take the COVID-19 pandemic seriously and are doing everything to minimize the risk of exposure to our patients and staff. Your understanding and cooperation during this unprecedented time is appreciated.

My signature (if patient is a minor, a parent must sign) below acknowledges that I have read and understand the risks relating to COVID-19.

Signature of patient/parent

Date