

WESTGLEN GASTROINTESTINAL CONSULTANTS (WGGI)  
DBA: KANSAS CITY NORTH GI

Account #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear patients,

Please read the information below pertaining to your procedure scheduled with one of our Providers. We want to make our patients aware of the charges that may incur pertaining to your procedure. Please remember you will receive several invoices due to your procedure.

- **Professional fees**- Is the fee charged for services from the Physician performing the procedure.
- **Facility fee**- These fees are separate than the professional fees. This invoice will come from the facility, (*WestGlen Endoscopy Center, Providence Hospital, Liberty, etc.*) the place of service in which you have your procedure.
- **Anesthesia Fees**- Like physician specialists (pediatricians, obstetrician, surgeons, etc.) that you commonly receive health care, you will receive a bill from your anesthesiologist. These are for the professional services provided by your anesthesiologist at the time of the procedure.  
On your hospital or facilities bill, you may notice some anesthesia-related charges. These are for the supplies and equipment used by your anesthesiologist during your procedure. These are not for the professional services provided.
- **Pathology Fees**- If any biopsies are taken during the time of the procedure, you will be charged a fee. This fee is for the preparation/reading of the biopsies.

*\*\*\*\*If your procedure is scheduled at **WestGlen Endoscopy Center** your pathology fee for the preparation of the reading will be listed on your invoice from WestGlen GI Consultants. You will receive a separate invoice from **Advanced Pathology Solutions** for the complete reading of the Pathology. This is the Pathologist fee for reading the biopsies. \*\*\*\**

Your insurance company will be billed for all the services listed above; however, you may be responsible for any deductible or co-insurance payments. Some facilities require payment for any deductible or co-insurance payments before time of service. You will need to contact the facility if you have any questions pertaining to your insurance.

**WestGlen GI Consultants, only collects self-pay patients fees up front before time of service or your procedure will be cancelled.** You will need to call the Administration office at **913-962-2122** to make payment arrangements. Any additional insurance and billing concerns please call **913-962-2122**. We will be happy to help answer any additional questions you may have.

Thank you,  
WestGlen GI Management

I have read and understand the above information.

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**Signature of Patient or Representative**

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**Staff initials**