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## No-Show Policy

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The providers at the PVMC aim to provide timely and cost-effective medical care to our patients.

In order for this to occur, it is incumbent upon the patient to show up for scheduled appointments. Patients that do not show for an appointment have effectively taken that appointment away from other patients to use. No-show appointments also cause a loss of revenue for the clinic. Revenue is required for us to stay fully staffed, open, and to provide after-hours call.

If a patient misses two appointments, that patient will be charged \$75 for the third and any further appointments that are missed. We may also require payment at the time of appointment scheduling for patients who demonstrate this pattern.

Thank You,

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