

## Medicare Patients

Barnett Family Practice strives to provide high quality care by reviewing your needs, your complaints, your prior problems, and addressing preventative health issues.

Over the years, Medicare has come to define what they will and will not pay for in regards to your care. **Medicare does not pay for full routine physical.** However, Medicare does pay for a one-time “Welcome to Medicare” visit and for “Annual Wellness” visits. These visits are specifically limited to a patient preventative consultation. If your provider addresses problems, chronic or acute, during your visit that will be billed separately. For more information, please visit the Medicare website at [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov) or contact our office. If you still prefer to have a full routine physical exam it must be scheduled separately.

**Because you are scheduled for a preventative appointment, please sign below in acknowledgement of your understanding of your financial obligation.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to pay out-of-pocket any portion not covered by Medicare for preventative health.

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Patient Signature

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Date