

**FINANCIAL POLICIES  
OF  
PEDIATRIC ASSOCIATES**

We are happy to bill your insurance company for your office or hospital visits. To do so effectively, we must ask that you provide and keep us continually updated with current insurance information. If you fail to provide your insurance information, you will be held financially responsible for your entire bill. We do not routinely file secondary insurance. For information on participating insurance plans, contact our billing office at 816.561.8100 (both Plaza and Lee's Summit patients.)

An explanation of benefits statement (commonly called an EOB) should be sent from your insurance company, listing the amount of insurance payment and any additional amounts you may owe. Many insurance policies also require you to pay co-insurance or deductible in addition to a co-pay. We ask that you review your EOB and understand your obligations. If you have questions, we suggest you call your insurance company at the number listed on your insurance card.

**IT IS IMPERATIVE YOUR CO-PAY BE PAID AT THE TIME OF VISIT.** Failure to pay the co-pays puts you in violation of your insurance policy and may subject you to referral to an outside collection agency.

We do not routinely bill you until your insurance company has processed your claim. Unfortunately, some insurance companies may take several months to adjudicate a claim. Should you have questions regarding a bill, please do not hesitate to call our billing office. Your cooperation and assistance are greatly appreciated.