

ACKNOWLEDGMENT for Patients

During this pandemic, CVMG continues to provide superior patient care for its patients. We are providing this care in extraordinary times as a service to you and the community, with some mandated limitation of resources. Please note: CVMG will not be functioning as a facility that will be treating COVID 19 patients. Those services are being offered at specialized centers which are specifically designed and operated to manage communicable disease.

During these extraordinary times, your physicians have decided what testing is appropriate to provide, which testing can be delayed and which test should be deferred. Kindly direct your questions about this only to your physician and not our staff. We recommend that in general elective testing be postponed. Please discuss the deferral of testing with you physician not our staff and if you are not comfortable proceeding consider deferring testing.

Please recognize that each of these dedicated committed health care professionals is working as a volunteer to serve your medical needs. Each staff member will be practicing standard precautions and following safe practices for communicable disease to the best of his or her ability.

We will not be able to be perfect in this regard unlike hospital facilities, emergency rooms, and health care locations designed to deal with communicable diseases directly.

We trust you will be treating our staff with restraint and respect when each provides direction on your activities in the office by cooperating in things such as cleaning hands, observing social distancing, placing on masks and other precautions. Should you be uncomfortable with these directions you may wish to delay your visits.

In times like this, there are always risks of contracting disease as a consequence of your visit, coming in contact with other patients or with staff members or physicians. We believe this risk is manageable and we have and will continue to do our best to reduce the risk. We cannot eliminate the risk. We take this opportunity to advise you of these risks.

We will do the best we can to continue to provide non COVID 19 related care to you and your family. We thank you for your understanding, trust and loyalty and we remain open to serve your needs.

Kindly sign this document to acknowledge these extortionary conditions during your visit.

Without your signed endorsement of the foregoing, you acknowledge that we cannot serve your needs.

We wish you good health as we power through this crisis.

DATED: ____ __, 2020

(Print Name)

WITNESSED BY: _____