

Medical Chaperone Form

Examinations are an important part of the delivery of preventative care and diagnostic process. Your scheduled appointment with your Health Care Provider may include a sensitive physical or virtual examination. A sensitive examination is defined as:

- A genital and rectal examination regardless of gender; or
- A breast examination for patients who identify as female.

It is the policy of The Corvallis Clinic to offer patients who may undergo a sensitive examination the opportunity to have a medical chaperone present. A medical chaperone is either an individual who holds a license to practice a health care profession or an individual who has been trained as a chaperone and is not a personal friend or relative of the patient or the provider. Your Health Care Provider is not required to offer a medical chaperone where failure to examine you would result in significant and imminent harm, such as during a medical emergency.

As a patient being treated at The Corvallis Clinic, you have the right to elect to have or decline to have a medical chaperone present during a sensitive examination.

For today's examination, please check one box only regarding a medical chaperone.

- YES:** I elect to have a medical chaperone during my sensitive examination. I understand if no medical chaperone is available for the examination, I have a right to decline the examination and will be given the opportunity to reschedule.
- NO:** I decline to have a medical chaperone during my sensitive examination. I understand that my Health Care Provider may defer the examination if in their professional judgement deferring the sensitive examination is in my best interest.

Patient Name:	Date:
Patient/Legally Responsible Person Signature:	

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Provider Name:	Date of Exam:
Chaperone Name:	Title/Credentials:
Portion of Exam Witnessed: <input type="checkbox"/> Genital <input type="checkbox"/> Rectal <input type="checkbox"/> Breast <input type="checkbox"/> Other	