

YRMC Virtual Care Terms of Use and Conditions of Service

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YRMC Virtual Care Platform Terms of Use

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This Agreement is governed by and interpreted under the laws of the State of Arizona and the federal laws of the United States, without regard to conflicts of laws principles. This Agreement and access to the Website will be deemed to have been performed and occurred in the State of Arizona and the courts of that State will have exclusive jurisdiction to entertain any action arising under this Agreement. You hereby irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of the courts of the State of Arizona, the County of Yavapai and waive any objections as to personal jurisdiction, venue and forum nonconveniens.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Please read this information carefully and ask questions if you do not understand. If you would like an interpreter, we will provide on at no charge. By using the Platform, you are agreeing and consenting to the information within.

AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL AND SURGICAL TREATMENT:

- YRMC works with a variety of physicians, medical providers and/or group. Although some of these providers are YRMC employees most are independent contractors and not employees or agents of the YRMC. YRMC is not liable for the acts or omissions of the independent physicians or contracted providers.
- I consent to any examinations, procedures, treatments and services under the general or special instructions of my physician(s). I authorize YRMC, its employees, agents, students and physicians caring for me to treat my condition(s) to include telemedicine services and/or consultations.
- I have been informed of the treatment and/or procedures considered necessary for my condition(s). No guarantees have been made to me regarding the results of my examination or treatment.
- Photographs and/or videotapes may be taken and used as part of my medical record.

HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONERS: Health care practitioners includes Medical Doctors (MD), Osteopathic Doctors (DO), Surgeons, Anesthesiologists, Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists, Physician Assistants (PA), Nurse Practitioners (NP), Radiologists, Pathologists, Cardiologists, Emergency Physicians, Imaging Services, Dialysis Services and any other treating providers. Although some health care practitioners are employed by YRMC, most are neither employees nor agents of YRMC and are considered independent contractors. I understand that YRMC is not liable for the ordering or providing of treatment by those health care practitioners who are not YRMC employees.

RELEASE OF INFORMATION: I authorize YRMC under state and Federal law to release all or any part of my record (including alcohol or drug abuse, HIV-related or communicable disease information) to persons or organizations for such purposes as treatment, billing and collection, insurance and quality review, medical audits, organ donation and treatment by and payment of other providers. I understand that YRMC may retrieve medical record history, prescription history and/or other medical information from other health care providers for my care and treatment.

FINANCIAL AGREEMENT: I understand that I am responsible for my bill and if my insurance company has not paid within 45 days of my visit that this account will be considered past due and I will be responsible for payment. At YRMC's option, a delinquent account may be charged interest at the rate of 18% per annum from date of my visit until paid in full. Physicians may bill separately from the YRMC. If those physicians do not participate in the same insurance plans as YRMC, this could affect the reimbursement made by the insurance plan to the physicians. To the extent not expressly prohibited by law, I agree to pay physicians' bills that are not paid in full by the health insurance carrier or other third party payer. I also agree to pay any applicable health insurance deductibles and copayments.

ASSIGNMENT: I understand that I am responsible for any charges not covered. If I am eligible for Medicare benefits, I will assign the benefits payable for physician services to physician or organization furnishing the services and authorize those entities to bill and collect from Medicare directly. If I am entitled to benefits arising out of any insurance policy insuring me or any other party liable to me, I will assign such benefits to YRMC or any person or entity providing services to me to pay my bill.

AUTO-DIALING: I understands that I may be contacted using prerecorded/artificial voice messages and/or use of an automatic telephone dialing system, via e-mail, via text messages or and other forms of electronic communication. Additionally, I understand that I may be contacted by telephone, including cellular phone numbers associated with my account.

CERTIFICATIONS: I certify that:

- I am the patient or the patient's duly authorized and legal representative with full legal authority to execute this agreement for and on behalf of the patient.
- I have read the foregoing and received a copy.
- I fully understand the content and significance of this document.
- I agree to all terms in this Conditions of Service.

NOTIFICATIONS:

HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE (HIE):

- I understand that YRMC is a participant of the Arizona statewide Health Information Exchange (HIE).
- I acknowledge receipt of and have read and understand the HIE <u>Notice of Health</u> <u>Information Practice.</u>
- I understand that I can change a decision regarding opting out or opting back in at any time by contacting Patient Access at 928-771-5110 and requesting the appropriate form.
- For more information you may visit the Health Current website.

PATIENT CARE PARTNERSHIP (PATIENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES):

acknowledge receipt of the Patient Care Partnership (Patient Rights and Responsibilities).

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES: I acknowledge receipt of YRMC's <u>Notice of Privacy</u> <u>Practices</u>

NOTICE OF NONDISCIMMINATION:

YRMC complies with applicable civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex. YRMC does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.

YRMC:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages.

If you need these services, contract the 1557 Coordinator at 928-771-5688 or **corporatecompliance@yrmc.org**.

If you believe that YRMC has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with: 1557 Coordinator/Corporate Compliance Officer, (1003 Willow Creek Road Prescott, AZ 86301, 928-771-5688 (p), (928-771-5391 (f), or <u>corporatecompliance@yrmc.org</u>). You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, the 1557 Coordinator/Corporate Compliance Officer is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office of Civil Rights Complaint Portal, which

is available at: https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf , or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW Room 509F HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201, 1-800-368-1019 or 1-800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html

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 You may ask for a copy of the <u>Patient Handbook</u>, <u>Patient Care Partnership</u> and/or the <u>Notice of Privacy Practices</u> at any time. These documents may also be viewed on Yavapai Regional Medical Center's <u>website</u>.

INQUIRIES:

For inquiries or more information about these Terms, please contact us at:

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