



## **Medical Home Agreement**

## Your healthcare is a team approach involving both you and your PCP

## Your Medical Home PCP is responsible for:

- 1. Honoring your rights as a patient and treating you with dignity and respect.
- 2. Listening to your concerns, educating you on your health care needs and preventive services.
- 3. Treating you as a whole person: physically, mentally, and emotionally.
- 4. Providing you with ongoing quality, and safe medical care, including prevention of future health complications.
- 5. Working to schedule timely office appointments for your chronic and urgent healthcare needs.
- 6. Being available to you 24 hours a day, by office appointment, phone calls and/or other electronic communication.
- 7. Providing you with other healthcare resources when they are absent or unavailable.
- 8. Providing you with referrals to specialists as deemed medically necessary by your PCP.
- 9. Providing you with treatment, medications, equipment, and any other resources deemed medically necessary by your PCP.

## As a Medical Home Patient, you are responsible for:

- 1. Working with your PCP to meet all of your health care needs.
- 2. Communicating with your PCP about all your healthcare concerns and goals.
- 3. Reporting any changes related to your health, treatments, medications, etc.
  - This includes use of all medications prescription, over-the-counter, herbal and street drugs.
  - This also includes any medical equipment being used or that has been ordered or recommended for use.
- 4. Calling your PCP before going to the Emergency Room, unless it is life threatening.
- 5. Notifying your PCP after any Emergency Room, Urgent Care Clinic or Hospital visit.
- 6. Scheduling medical appointments in a timely manner, including follow-up appointments.
- 7. Keeping appointments as scheduled with your PCP and any appointments scheduled with a specialist.
- 8. Calling before your appointment time to cancel or reschedule the appointment as soon as you are aware that you will not be able to make the appointment.
- 9. Understanding that you may be dismissed from your PCP if you repeatedly miss appointments without notice or do not follow the responsibilities listed in the medical home agreement.