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Henry Lindner, MD

# Contract and Fees

Dr. Lindner does not provide any primary, urgent, or emergent medical care. All patients must retain their own primary care provider. For any significant after-hours medical problems, patients must contact their primary care doctor or go to an emergency room. Dr. Lindner is available by phone only during business hours on M-T-W-F. He will answer e-mails within 24hrs, and usually before 6pm on clinic days.

An in-office consultation is required at least once per year to renew prescription hormone therapy, except in unusual circumstances. A phone or office consult is required to renew prescriptions. Patients should have labs drawn soon after the date specified so that an appointment can be arranged before refills run out. If no labs are needed, call our office for an appointment after obtaining your last refill. There is a minimum \$10 charge for refills needed due to failure to do labs or arrange a consult on time.

Basic Fee: \$7 per minute for consultation and documentation time

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| <u>Office Consultations</u> 20 minutes or less, minimum charge   | \$140       |
| 30 minutes   | \$210       |
| 45 minutes   | \$315       |
| 1 hour   | \$420       |
| <u>Phone Consultations</u> including post-call documentation time, minimum charge                          | \$70        |
| 10 minutes or less, >10 minutes charged at \$7/min, <u>same cost as office consultations</u>               |             |
| <u>E-mail Correspondence</u> (for established patients)  | Free        |
| Including a new prescription or laboratory test request  | \$20        |
| Including two or more prescriptions and/or lab request, in lieu of a consultation                          | 30-\$70     |
| <u>Late Refills and Replacement Laboratory Requests</u> (handled by Carol)                                 | \$10        |
| (All interim charges are added to the patient's account, to be paid at next phone or office consultation.) |             |
| <u>Formal Letters and Reports</u>  | \$100-\$200 |

Fees are subject to change without notice. The above fee schedule does not include costs for lab tests, hormones, or supplements, which the patient will purchase directly from the supplier. Dr. Lindner does not bill insurance for consultations and does not participate in Medicare, Medicaid, or any insurance plans. Patients may submit paid invoices to their medical insurance, but not all will reimburse for services provided by a non-participating physician. Lab tests and hormones are generally covered by Medicare or PPO private insurance plans if the insurer agrees that the test or prescription is necessary. HMO's will not cover tests or prescriptions ordered by doctors who are not in the HMO.

I understand that I am responsible for Dr. Lindner's fees for determining whether labwork will be covered by my insurance before undergoing testing ordered by Dr. Lindner.

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Signed

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