



# Self Pay Pricing Program

## Medical

New Patient Appointment with the doctor: \$450

Routine Follow Up or Family Visit with the doctor: \$275

Extended Follow Up with the doctor: \$350

New Patient Appointment with the APRN: \$300

Follow Up or Family Visit with the APRN: \$175

Cognitive Exam with APRN: \$225

Quality Measures/Care Plan with APRN: \$275

EMG 1 limb (including nerve conduction study): \$375

EMG 2 limbs (including nerve conduction study): \$475

EMG 3 limbs (including nerve conduction study): \$600

EMG 4 limbs (including nerve conduction study): \$700

EEG (routine, up to 40 minutes, inc. reading): \$460

EEG (extended/sleep deprived up to 60 min, inc. reading): \$550

## Administrative

Medical Records: \$1 per page plus shipping

Letters and/or Forms to fill out: \$25 up to 5 pages

No Show/Cancellation fees - New Patient and Testing: \$100 Follow Ups: \$75

Notary Services Available Upon Request

Prices are subject to change at any time without notice and may vary depending on case outcomes and urgency. Any price changes will be communicated, when possible, in advance or at the time the appointment is made.

## **Gardens Neurology self-pay fee schedule common FAQ's**

Please read below to help you understand why the doctor opted out of accepting insurance and what you can expect as far as your financial planning and calculations prior to all visits with our providers.

### **Do you accept insurance?**

The doctor opted out of Medicare and does not accept any other insurances. This allows him to focus on providing personalized, high-quality care without the limitations imposed by insurance companies who keep insisting that he spend less time with his patients. Also, the staff is able to be more hands on with the patients by reducing the administrative burdens that insurances create. We prioritize your health, not insurance requirements. Medicare is accepted by the nurse practitioner who sees the patient after the initial visit with the doctor. The doctor does require that all patients see him at least once a year to ensure the best continuity of care.

### **Are you a concierge type practice?**

Gardens Neurology is NOT a concierge type clinic, and our payment model follows the "fee for service" type practice. You do NOT have to pay any fees (annual or otherwise) unless you see the doctor. Concierge practices charge thousands of dollars just to belong, whether the patient is seen or not. Your responsibility here is to pay the visit fee only when seeing the doctor. If you do not have Medicare, you will be a self-pay type patient when seeing the nurse as well, but we can provide you with a superbill to submit to your insurer for possible reimbursement.

### **What are your fees and do you offer discounts?**

Our fees bill by time and are transparent (posted online and in our waiting room) and reflect the time, expertise and level of care we provide. They are aligned with other providers' charges in the area. Longer visits and procedures will cost more, however, we will gladly review the costs in advance to help you plan accordingly. As far as discounts are concerned, we understand that healthcare costs can be a concern. To ensure fairness and consistency for all our patients, we do not offer discounts however, we are committed to helping our patients in pursuing great care. The options are as follows: As a Medicare patient you can see the Nurse Practitioner (after seeing the doctor) since those visits are covered (unless you have a deductible, copay or coinsurance) and for non-Medicare patients, we offer an itemized superbill they can submit to their insurer for out of network benefits reimbursement. Such reimbursement is not guaranteed and depends on each individual plan. When reimbursed, the amount will be dependent on your policy but will NOT cover the entire cost of the visit.

### **What forms of payment do you accept?**

We accept all major credit cards, debit cards, checks and cash. Your self-pay payments will NOT include a processing fee however when paying with a credit card for any deductibles, copays, coinsurances or any balances due from visits with the nurse practitioner, a processing fee will be applied (3.5%).

### **How is your practice different?**

Our model allows for longer visits, more direct communications and a stronger focus on individualized care. We get to know you and your family which allows us to provide the highest quality of comprehensive care. We aim to create a more personal and responsive healthcare experience which handles everything in-house (no call centers, no answering service, no third-party administrators).