

Safety Measures

For Patients



Patient Safety

Below are important safety measures for your consideration. If you have any questions regarding these measures, please call us at 877-646-1716.

Adverse Drug Reactions

If you are experiencing adverse effects to the medication, please contact your prescribing doctor or the pharmacy as soon as possible. If it is a life-threatening medical emergency requiring immediate care, call 911 or go to your nearest emergency department.

Proper Disposal of Sharp Medical Objects

If applicable, place all needles, syringes, and other sharp objects into a dedicated container. This container may be provided by the Pharmacy if you are prescribed an injectable medication.

Proper Disposal of Unused Medications

For instructions on how to properly dispose of unused medications, check with your local waste collection service. You can also check the following websites for additional information:

- www.fda.gov/drugs/ensuring-safe-use-medicine/safe-disposal-medicines
- www.fda.gov/consumers/consumer-updates

Home Safety Tips

- If children are in the home, store medications and poisons in childproof containers and out of reach.
- All medication should be labeled clearly and left in original containers.
- Do not give or take any medication that was prescribed for other people.
- When taking or giving medication, read the label and measure doses carefully.
- Know the side effects of the medication you are taking.

Hand Washing

You can help yourself and your loved ones stay healthy by washing your hands often, especially during situations where you are likely to get and spread germs.

Hand Sanitizer

Washing hands with soap and water is the best way to get rid of germs in most situations. If soap and water are not readily available, you can use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.