

Dear Valued Patient:

Thank you for choosing Edina Specialty Surgery Center for your medical needs. The below billing and financial information is to offer you information that should help you to understand how we will bill your procedure or services today.

- Bring a copy of your insurance card with you on the day of the surgery to ensure timely and accurate submission of your claim to your insurance company.
- If your surgery is related to a worker comp injury please bring the work comp carrier name, claim number, the date of your injury, and the adjuster's name and phone number.
- If your surgery is related to an automobile or liability accident, we will need the information of your carrier, policy or claim number, date of accident, and adjuster's contact information. We will bill your automobile or liability insurance as a courtesy; however, the cost of this service will be your responsibility, if the insurance does not pay for the facility charges in a timely manner.
- It is your responsibility as the patient to understand your insurance coverage. We will bill your
 insurance company or work comp carrier but any patient responsibility or non-covered charges
 may be billed directly to you and are expected to be paid in full upon receipt of the statement.
- Many insurances now limit the in-network surgical facilities available to patients. It is important
 to understand that your surgeon may be considered in-network and the surgical facility could be
 out-of-network. <u>This could dramatically change</u> the amount that you may be required to pay.
 All patients are encouraged to contact their insurance to confirm that ESSC is considered innetwork with their insurance plan to minimize the patient's financial liability.
- If you do not have insurance and will be paying for your procedure privately, we ask for payment in full prior to the day of surgery. We do offer self-pay discount for payment in full, however, if you are unable to pay in full you can contact the billing department to make an arrangement that includes a down payment with a secured payment arrangement.
- Please be aware that you will be receiving a bill from the surgery center, the surgeon's office, and possibly the Anesthesia professional group. The service/procedure may result in three separate bills, in which you will need to work with each group for any billing questions.

If you have billing questions or concerns, please contact our billing department at 952-456-7386.

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve you.