

Attention Patients:

If you need certain pain medications following surgery like Norco (hydrocodone) or Percocet (Oxycodone), we will provide a written prescription for you to take to a pharmacy. Phone orders cannot be accepted by the pharmacy for these medications.

If you require a refill of your pain medication following surgery, you will need to call at least 48 hours in advance so that the prescription can be printed, signed by the physician and made available for you to pick up. Pain medication refills will ONLY be handled on Monday-Thursday during regular business hours. They will NOT be available on weekends or from the on call physician.

For prescription pick up, please note the following:

- Individuals picking up prescriptions must be of legal age (18+ years old).
- A photo ID must be shown. State issued photo ID, a driver's license, employee ID or student ID are all acceptable forms of identification.
- If anyone other than the patient is picking up the prescription, they must be noted in the patient's medical chart as being approved for release of information by the patient prior to the day of pick up.
- A signature is required on the prescription pick up form along with a brief note regarding the relationship to the patient.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

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