

# Job Description: Front Desk (Check-In)

### This position reports directly to the Office Manager

- Always Greet Patients with a smile, be helpful and polite
- Answer phones in a timely manner (usually by 3<sup>rd</sup> ring)

#### Schedule appointments:

- o Always try to make an appointment
- O New patients:
  - Collect all patient information necessary over the phone (insurance/ID, phone number, etc.)
- Encourage patient to go online and print new patient paperwork or come in 15 minutes prior to appointment to fill out
- Established patients:
  - Ensure that all demographic information is correct. If not, then have patient update.

## • Confirm appointments for next day:

Print out schedules/verify insurance is active (primary/secondary)

#### Check-In Patients:

- Collect ID & Insurance cards/medication lists if any
- New patient paperwork (if not already done)/HIPAA forms to complete
- o Ensure patient information is correct
- Scan all documents into patient's chart
- Verify/Collect patient co-pays and post into patient's account
- Notify MA that patient is ready

#### Check Fax Machine as needed:

- Disperse any medical paperwork to each physician (MRI/Medication requests, etc.)
- o Scan paperwork into chart once signed by physician

### • Closing out for the day:

- Match all payments with end of day report (CC/Cash/Checks)
- Print out CC report
- Copy/paste end of day report into Athena

	<ul> <li>Traveling to other local offices may required at time to cover shortages.</li> </ul>			
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