

Desert Gastroenterology Consultants

The office of:

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The office is located on Bob Hope Drive between Gerald Ford and Dinah Shore
in the Rancho Mirage Professional Plaza.

Patient Name- _____

Appointment Date- _____

Appointment Check-in Time- _____

Appointment Time- _____

Welcome to our office!!

Enclosed you will find our new patient paperwork. We hope you find your experience with our office a pleasant one. Enclosed you will find the following forms that need to be completed PRIOR TO your scheduled appointment.

1. Patient information sheet (please fill out completely)
2. Insurance Contract
3. Medicare Authorization to Bill
4. Office Policy
5. Patient Medication List (fill out completely, dosage and directions)
6. Health History Questionnaire (2pages front and back, total of 4)
7. Other- _____

Please fill out these forms completely and mail or fax to (760) 321-5720 or bring them to our office PRIOR to your appointment.

In addition, please bring in your insurance cards and a photo ID. Please double check your insurance card(s) and make sure your member ID and the claims mailing address are legible, if not please contact your insurance carrier for the correct information.

We appreciate your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,
Desert Gastroenterology Consultants

Website:

If you would like additional information about our office, we would ask that you visit our website at: www.desertgastro.net

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PATIENT INFORMATION

GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTRONIC HEALTH CARE REPORTING

PREFERRED LANGUAGE: ENGLISH SPANISH OTHER _____

RACE: WHITE AFRICAN AMERICAN AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKA NATIVE
 NATIVE HAWAIIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER DECLINE

ETHNICITY: HISPANIC/LATINO NON-HISPANIC/LATINO DECLINE

PATIENT

NAME: _____ BIRTHDATE _____ AGE _____
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

PERSON LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE

(IF PATIENT IS A MINOR, NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN) _____

PERMANENT

MAILING ADDRESS : _____
STREET CITY ZIP HOME PHONE

LOCAL ADDRESS:

(IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) STREET CITY ZIP CELL PHONE

SOCIAL SECURITY NO.: _____ DRIVERS LICENSE NO.: _____

STATUS: SINGLE MARRIED DIVORCED WIDOW(ER) DOMESTIC PARTNER

PATIENTS EMPLOYER: _____ OCCUPATION: _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____
STREET CITY ZIP WORK PHONE

EMERGENCY CONTACT

NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP: _____ PHONE: _____

INSURANCE INFORMATION

PRIMARY INS. _____ NAME OF INSURED _____

SECONDARY INS. _____ NAME OF INSURED _____

PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

REFERRING PHYSICIAN _____

PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN _____

SIGNATURE _____

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Please note the following are a list of primary insurance companies that Dr. Annunziata, Dr. Duong and Dr. Lin contracted with:

- Medicare
- Blue Cross
- Blue Shield
- Keenan and Associates
- United HealthCare
- Triwest Prime- with authorized referral
- Triwest/Tricare
- 4 Your Choice
- Aetna
- HealthNet
- IEHP
- Cigna
- Kaiser – *Dr. Lin Only.*

Covered California and Exchange Plans please contact your insurance to make sure the doctor is contracted with your specific plan.

If you have insurance coverage with another company that is not listed above, we will bill your insurance company on your behalf, but we ask that you contact your insurance company to obtain any deductible and co-pay information for seeing a provider OUT OF NETWORK.

If you have any questions, contact the office at (760) 321-2500.

By signing below, you have read and understood the above.

Patient Name- Please Print

Date

Patient's Signature

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Patient Name- _____

I request that a payment of authorized Medicare benefits be paid either to me or on my behalf of Gary M. Annunziata, D.O., F.A.C.P./Anh T. Duong, M.D. / Jonathan C. Lin, M.D. / Natalie Sloan, FNP-C. for any services furnished to me by these physicians or supplier. I authorize any holder of medical information about me be released to the healthcare financing administration and its agents; any information needed to determine these benefits payables to related services.

I understand my signature requests that payment be made and authorizes release of medical information necessary to pay the claim. If other health insurance coverage is indicated in item 9 of the HCFA-1500 claim form or elsewhere on other approved claim forms or electronically submitted claims, my signature authorizes releasing of the information to the insurer or agency shown. In Medicare assigned cases, the physician or supplier agrees to accept the charge determination of the Medicare carrier as the full charge and the patient is responsible for only the deductible, coinsurance and non-covered services. Coinsurance and deductible are based upon the charge determination of the Medicare carrier.

Patient Signature

Date

OUR OFFICE POLICY

In response to the complex healthcare industry, we have taken steps to optimize our operations to spend more time on patient care and less time on administration. This will require your help. Please carefully read the items below as they will be strictly enforced. Our goal is to provide high quality, compassionate and timely healthcare.

1. Our office practices a Physician-Patient Arbitration Agreement. To be a patient in this practice, the arbitration contract must be signed.
2. *Know your insurance plan and what your benefits are.* Many visits may not be covered. It is your responsibility to understand your insurance coverage and benefits. If we are not contracted provider with your insurance plan you will incur higher out-of-pocket expenses.
3. Co-payments, Deductibles, and Co-Insurance are due at the time of service.
4. There is an additional charge for all forms, medical records and administrative requests.
5. There will be a \$25.00 charge on all returned checks.
6. All pharmacy refill requests should be done by you calling your pharmacy and asking them to fax our office a refill notice. There will be no weekend refills.
7. You must update us with new address, telephone numbers and insurance as soon as possible.
8. We realize that your appointment may be several weeks after your test is complete. We ask that you call our office if you would like to know the results of any tests prior to your next office visit. The purpose of your follow up office visit is to review the results of a test, pending records, or to follow up on a chronic or unresolved problem. Failure to comply with this may result in delay of diagnosis, treatment prolonged illness or death.
9. Due to the volume of tests, we are unable to call results to every patient. If you would like to know your results or are unable to be at your appointment, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to call the office. We ask that you never assume that your tests are negative if the office has not called you.
10. Please understand our office policy of NOT allowing an established patient to switch to another physician within this practice.
11. If you are advised to go to the Emergency Room by a physician or representative you must do so. Failure to comply may result in delay of diagnosis, treatment, prolonged illness, or death
12. I hereby authorize my insurance benefits be paid directly to the physician and I am financially responsible for non-covered services. I also hereby authorize the physician to release any information required to my insurance in order to process this or any future medical claims with this office.

I have read and agreed to follow the above-mentioned guidelines and by signing below I acknowledge receiving a copy of this.

Patient Name- Please Print

Patient/or Guardian Signature

Date

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HEALTH HISTORY

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PATIENT NAME- _____ **D.O.B.** _____

To help us meet all your needs, please fill out both sides of this form completely in ink. This is a confidential record of all your medical history and will be kept in this office.

Today's Date- _____

Place of Birth- _____

Highest level in School- _____

Primary Care Physician- _____

Occupation- _____

Reason for appointment today/Chief Complaint

Hospitalization or Surgery—Please indicate date and reason

Habits

Smoking (amount per week) _____

If former smoker, date quit _____

Alcohol (type & amount per week) _____

Caffeine (type & amount per day) _____

Street Drugs (type & amount per day) _____

Family History- please fill in as much information as possible- please check box if diagnosis applies:

Diagnosis	Father Age at death_____ Cause of Death: _____	Mother Age at Death_____ Cause of death: _____	Father's Parents	Mother's Parents	Siblings	Children
Heart Disease						
Hypertension						
Stroke						
Cancer (type): _____						
Colon Cancer/ Colon polyps						
Ulcerative Colitis/ Crohn's Disease						
Diabetes						
Liver Disease						

Past Medical History- please check all that apply to you:

<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatic Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Allergies/Hay fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> Alcoholism
<input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue	<input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness/Fainting	<input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of Breath	<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma
<input type="checkbox"/> COPD	<input type="checkbox"/> Congenital Heart Ds.	<input type="checkbox"/> Chest pain/Angina	<input type="checkbox"/> MI	<input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Palpitations	<input type="checkbox"/> Arrhythmia	<input type="checkbox"/> CHF	<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Murmur	<input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension
<input type="checkbox"/> High Cholesterol	<input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots/DVT	<input type="checkbox"/> Esophageal stricture	<input type="checkbox"/> Ulcer	<input type="checkbox"/> Liver disease
<input type="checkbox"/> Colon polyps	<input type="checkbox"/> Mitral valve prolapse	<input type="checkbox"/> Renal disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Sexual dysfunction	<input type="checkbox"/> Menstrual dysfunction
<input type="checkbox"/> Venereal Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis	<input type="checkbox"/> Gout	<input type="checkbox"/> Stroke/TIA's	<input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy
<input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety	<input type="checkbox"/> Anemia	<input type="checkbox"/> Endocrine Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Blood transfusion	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cancer _____				

To the best of my knowledge, the questions on this form have been accurately answered. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my (my child's) health. It is my responsibility to inform the doctor's office of any change in my (my child's) medical status. I also authorize the healthcare staff to perform the necessary healthcare services I (my child) may need.

X _____
Signature of patient /or parent of minor

Date

Physician's Signature

Review of Systems (Please check all that apply to you)

SKIN

- Color changes
- Dryness
- Easy Bruising
- Hair loss
- Infection
- Itching
- Nail Problem
- Rashes
- Sores
- Squamous cell cancer

EYES

- Blurred vision
- Burning
- Cataracts
- Contacts
- Discharge
- Dryness
- Glaucoma
- Itching
- Pain
- Photophobia
- Redness
- Sclera
- Swelling
- Tearing
- Visual changes

HEAD/EAR/NOSE/THROAT/MOUTH/NECK

- Deafness
- Discharge
- Dizziness
- Headaches
- Hoarseness
- Loss of smell
- Nose Bleed
- Post nasal drip
- Sinusitis
- Sore throat
- Tinnitus
- Vertigo

CARDIAC/RESPIRATORY

- Bronchitis
- Chest pain
- Cough
- Coughed blood
- Dyspnea
- Hemoptysis
- Mitral valve prolapse history
- Murmurs
- Nocturia
- Orthopnea
- Palpitations
- Phlegm
- Pleuretic chest pain
- Shortness of breath
- Sputum
- Wheezing

GASTROINTESTINAL

- Abdominal distention
- Abdominal pain
- Alternating constipation/diarrhea
- Appetite loss
- Belching
- Black tarry stools
- Colon polyps
- Constipation
- Diarrhea
- Dysphagia
- Food intolerance
- Gaseousness
- Heartburn
- Hemorrhoids
- Hepatitis, Type _____
- Hernias
- Indigestion
- Jaundice
- Nausea
- Poor appetite
- Rectal bleeding
- Regurgitation
- Vomiting

GENITOURINARY

- Bloody urine
- Cloudy Urine
- Dark urine
- Dribbling
- Dysuria
- Flank pain
- Frequency of urination
- Hesitancy
- History of UTI's
- HPV
- Impotence
- Incontinent of urine
- Lack of sex drive
- Nocturia
- Painful urination
- Small stream

- Stones
- Straining
- Unusual color
- Urethral discharge
- Urgency

MUSCULOSKELETAL

- Arthritis
- Back pain
- Joint pain
- Joint stiffness
- Leg cramps
- Myalgias
- Spinal stenosis
- Swelling
- Trauma

HEMATOLOGIC LYMPHACYTIC/BLOOD DISORDERS

- Anemia
- Bleeding
- Easily bruised
- Lymph node enlargement
- Multiple Myeloma
- Other- _____

NEUROLOGICAL

- Depression
- Dizziness
- Gait disorder
- Headaches
- In coordination
- Lack of concentration
- Loss of memory
- Loss of sensation
- Paralysis
- Seizures
- Slurred speech
- Tingling/Burning/Numbing
- Tremors
- Vertigo
- Weak grip

ENDOCRINE

- Cold intolerance
- Diabetes
- Goiter
- Heat intolerance
- Hyperthyroidism
- Hypothyroidism
- Hypoglycemia
- Other- _____

INFECTION

- Environmental allergies
- History of hives
- Multiple allergies
- Seasonal allergies
- None

CHILDHOOD ILLNESSES

- Chickenpox
- Measles
- Mumps
- Polio
- Rheumatic fever
- Scarlet fever
- Whooping cough