

Primary Care Provider Selection Form



What are Primary Care Providers, and why are they important in your care?

A Primary Care Provider (PCP) is a healthcare practitioner who has been chosen by you, the patient, to provide continuous medical care. The PCP is trained to treat a wide range of health-related problems. In addition, your PCP is responsible for generating referrals to specialists for additional or ongoing treatment needs to assure you maintain your health at its optimal level. The PCP is usually a physician, but can also be a physician assistant or a nurse practitioner.

What is the role of a PCP?

A PCP is your point-of-entry to help you navigate your healthcare needs.

Your PCP's role is to:

- Provide preventive care and teach healthy lifestyle choices
- Identify and treat common medical conditions
- Assess the urgency of your medical problems and direct you to the best place for that care
- Make referrals to medical specialists when necessary

Having a primary care provider provides you a trusting, ongoing relationship with one medical professional team to plan your care over time.

Select your Primary Care Provider

Patient name: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

I select _____
as my PCP.

Signature of patient or responsible party

Date