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New ADD/ADHD Patients

Rules for Controlled Substance Prescription

If your child has been prescribed a stimulant medication it will be sent electronically with a control tracking number to your pharmacy. Triplicate prescriptions are monitored by the Texas Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) and licensure is thru the DEA.

The prescription expires 21 days from the *Earliest Fill Date* located on the bottom left of the prescription. Therefore, please fill your prescription even if you have left over pills. We can write a prescription for 90 days at a time (3X30days or 1X90days). By law there is a 6 month maximum amount of time that can pass before patient needs a follow-up. Once this 6 month time-frame comes, patient must be seen in office before more prescriptions can be written for a controlled substance.

We cannot call in refills or mail prescriptions on controlled substances they are required to be sent in electronic format. Effective January 1, 2021, Texas Health and Safety Code, §§481.0755 requires that prescriptions for controlled substances to be issued electronically, except in limited circumstances, or unless a waiver has been granted by the appropriate agency.

Please allow up to 1 week for prescriptions to be processed, sent to the pharmacy, and ready for pick up. If you call us for a prescription to be written for you, you need to be specific: quantity, doses, earliest fill date, and if you need 30day, 90day, or 3X30days. We charge \$15 to write a prescription not associated with an office visit.

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