Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C.

#### Sleep Lab: 2024-C Opitz Blvd., Woodbridge, Virginia 22191 Hours: 8:30 PM – 5:30 AM Office: 703-497-0212 (9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.) Sleep Lab: 703-490-8002 (after 8:00 p.m.) www.VPASleep.com

Your appointment has been scheduled in our sleep lab on \_\_\_\_\_. You should arrive at 8:30 p.m. and leave the following morning no later than 5:30 a.m.

Please bring with you the following: photo ID, insurance card(s), insurance referral (if required), and prescription for the study, sleep questionnaire packet, and comfortable <u>two-piece</u> sleeping clothes. You may also wish to bring toiletries and any medications that you would normally take during the scheduled study time.

Please note that, when authorization is required, if we are unable to obtain prior insurance authorization for your study then we will have to cancel your study.

\*\*48 HOURS NOTICE IS REQUIRED FOR CANCELLATIONS OF ALL APPOINTMENTS BY CALLING (703) 497-0212.\*\* Otherwise, a \$125.00 no-show fee will be charged to your account for missed appointments. This charge will not be covered by your insurance company.

If you have any questions, problems or special needs please call our office (703-497-0212) during our daytime business hours (i.e., Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.). If you have an emergency or need assistance after normal business hours or on the weekends, please call the sleep lab directly at 703-490-8002 after 8:00 p.m.

#### **Concerning Your Sleep Study Results**

Please make a follow-up appointment with Dr. Mortazavi, Dr. Goudarzi, or the ordering physician, to review the results and determine a treatment plan. Test results are usually available within five to ten business days.

Please be advised that the Sleep Disorders Center of Woodbridge does not give test results over the phone. These studies are complex and the physician will need to spend time explaining the results to you. In many cases, a treatment plan will also need to be developed. Sleep Disorders Center of Woodbridge is a testing facility. We do not order any treatment (CPAP, etc.) if you have not had a consultation with one of our doctors.

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#### Instructions for your Sleep Study

- 1. Please wash your hair prior to coming to the sleep center. Do not use hair sprays, cream rinses or conditioners. Please do not apply face or body cream/lotion.
- 2. You may have to wash your hair several times to remove the paste used during the study. (A fine tooth comb may be helpful)
- 3. Take your regular medications, unless otherwise instructed by your physician. Please bring any medications with you that you may need to use during your stay.
- 4. Limit fluids after 6 PM the evening of the study.
- 5. Do not drink any alcoholic beverages on the day of study.
- 6. Do not consume any chocolate or caffeinated beverages after 12:00 noon the day of the study.
- 7. Try to get a normal night's sleep the night before your study. Do not take naps during the day of the study.
- 8. You are required to sleep in nightclothes, (i.e., pajamas or shorts and T-shirts). Your nightclothes should be loose fitting and preferably, two-piece. Do not wear satin, nylon or silk pajamas due to the chemicals/pastes that are used.
- 9. Bedding is provided but you may bring your own pillow, blanket, etc.
- 10. Please feel free to bring a book or magazine to read if you have a little spare time.
- 11. If you have been scheduled for a daytime study the sleep center coordinator will give you specific instructions.

# Sleep Disorders Center of Woodbridge Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C.

## **Patient Demographics**

Patient Name			Date of Birth		
-	-		Sex (circle): Male Female		
City/State/Zin Code					
City/State/Zip Code _ Home Phone #	Cell	Phone #	_ Social Security #		
Patient's Employer		Occupation	Phone #		
Employment Street A	ddress	I			
• •					
Emergency Contact &	k Relationsh	ip	Phone #		
Primary Insurance Pro	ovider Name				
ID#		Group #			
Policy Holder's Empl	oyer	<b>1</b>	Phone #		
			Date of Birth		
Policy Holder's Relat	ionship to Pa	atient			
Policy Holder's Socia	al Security #				
Policy Holder's Stree	t Address				
City/State/Zip Code _					
			Dhone #		
Policy Holder's Name	oyer		Phone #		
Policy Holder's Name Date of Birth Policy Holder's Relationship to Patient					
Policy Holder's Social					
City/State/Zip Code _					
Referring Doctor	Pri	imary Doctor	Doctor to Receive Copy		
Phone #:	Pho	one#:	Phone#:		
Fax#:	Ear		Eor#		
Address:		dress:			

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#### **Billing Policies**

Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C. (VPA) will bill the patient's insurance company for services rendered. The patient is responsible for all charges not covered by the insurance company, such as deductibles, co-pays, and non-covered services.

VPA only files claims to insurance companies with which our doctors participate.

<u>Returned Check Fee</u>: In the event of a returned check, the patient will be responsible for paying a \$35.00 returned check fee.

<u>HMO Patients</u>: VPA is a specialty medical practice. It is the patient's responsibility to obtain required referrals from the primary care physician prior to each visit.

By signing this policy, the patient authorizes:

- insurance payments to go directly to Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C. T/A Sleep Disorders Center of Woodbridge,
- the release of medical records to the insurance company if necessary, and
- their insurance company to release information to Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C.T/A Sleep Disorders Center of Woodbridge.

I (Patient/Parent/Guardian) certify that I understand and agree with the above policies and that the information I have given is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Patient/Parent/Guardian Signature:	
Patient Name (Please Print):	
Date:	

#### **Assignment of Benefits**

I hereby assign Virginia Pulmonary Associates, P.C. (VPA) all medical and surgical benefits to which I am entitled, including benefits provided by Medicare, Private Insurance, and any other insurance plan(s).

I hereby authorize said assignee, VPA, to release all information necessary to secure payment for services rendered and products delivered, including appeals on my behalf to the Insurance Commissioner. I also authorize my insurance company to release any / all information to VPA that may be necessary to secure payment.

I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges. I certify that I have read, and fully understand, the above Assignment of Benefits.

Patient/Parent/Guardian Signature:	
Patient Name (Please Print):	
Date:	

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#### **Patient Questionnaire**

Patient Name:	Date:
Briefly describe your primary complaint as it relates	to sleep:

#### Medical History

1. Please list all of your chronic medical history (e.g., diabetes, HTN, heart or lung disease, etc.):\_\_\_\_\_

2. Please describe your average caffeine and alcohol intake per day:

3. List any family history related to sleep disorders such as sleep apnea, narcolepsy, nightmares, and night terrors, sleep walking, insomnia, and load snoring? If so, please explain:\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Sleep History**

- 4. Do you feel that you have insomnia? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 5. Do you feel that you get too little sleep? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 6. What time do you go to bed on weekdays? \_\_\_\_\_ Weekends? \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. How long does it take you to fall asleep?
- 8. How many hours of sleep do you get on an average night?
- 9. Do you take naps during the day? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, at what time and for how long? \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. Do you use caffeine or other stimulants to stay alert? If yes, explain.

11. Do you have excessive daytime sleepiness? If so, explain.

12. Do you experience dreams and / or nightmares? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

13. Do you have any unusual sleep behavior such as sleep talking, moaning, yelling, etc? Yes\_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_

14. Do your arms or legs bother you when resting or while falling asleep?

Yes No

15. Do you snore? Yes No

- 16. Have you been told that you have pauses in your breathing during sleep? Yes No
- 17. Do you have difficulty breathing while lying on your back? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

18. Do you wake up choking or gasping for air? Yes\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

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Patient Name	Date
	Date

#### The Epworth Sleepiness Scale

How likely are you to doze off or fall asleep in the following situations, in contrast to feeling just tired? This refers to your usual way of life in recent times. Even if you have not done some of these things recently try to work out how they would have affected you. Use the following scale to choose the most appropriate number for each situation:

- 0 = Would never doze
- 1 =Slight chance of dozing
- 2 = Moderate chance of dozing
- 3 = High chance of dozing

Situation	Chance of Dozing
Sitting and reading	
Watching TV	
Sitting, inactive in a public place (e.g., theater or a meeting)	
As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break	
Lying down to rest in the afternoon when the circumstances permit	
Sitting and talking to someone	
Sitting quietly after a lunch without alcohol	
In a car, while stopped for a few minutes in traffic	