Walk-Ins Welcome and Appointments Available

Open 7 Days a Week and Weeknights, Too

Most Insurance Accepted

Board-Certified Family Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants*

On-Site Pharmacy

Treatment for Patients 18 Months and Older

* Physician Assistants provide patient care in Nevada and Texas clinics
Delivering a Patient Centric Experience

- 260+ square feet
- Two exam rooms, with exam tables
- Restroom facilities nearby
- Most clinics conveniently located across from the pharmacy

- Professionally outfitted with state-of-the-art technology and medical equipment
  - Electronic sign-in kiosks/LCD
  - Patient queue, with wait time visibility
  - Electronic Health Records
Growing Range of Services

**Prevent**
- Vaccines
- Physicals
- Screenings
  - Examples
    - Flu shots
    - Hepatitis A & B
    - Meningitis
    - MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)
    - Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis)
    - Varicella (Chicken Pox)
    - Zostavax (Shingles)
    - Physicals (camp and sport)
    - Health screenings HRA's
    - Medicare Wellness Exams

**Treat**
- Illnesses
- Minor Injuries
- Skin Conditions
  - Examples
    - Strep throat
    - Sinus infection
    - Bronchitis
    - Ear infections
    - Urinary tract infections
    - Seasonal allergies
    - Minor burns
    - Sprains/strains
    - Skin rashes
    - Cold and mouth sores
    - Tick/insect bites and stings
    - Wart removal

**Manage**
- High Blood Pressure Screening and Monitoring
  - Specialty Injection Services

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Many Emergency Department Visits Could Be Managed At Urgent Care Centers And Retail Clinics

ABSTRACT Americans seek a large amount of nonemergency care in emergency departments, where they often encounter long waits to be seen. Urgent care centers and retail clinics have emerged as alternatives to the emergency department for nonemergency care. We estimate that 13.7–27.1 percent of all emergency department visits could take place at one of these alternative sites, with a potential cost savings of approximately $4.4 billion annually. The primary conditions that could be treated at these sites include minor acute illnesses, strains, and fractures. There is some evidence that patients can safely direct themselves to these alternative sites. However, more research is needed to ensure that care of equivalent quality is provided at urgent care centers and retail clinics compared to emergency departments.

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• Potential $4.4 billion in annual cost savings.
Professionally trained pharmacists can provide a breadth of clinical services, including medication management, chronic care management and immunizations, which result in significant improvement in clinical outcomes and reduce the cost of care.
Overview: Value of the Pharmacist

• The U.S. health care system faces increased strains from primary care provider shortages, gaps in quality of care and rising costs, which are projected to worsen as the population ages and chronic conditions become more prevalent.

• Caring for patients with chronic conditions has traditionally been the role of physicians and nurses. However, collaborative care models continue to demonstrate better outcomes compared to traditional models.

• Pharmacists have begun to play an expanding role in the delivery of care management services, and Walgreens is proactively creating new care delivery models with pharmacists as essential providers of care.¹

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External research, such as the Asheville Project\textsuperscript{2} and Ten Cities Challenge\textsuperscript{3}, demonstrated the value that pharmacists provide in patient care.

The scope of pharmacist care has grown to include medication therapy management (MTM), care for patients with chronic conditions and many other clinical services by partnering with the primary care system, leveraging the trusted relationship between patients and pharmacists and being highly accessible and convenient options for care at community pharmacies\textsuperscript{1}.

Pharmacist services may include counseling on medication adherence, polypharmacy and medication reconciliation, medication safety, diabetes education, vaccinations, and travel health consultations.

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Overview: Value of the Pharmacist (continued)

• Several significant clinical outcomes have proven to be particularly sensitive to improvement by pharmacist interventions. These include: A1c in patients with diabetes\textsuperscript{4}, systolic blood pressure in patients with hypertension\textsuperscript{5}, and cholesterol (LDL, HDL and triglycerides) in patients with hyperlipidemia.\textsuperscript{6}