#### **PATIENT INFORMATION SHEET:**

# **Abortion Day 1**

#### Thank you for making your appointment online!

Please review this information. If you have any additional questions, please call us at **941-567-3800**.

#### PREPARING FOR YOUR VISIT

- We use a system called MyChart to communicate with our patients.
  Please enroll in MyChart so that we can securely and privately
  communicate with you. You will use MyChart to confirm or change your
  appointment, complete mandatory forms and documents in eCheck-In,
  and access informational videos. If you haven't signed up yet, click here
  to get started.
- At your first appointment you will receive education, options information, and meet with a physician in person. You will also have an ultrasound and we will run any labs that need to be done. This visit may take anywhere between 2-4 hours, this will vary from patient to patient. Your second appointment will be scheduled by staff at the health center after you have completed your first visit for the next available date.
- Please make sure you bring a valid government-issued ID, your insurance card (if applicable), and your method of payment to all appointments. Please make sure that your support person has a valid ID with them as well.
- Children are not allowed in our Health Center or waiting rooms, please make child care arrangements if necessary.
- Length of appointments may vary from patient to patient. Our waiting rooms do tend to get cold, so we recommend that you bring in a light jacket or sweater. And if you are going to wear open toed shoes you may want to bring in a pair of socks.
- When you come in you may see protesters outside of the Health Center, **please do not engage with them**, and proceed to our private parking lot. We have volunteers with pink vests that will be outside ready to assist you.
- If you are unable to attend your appointment, please contact us to cancel or reschedule.

#### **PAYING FOR YOUR VISIT**

- The first visit, which includes labs, education, ultrasound and required information from physician is \$300.
- The price will range for your second visit, which is for the procedure, depending on the length of your pregnancy. The ultrasound performed during the first visit will provide this information. Staff will discuss prices when scheduling your second appointment. The second visit price will range between \$300-\$675.
- We request payment in full at the time of your visit.
- We accept debit cards and all major credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover). We do not accept checks as a form of payment. There is some financial assistance available, if you qualify it may help reduce the cost of the abortion. Please contact us to discuss pricing and financial assistance before your visit.
- Using insurance? During your visit we will instruct you on how to provide a copy of your insurance card and valid government-issued photo ID. Please have your valid government-issued photo ID and insurance card ready to present at the time of your visit.



#### PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF SOUTHWEST AND CENTRAL FLORIDA

# Changes to Florida Law

## 6-WEEK ABORTION BAN

The 6-week abortion ban is now in effect. Patients past 6 weeks of pregnancy can no longer receive an abortion in Florida unless they meet a statutory exception. The law provides exceptions for fatal fetal diagnosis, to save the life of the pregnant person, or for victims of rape, incest, or human trafficking (with proper documentation).

## 24-HOUR MANDATORY DELAY

As of March 31, 2022, we are required by law schedule two appointments for your abortion at least 24 hours apart. Your first appointment will include an ultrasound, labs, education, and options information, and an inperson meeting with a physician to discuss the abortion procedure. The abortion procedure will be done during your second appointment.

# Teens Seeking Abortion Care

Florida state law requires most young people under 18 to involve a parent or legal guardian in their decision. Click here for more information about parental consent and how to get a judicial bypass if you cannot safely get permission from your parents to have an abortion.

# Let Us Know How We Did

After your visit, please let us know how we did by completing the patient satisfaction survey sent to you via text and/or email and by reviewing us on Google.