

MALPRACTICE INSURANCE NOTICE

Dear Patients,

By law, all physicians practicing in the state of Florida must notify their patients if they do NOT carry malpractice insurance. The malpractice insurance for Obstetricians and Gynecologist is not affordable and difficult to obtain. For this reason, myself and most other Obstetricians and Gynecologist in this state, have chosen NOT to carry malpractice insurance. I will provide you with the highest quality of medical care. Thank you for choosing our office for your medical needs.

Below is a copy of the official state statute S.458.320 (5) (g) 5 posted in the office:

“Under Florida law, physicians are generally required to carry medical malpractice insurance or otherwise demonstrate financial responsibility to cover potential claims for medical malpractice. YOUR DOCTOR HAS DECIDED NOT TO CARRY MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE. This is permitted under Florida law subject to certain conditions. Florida law imposes penalties against noninsured physicians who fail to satisfy adverse judgments arising from claims of medical malpractice. This notice is provided pursuant to Florida law”

Thank you,

Isaac Halfon, M.D., M.D., F.A.C.O.G.

I _____ (Name) have read and understood the above Malpractice Insurance notice.

_____ (Please sign your name and date).