Dear Patient,

Due to the many changes in healthcare and insurance policies, it has become increasingly difficult to interpret each individual policy and benefit summary. We provide this service as a courtesy and will continue to do so to the best of our ability. However, we do urge you to verify and understand your coverage, limitations, and benefits associated with your individual plan. This will help us to work together seamlessly to create a mutually beneficial business relationship.

As a convenience, our office provides laboratory services in our facility. Although the lab personnel work tediously to ensure the specimens are sent to an in-network provider, it is not always possible. Knowing your laboratory service benefits will assist an optimal working relationship between Eighth Avenue Obstetrics and Gynecology and our lab provider.

If your insurance requires a referral from the insurance company or your primary care physician to be seen in this office, the referral must be present at the time of your visit. If you are unable to obtain the referral, we ask that you reschedule your appointment to avoid unnecessary hassle and cost to you. We are happy to assist you in this process as needed.

Any co-pay, deductible, or anticipated out-of-pocket expense must be paid at time of service. Thank you for partnering with us. We are honored to serve your obstetric and gynecologic needs.

By signing below, you are indicating that you have read and understand our policy.

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Signature  Date

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