

Selecting the appropriate level of care

Your **Doctor's office** offers treatment for acute illness as well as management of chronic conditions.

Such as:

- Bronchitis Cold, cough & flu symptoms
- Chronic disease management and non-emergent worsening of symptoms.
- Conjunctivitis (pink eye)
- Earaches
- Fever
- Migraine, headache
- Minor back or shoulder pain
- Minor burns
- Minor trauma
- Muscle aches and pains
- Seasonal allergies
- Sinus infections
- Skin rashes
- Sore throats
- Sprains
- Strains
- Suture/staple removal
- X-rays
- Urinary tract infections



An **Urgent Care Center** offers treatment for an illness or condition that requires care within 24 hours in order to avoid further complications. No appointments are necessary; walk-ins are welcome.

Conditions include:

- Bronchitis Cold, cough and flu symptoms
- Conjunctivitis (pink eye)
- Earaches
- Fever
- Migraine headache
- Minor back or shoulder pain (without previous trauma)
- Minor burns
- Minor lacerations and suture/staple removal
- Minor trauma
- Muscle aches and pains
- Seasonal allergies
- Sinus infections
- Skin rashes
- Sore throats
- Sports Physicals
- Sprains
- Stomach flu
- Strains
- Wound Care
- X-rays
- Urinary tract infections

The **Emergency Department** treats injuries and conditions that require immediate medical care, such as:

- Accidents, including falls and car crashes
- Life-threatening conditions
- Chest pain
- Coughing up or vomiting blood
- Drug overdose
- Fever
- Head injury
- Injuries caused by violence, such as gunshot wounds
- Loss of consciousness
- Major trauma
- Poisoning or suspected poisoning
- Severe or persistent abdominal pain
- Sexual Assault
- Shortness of breath
- Sudden or unexpected paralysis (stroke symptoms)
- Severe burns
- Severe headache
- Suicidal or homicidal feelings
- Uncontrolled or excessive bleeding

In an emergency, call 911
or go to an Emergency
Department near you.

Ask yourself

- How long have I had this symptom?
- Can this wait until my provider's office is open again?
- Have I contacted my Doctor's office?
- Am I taking my medicine?