

NEW PATIENT REGISTRATION



PATIENT INFORMATION

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	GENDER ☐ MALE ☐ FEMALE	
SSN	RACE	ETHNICITY	PREFERRED LANGUAGE	
MAILING ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE	MARTIAL STATUS		
E-MAIL		PATIENT EMPLOYER		

CONTACT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	PHONE
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RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT (Insurance / Financial Guarantor)

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	PHONE
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INSURANCE INFORMATION (Please give your insurance card(s) to our staff to scan into your chart.)

PRIMARY INSURANCE	
NAME	
ID NUMBER	
POLICY HOLDER'S NAME	
POLICY HOLDER'S DOB	SS#

SECONDARY INSURANCE	
NAME	
ID NUMBER	
POLICY HOLDER'S NAME	
POLICY HOLDER'S DOB	SS#

PHARMACY INFORMATION (Your care may be delayed if you do not provide your pharmacy information)

NAME	PHONE
ADDRESS	CITY
STATE	ZIP

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US?

- ☐ Your physician/PCP
 ☐ Insurance Company
 ☐ Google Search
 ☐ Social Media
 ☐ Family/Friend Referral
 ☐ Other:

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AUTHORIZATION & RELEASE

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize payment of medical benefits to LAKEWOOD UROLOGY, LLC d/b/a UNIVERSITY UROLOGY ASSOCIATES OF NEW JERSEY for any service furnished to me by the provider. I understand that I am financially responsible for any amount not covered by my contract.

I authorize release of information concerning my (or my child's) health care, advice, and treatment provided for the purpose of evaluating and administering claims for insurance benefits.

SIGNATURE OF PATIENT (or parent if patient is a minor) ➡	DATE
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MEDICARE LIFETIME SIGNATURE ON FILE

I request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits be made on my behalf to LAKEWOOD UROLOGY, LLC d/b/a UNIVERSITY UROLOGY ASSOCIATES OF NEW JERSEY for any services furnished to me by the provider. I authorize any holder of medical information about me to release to *Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)* and its agents any information needed to determine these benefits or benefits payable for related services. This authorization will remain valid for all services provided by this office until revoked by me in writing.

SIGNATURE PHOTOCOPY AS VALID AS ORIGINAL ➡	DATE
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ASSURANCE OF PRIVACY FOR OUR PATIENT

Our full privacy policy is available in our office and on our website at www.uuanj.com.

NOTICE OF PRIVACY

The Department of Health and Human Services has established a "Privacy Rule" to help ensure that the personal health information (PHI) is protected for privacy. The Privacy Rule provides standards for health care providers to follow when disclosing patient health information that is needed to carry out proper treatment, payment or health care operations.

As our patient, we want you to know that we respect the privacy of your medical records and will do all we can to secure and protect that privacy. We strive to always take reasonable precautions to protect your privacy. When it is appropriate and necessary, we provide the minimum amount of necessary information to only those we feel are in need of your health care information. We strive to provide the best healthcare that is in your best interest.

If you want to request that certain parties not receive your PHI or other records, please let us know, and it will be documented in your chart. If there is any party that is not directly connected to your treatment, payment, or health care operations that you would like to have your PHI released to, please fill in their name(s) and relationship in the section below. We may also ask you this question at the window.

If you have any questions, comments, or objections to the privacy policies on this form, please ask to speak with our compliance officer. You have the right to review our entire privacy policy manual upon request. Please sign this form to acknowledge that you have been given the opportunity to obtain a copy of the HIPAA privacy rules from us.

PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE INFORMATION (HIPAA)

NAME	RELATIONSHIP
NAME	RELATIONSHIP
SIGNATURE ➡	DATE

PLEASE NOTE

We are required to ask our patients to prove their identity by showing a photo ID and by answering certain questions that only you or your family members would know when you contact us by phone. We appreciate your cooperation with our efforts to protect your identity and comply with federal regulations.

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FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

We will make every effort to work with you and your insurance carrier to maximize your health care benefits. It is your responsibility to provide us with accurate and current insurance information at the time of each of your appointments. Please bring your current insurance information with you to each of your services. We regard your complete understanding of your financial obligation an essential element of your care.

APPOINTMENTS: Our office's automated system will call or text ahead of time to remind you of your scheduled appointment. It is the patient's responsibility to remember their appointment and to supply our practice with 24-hour notice if you must cancel your appointment. Our office will charge a \$50.00 missed appointment fee for each missed appointment.

COPAYS & CO-INSURANCE: All copays & co-insurance are due at the time of service. This is a contractual agreement between you, your insurance, and our practice. If you are not able to meet your financial responsibilities, your appointment will be rescheduled. Please contact your insurance for your benefit allowances. Copays & co-insurance may be higher for specialty services.

DEDUCTIBLES: Deductibles may or may not apply to our services so it is important that you verify your benefits before services are rendered. Based on your insurance benefits, you may be responsible for the cost of the services performed based on the amount of your deductible at the time services are rendered. In these instances, we will request payment or a secured credit card at the time of your appointment. Please contact our office prior to your appointment if you have any questions after you have verified your deductible with your carrier.

PAYMENT PLAN: Patients with a high deductible plan and/or high account balances may qualify for a short-term payment plan. You may be required to have an active credit card on file. Please contact our billing office to discuss.

INSURANCE: Patients must provide all current insurance information at the time of service including presenting their insurance card, proof of identity, and social security number (when required). Patients arriving for their appointment without their insurance cards will be asked to reschedule or remit payment in full. If you are asked to pay in full and insurance information is later obtained and the services are covered, a refund will be issued to you. The patient is responsible for knowing the details of their insurance policy and benefit plan. Any changes to your insurance plan or information should be communicated to our office. UUANJ is not responsible for obtaining your benefit information.

INSURANCE CLAIMS: You will be responsible for any charges that your insurance doesn't cover within 45 days of submission. It is your responsibility to follow up with any unpaid service claims and balances. The patient is responsible for paying for any non-covered services. We can bill primary insurance and a secondary insurance. We do not file third insurance plans.

PAST DUE AND/OR COLLECTIONS: A service fee of 1.5% per month or 18% per annum will be applied to your balance if the balance is not paid in full within 90 days from the date the first statement is issued. If your account becomes delinquent or if our attempt to secure the balance or payment fails, the account will be reviewed for placement with a collection agency. If your account is forwarded to an outside collection agency, there will be an added fee of \$30.00 added to the account balance. Monthly statements are issued to all patients with an account balance and payment is due upon receipt of the statement. Patients are responsible for all court fees related to balance collections, unless otherwise ordered by a judge.

REFERRALS/AUTHORIZATIONS: Your insurance may require you to obtain a referral or authorization from your primary care physician before you seek services with a specialist. The patient is responsible for contacting the primary care physician to obtain the referral. Our practice is not permitted to see patients without a valid referral per our contractual agreement with carriers. You will be responsible for all denied charges if seen without a valid referral.

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PAYMENT METHODS: UUANJ accepts payment by cash, money order, check, or credit/debit card. We accept Visa, Mastercard, and Discover. There will be a 3% service charge added to all card payments. There is a \$30.00 service fee for any returned check. The balance due and the service fee will be required to be paid by the patient in form of a credit/debit card, money order, certified check or cash payment. A personal check for a returned check will not be accepted. We accept payment in-person, over the phone, by mail, or you may use our secure online payment system at billpay.uuanj.com.

SELF PAY PATIENTS: Patients who do not have an active or verified insurance plan will be required to pay for services at the time of the service. If you provide us insurance information after the service date, but before the timely filing limitations of that insurance, we will file the claim and reimburse you once your insurance accepts the claim.

MEDICAL RECORDS REQUEST: Our office will provide you or another entity on your behalf a copy of your medical records. You will be required to complete a release of information which can be obtained from our office. Medical records requested will cost the patient \$1.00 per page plus our processing fee of \$10.00.

DISABILITY / FMLA / LIFE INSURANCE FORMS: There will be a one-time processing fee in the amount of \$50.00 for the completion of any disability or FMLA paperwork per form. The processing fee will be due the day you present the forms which includes forms sent via online or fax submittal. Any special instructions need to be attached to the form(s).

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: Our practice cannot offer financial assistance to patients with active insurance plans. This is due to a contractual agreement we have with your carrier that states patients will be responsible for paying coinsurances, deductibles, and copays as set forth in your policy benefit plans.

I, the undersigned, hereby agree that I have read and understand each of the above financial policies stated. This policy supersedes any verbal agreements or waivers. If I have financial questions or concerns, I will contact the billing office to discuss them. I agree to be financially responsible for any balance due related to services rendered by University Urology Associates of New Jersey or its partners.

Patient Signature ➡	DATE
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FINANCIAL INTEREST DISCLOSURE

Public law/rule of the State of New Jersey/Board of Medical Examiners mandates that a physician, chiropractor, or podiatrist inform patients of any significant financial interest held in a health care service.

Accordingly, we wish to inform you that practitioners in this office may have a financial interest in the following health care service(s) to which patients are referred:

- Bey Lea Ambulatory Surgical a surgical facility
- Manchester Surgery Center, a surgical facility
- Shore Point Radiation Oncology Center a provider of radiation oncology services
- University Urology Associates of New Jersey –
A Surgical Practice located at 1374 Whitehorse Hamilton Sq. Rd. #101, Hamilton, NJ 08690
- Shore Outpatient Surgicenter a surgical facility
- United Medical Systems a provider of lithotripsy and other urology-related services
- University Lithotripsy Associates of New Jersey a provider of lithotripsy, and other urology-related services

You may, of course, seek treatment at a health care service provider of your own choice. A listing of alternative health care service providers can be found in the classified section of your telephone directory under the appropriate heading. Please note that you must consult your insurance carrier or other third-party payer to determine whether any services or facility fees associated with your visit will be considered to be, and reimbursed at, an "out of network" level.

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Have you recently seen or are you currently seeing another urologist? ☐ No ☐ Yes	If yes, please list the physician's name(s) and location
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Which physician(s) are involved with your care? Please include name & phone number below.
For Example: Primary Care, Cardiologist, Nephrologist, etc.

Physician Name	Phone Number
Primary Care Physician:	

List all medications that you are currently taking, including over the counter medications
(Tylenol, Advil, vitamins, antacids, or herbals). Please use an additional sheet if required

Medication	Dosage	Frequency
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		

Do you have any medication or food allergies? ☐ No ☐ Yes	List the allergies (if applicable)
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Do you currently smoke? ☐ No ☐ Yes How many packs per day? _____ How long? _____	Have you ever smoked? ☐ No ☐ Yes How many packs per day? _____ How long? _____	Do you currently drink alcohol? ☐ No ☐ Yes How many drinks per week? _____
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What is the reason for your visit today? (Check all that apply)

Symptoms / Complaints

- ☐ Blood in Urine
- ☐ Elevated PSA
- ☐ Urinary Problems
- ☐ Incontinence
- ☐ Overactive Bladder
- ☐ Erectile Dysfunction
- ☐ Testicular Pain
- ☐ Other:

Conditions (Non-Cancer)

- ☐ Enlarged Prostate
 - ☐ Infertility
 - ☐ Kidney Stones
 - ☐ Urinary Tract Infection
- Procedures / Consultations**
- ☐ Vasectomy Consultation

Cancers

- ☐ Prostate Cancer
- ☐ Bladder Cancer
- ☐ Testicular Cancer
- ☐ Kidney Cancer

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Do you have or have had any of the following medical problems?

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| ☐ High Blood Pressure | ☐ COPD | ☐ Cancer (please specify type) |
| ☐ High Cholesterol | ☐ Asthma | _____ |
| ☐ Diabetes | ☐ Hypothyroidism | ☐ Radiation Treatments |
| ☐ Heart Attack | ☐ Gout | ☐ Bleeding Disorder |
| ☐ Stroke | ☐ Depression | |
| ☐ Obesity / Weight Issues | ☐ Glaucoma | |

Are there any other Medical Problems you are being treated for or have?

Please check any of the surgeries listed below you have had with the approximate year

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| ☐ Heart Valve Replacement _____ | ☐ Hip Replacement _____ | ☐ Hernia Repair _____ |
| ☐ Appendectomy _____ | ☐ Cardiac Bypass _____ | ☐ Cholecystectomy _____ |
| ☐ Knee Replacement _____ | ☐ Colon Resection _____ | ☐ Gastric Bypass _____ |

Are there any other surgeries you have had? Please list with the year

Have you or any relative been diagnosed with:

- | | | | |
|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| ▪ Bladder Cancer: | ☐ Yes | ☐ No | Relationship: |
| ▪ Kidney Cancer: | ☐ Yes | ☐ No | Relationship: |
| ▪ Prostate Cancer: | ☐ Yes | ☐ No | Relationship: |
| ▪ Testis Cancer: | ☐ Yes | ☐ No | Relationship: |
| ▪ Kidney Stones: | ☐ Yes | ☐ No | Relationship: |

Have you had any scans, x-rays or other tests related to your diagnosis?

Test	Which facility	Date
☐ CT Scan		
☐ MRI Scan		
☐ Bone Scan		
☐ Ultrasound		
☐ PET Scan		
☐ Other		

ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION CONSENT

I understand that this practice utilizes electronic communication processes to deliver information to its patients in a timely and cost-effective manner. Cellular telephone calls, text messages, emails, and the online patient portal are utilized to convey information such as appointment reminders, preventive care reminders, patient recalls, patient billing information and statements, practice announcements, and practice newsletters. Information is not sold or distributed outside of our practice. Patients can opt out of the electronic text communication and/or email communication at any time. Patients opting out of electronic communications will not receive appointment reminders and therefore will be subject to a missed appointment fee.

Please let our staff know if you wish to opt out of electronic messaging.

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BLADDER SYMPTOM QUESTIONNAIRE	
Which symptoms best describe you? Check all that apply.	
☐ Frequent urination—day, night, or both ☐ Sudden or strong urge to urinate ☐ Leakage with little or no warning—sometimes unable to make it to the bathroom in time ☐ Unable to completely empty bladder—feels like there is more even after going to the bathroom ☐ Accidental leakage with physical activity—exercising, sneezing, or coughing ☐ Bladder or pelvic pain ☐ Problems with bowel function (if checked, please select symptom below) ☐ Accidental loss or leakage of stool ☐ Constipation ☐ Other ☐ No bladder or bowel problems (if checked, please discontinue questionnaire)	
How long have you had these symptoms?	
Have you tried medications to help your bladder symptoms?	If yes, how many different medications have you tried?
☐ Yes ☐ No	
On a scale of 0 to 10, with 0 being no symptom relief and 10 being complete symptom relief, how much symptom relief have these medications provided for you? Select a number.	
0 ☐ <i>No Relief</i> 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ <i>Complete Symptom Relief</i>	
Are you still taking any of these medications?	If no, why have you stopped taking them?
☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Did not work as well as expected ☐ Side effects ☐ Expense ☐ Interaction with other medications ☐ Other
If Side effects or Other checked, please explain:	
Behavior modifications tried? (i.e, reduced fluid intake, caffeine reduction, Kegel exercises, physical therapy, or lifestyle changes)	
On a scale of 0 to 10, with 0 being no frustration at all and 10 being extremely frustrated, what is your level of frustration with your bladder control symptoms? Select a number.	
0 ☐ <i>Not Frustrated</i> 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ <i>Extremely Frustrated</i>	
Are you interested in learning more about additional treatment alternatives to bladder medications?	
☐ Yes ☐ No	

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I acknowledge and understand that even with the best training, skill and experience, a medically trained professional is not always capable of solving my medical problems. Therefore, I understand it is important that any and all recommendations by the physicians, physician assistants, and nurse practitioners ("Providers") are followed completely in order to increase the likelihood of a positive and healthy treatment outcome. I acknowledge and understand that if any provider in this office prescribes medicine to me that the proper taking of any such medicine shall be my sole responsibility (or my guardian who has attended this consultation). I agree to properly follow the prescribed dosage and frequency amounts of these medicines as recommended by my Providers.

I understand that if a Provider in this office refers me to see another doctor or receive another test including, but not limited to, a blood test, an MRI, or CT Scan, this timely recommendation is important and essential to the ultimate success of my treatment outcome. I understand that it is not possible for any person in this office to follow-up to ensure that I have followed these recommendations. Therefore, I understand that if I fail to see a specialist or obtain the test for which I was referred immediately, this can risk my current health or increase future health risks.

I understand that it is solely my responsibility to follow any of the medical advice given by any medical person in this office and any bad health outcome from my failure to follow the advice of my doctors should be expected.

Signature of Patient ➡	DATE
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