

What to bring to your appointment

- OHIP card
- All current medications you are taking in their original containers
- A snack if you are a patient with diabetes

Location

The General Internal Medicine Clinic is located on the second floor of Building B in Ambulatory Clinic 3

Telephone: 905-472-7601

Hours of Operation:

Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

* Closed 12 to 1 p.m.

Where to park

Parking is available in Visitor's Parking Lot 1 – Main Entrance/Link Lobby. Located on Church Street between Ninth Line and Bur Oak and can be accessed by the entrance off of Butternut Lane.

Where to go on the day of your appointment

Before proceeding to your appointment, you must **register with Main Entrance Registration** located in the Main Lobby (2nd Floor, Building A) **15 minutes before** your scheduled appointment.

Appointment Date: _____

Appointment Time: _____

To reschedule or cancel your appointment, call the General Internal Medicine Clinic at 905-472-7601.

If you are feeling unwell, have a high temperature, cough or sore throat on or before the day of your appointment, please reschedule your appointment.

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Patient Information



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What is the general internal medicine clinic?

The general internal medicine clinic (GIMC) is a clinic staffed by doctors who specialize in the care of adult patients with a wide variety of medical conditions such as pneumonia, skin infections, abdominal pain, headache, etc.

Why you were referred to the GIMC

You have been referred to the GIMC for one of the following reasons:

- For internal medicine consultation following a recent emergency department visit
- As a follow up after recent hospitalization
- For a pre-operative medical consultation at your surgeon's request.

Appointment booking

Referrals are made from the emergency department, the hospital or your surgeon. Once a referral is received you will be contacted with the date and time of your appointment.

What to expect during your visit

You will be seen by an internal medicine physician and your appointment will take approximately 30 minutes. You may require blood work or additional testing, which will make your appointment longer.

The physician will manage your medical condition and ensure your medication and treatment is adequately controlling your symptoms. The physician will provide you with the results of your tests or lab work, if applicable, and make any changes as necessary.

How do I prepare?

You may eat and drink prior to your appointment.

After your appointment

The general internal medicine physician will provide your family doctor and the referring doctor a detailed report of the care you received. If necessary, you will be scheduled for an additional follow-up appointment. You will then be discharged from the clinic and your family doctor or surgeon will resume your care.