



Pregnancy Care during COVID-19

At Women's Care of Wisconsin we are committed to keeping all of our patients as well as our staff as safe and healthy as possible during this COVID-19 pandemic.

Our office has implemented a number of strategies to make this happen. We would like to share some of these efforts with you to help you understand what this might mean for you during this time.

While we understand the importance to be able to hear your baby's heartbeat at your office visit, we want to do what is safest for you and your baby and during these times. This may mean keeping you safe at home and not having you come into our office and potentially be exposed to COVID-19. One thing that we do know is that, pregnant women experience immunologic and physiologic changes which might make them more susceptible to viral respiratory infections, including COVID-19. Therefore our providers have recommended that we move some of our routine OB appointments to a virtual platform via phone or video. The following routine appointments have been recommended by your provider to be done virtually:

- 12 week OB visit
- 16 week OB visit (if you were seen in office at 12 weeks)
- 24 week OB visit
- 30 week OB visit
- 34 week OB visit

We will also be conducting your pregnancy education via phone with our RN's.

During your in office appointments you can expect to have your temperature taken upon arrival as well as screening questions asked. We will make every effort to get you into an exam room as quickly as possible to lesson exposure in the waiting room. For your safety please be sure to wash your hands when you get home from your visit.

If you have any further questions regarding your pregnancy please do not hesitate to call our office and speak with our RN staff at 920-729-7105.