



Rajiv Parikh, MD, PC
 Baseline Dental/Medical Building
 Suite C-6
 1844 E. Baseline
 Tempe, AZ 85888

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Directions

Take Interstate 60 (the Superstition Freeway) towards Tempe, and head south on McClintock Road approximately one mile to Baseline Road. Turn left (east) on Baseline Road and go 1/4 mile, The office is on the north side of the street. Look for the Baseline Dental/Medical Building with the green awnings. 1844 E. Baseline - Suite C-6. (See the map on the adjoining panel of this brochure)

Access

There is ample parking for the building with several handicapped-accessible parking places available.

The restroom at the office is handicapped accessible. Patients with special needs should communicate those needs to the person scheduling their appointment. We will make every effort to accommodate those needs.

Billing

Our office participates in most major insurance plans. Your insurance will be billed on your behalf for all carriers that Dr. Parikh participates with. You will be expected to pay for all copays, co-insurance, deductibles and non-covered services.

To help keep costs down, payment is expected at the time that service is rendered. Any other billing arrangement must be made prior to your appointment.

Copays (required by most insurance plans) will be collected up front. There will be an additional \$15 billing fee for copays that are not paid at the time of service.

Currently, the office accepts the following insurance plans:

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| Aetna PPO | Cigna |
| Humana HMO | CCN |
| Intergroup | Maricopa Foundation |
| Medicare | Blue Cross/Shield |

This is only a partial list. Since the insurance industry is in a constant state of change, please contact the office directly to be sure that your plan is currently being served by Dr. Parikh.

Our billing is done by an outside billing company. Questions about your bills and insurance can be answered by calling the billing company directly at
 (480) 598-9941



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What is a Family Practice?

A Board Certification in Family Practice means that the doctor has finished a three-year accredited residency program beyond basic medical training requirements. A family practitioner is qualified to see patients of all ages.

About Dr. Parikh....

Rajiv Parikh, MD is Board Certified in Family Practice and a Diplomate of the American Academy of Family Practice. He completed his residency program at the University of California, Irvine in 1990. He has practiced medicine in Arizona since 1992.

Dr. Parikh also speaks Hindi and Gujarati.

Office Hours

Our office is open Monday thru Thursday from 8AM to 5:00PM. Friday hours are from 8:00AM to 2:00PM.

We close the office for lunch every day (except Friday) from 12 Noon to 1PM. Fridays we are closed for lunch from 12:30PM to 1:00PM.

Phone Numbers

Our main office phone number is:
(480) 897-1725

This number is used for scheduling, prescription refills, etc.

Our billing office number is:
(480) 598-9941

Call this number when questioning your account and/or billing questions.

Emergencies

In the event of a life-threatening emergency, dial 911 immediately. For urgent and after-hours help, dial the regular office phone number (480) 897-1725 and listen to the instructions on contacting the doctor.

Returning Phone Calls

If you have left a message for the doctor, a nurse will possibly return your call first to gather any additional information that may be required. The doctor will then return the call as needed.

Appointment Scheduling

Appointments can be made during normal office hours by dialing:
(480) 897-1725.

Appointments must be canceled or rescheduled at least 24 hours before the scheduled appointment time.

"No-shows" and late cancellations (Cancellations less than 24 hours prior to the scheduled appointment) will be charged a \$15 fee.

Waiting Room

New patients are asked to arrive about 30 minutes early for their first appointment in order to fill out all of the necessary paperwork

Every effort will be made to make sure that you are seen in a timely manner. Due to the nature of a family medical clinic, Dr. Parikh may at times be unavoidably delayed.

Please turn off cell phones and pagers while in the waiting area.

Food and drink are not allowed in the waiting area.

Smoking is not allowed in the office or waiting area.

The office does not provide babysitting services in the waiting area. You are responsible for your children's behavior in the waiting room. Please be considerate.



Prescription Refills

We would prefer that you call your pharmacy directly for prescription refills. They will contact our office.

Prescriptions are authorized by the office during normal office hours. Please allow 24 hours to complete prescription refills.

Hospital Affiliations

Dr. Parikh has privileges at:

Desert Samaritan Hospital
and
Tempe St. Lukes Hospital

Dr. Parikh usually uses hospitalists to provide care to his hospitalized patients.

Returned Check Policy

Our office will add a \$25.00 charge for all returned checks.

Medical Services

The following are some of the services provided by the practice of Rajiv Parikh, MD, PC -

- Routine physicals
- Preventive care
- Accident & injury cases
- Workers Compensation
- School physicals
- Medical certificates
- Minor surgeries
- Immunizations
- Pediatrics
- CDL and FAA physicals



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