



## Explanation of Charges: In-Office Procedures

Payment Policy: Patients are required to pay the Physician/Facility charge on or before their procedure date or the procedure will be cancelled or rescheduled. You will receive **THREE bills** for your procedure.

You may be responsible for the following charges associated with your procedure:

CHARGE	PAID TO:	INCLUDES	FYI	CONTACT
Physician/Anesthesia	Akron Digestive Disease Consultants	Physician fee for procedure and Administration of anesthesia by CRNA.	Our benefits coordinator will contact your insurance company regarding your benefits. If you have any out-of-pocket responsibility, you will be contacted in the next 48 hours to discuss the ESTIMATED charge and payment method. Anesthesia is based on time. Due to this we cannot provide estimates.	<u>Billing Dept:</u> 330-869-0124 Option 7
Facility	Digestive Health Center	Use of the procedure room, nursing staff, medications, equipment, and supplies.	Depending on our contract with your insurance company, there could be a separate charge for our facility.	<u>Billing Dept:</u> 330-869-0178
Pathology	Vital Axis OR Akron Digestive Disease Consultants  (Make payment to facility shown on statement.)	Testing and reading of lab results for polyp removal, biopsies, etc.	You will receive one bill from Vital Axis and one bill from Akron Digestive Disease Consultants after your procedure.  You Physician will determine where your labs will be sent.	<u>Vital Axis</u> 330-403-6029

**Benefit estimates are not guaranteed.** The procedure performed may change during the procedure which may change your out-of-pocket expense. Please verify your benefits and network participation of all providers with your insurance carrier.

A three-business day notice is required for procedures. If adequate notice is not provided, a \$50 refundable fee will be required to schedule a future appointment. The second time the required notice is not given, a \$100 non-refundable fee will be charged to the account.

**Disclaimer:** Charges for these services depend on your insurance plan. Benefit coverage with your insurance company does not guarantee payment from your insurance company. Benefits are determined at the time your insurance receives the insurance claim. This disclaimer is given by all insurance companies.

Thank you for choosing Akron Digestive Disease Consultants for your digestive care!