ADOLESCENT HEALTHCARE CENTER

EATING DISORDERS PROGRAM

located at

The Coro Center

One Hoppin Street, Suite 3055 Providence, Rhode Island 02903

We look forward to seeing: xxxxxxxx -- Tuesday, xxxxxxxx, at xxxxx am/pm

Welcome to the Eating Disorders Program of the Adolescent Healthcare Center at Hasbro Children's Hospital. The program provides multidisciplinary, family-centered care for children and adolescents with eating disorders. We offer a complete range of medical, nutritional and psychiatric services in a safe, confidential environment. Every member of our skilled and experienced disciplinary team has had specialty training in the care of adolescents with eating disorders. Our group practice consists of:

Abigail Donaldson, MD, *Director* Catherine Gordon, MD Doreen Donnelly, NP Allison Hall, LICSW Shannon Simones, RD Colleen Lynch, RD

In addition, your child may be seen by a Pediatric fellow, Pediatric resident or medical student.

Please make your primary care physician aware of this appointment. On the day of your appointment, <u>please bring your completed history form (attached) and your medical coverage cards</u>. All patients are weighed and measured at this visit. Please continue with your usual meals and fluid intake. Please arrive at least <u>15 minutes</u> before your appointment time. We appreciate you taking the time to register early, and we will make every effort to keep the clinic on schedule.

The Registration Desk is located in Suite 304A.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING THE VISIT

The initial visit may last 2-3 hours, so please plan accordingly. Your child's history will be discussed and an examination will be performed. Blood work and an EKG will be done at the visit. Any additional diagnostic studies and a nutritional evaluation will be done at the next appointment.

QUESTIONS/MEDICAL ADVICE

Until your child is an established patient, please refer questions and concerns to his or her primary care doctor.

SICK/URGENT CARE ADVICE

During office hours: If your child is sick and you need advice, please call the clinic at 401-444-5980.

LAB RESULTS

Lab results will be reviewed at the next appointment. If anything needs to be addressed prior to that visit, we will contact you by phone.

APPOINTMENTS

All first time appointments are scheduled through our main office at 401-444-4712. Your return appointments are made with our secretary as you leave the clinic or with a follow-up phone call. If you need to cancel and/or reschedule a return appointment, call 401-444-5980 between 9 am and 4 pm.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Follow-up Appointments: 401-444-5980

Intake Coordinator: 401-444-4712

Pediatric E.R.: 401-444-4900

INSURANCE AUTHORIZATION

If your insurance company requires a referral to see a specialist, please contact your primary care physician for the appropriate referral/authorization, or you may be billed for your visit.

CANCELLATION POLICY

To cancel a <u>new</u> patient appointment, call 401-444-4712 at least 48 hours prior to the appointment date so we may give the appointment to a patient on our waiting list.

DIRECTIONS TO THE CORO CENTER

From the North:

When traveling south on I-95, take exit 19. At the end of the ramp take a left on to Eddy Street and proceed to the stop light at the intersection of Eddy and Point Streets (landmarks include a gas station, and Davol Square).

Turn left onto Point Street. Proceed up Point Street until you see the Coro West building on your right. Turn right onto Hoppin Street. The Coro Center (west building) is located on the corner of Point and Hoppin streets. Bear right onto Bassett Street, right on Clifford Street, then left into the Coro garage and take a ticket. Bring your parking ticket in for validation.

From the South:

When traveling north on I-95, take exit 20 (Point Street). At the stop light, you will see the Coro Center (One Hoppin Street). Proceed straight ahead, turn right onto Bassett Street, right on Clifford Street, then left into the garage and take a ticket. Bring your parking ticket in for validation.

From the East:

Take I-195 West to I-95 North. Take Exit 1A (Point Street). At the stop light, you will see the Coro Center (One Hoppin Street). Proceed straight ahead, turn right onto Bassett Street, right on Clifford Street, then left into the garage and take a ticket. Bring your parking ticket in for validation.