

## LATEST NEWS FROM LIGHTHOUSE PEDIATRICS IN THE ERA OF COVID-19

### We are doing everything to keep your family safe when you visit our office

- We allow one family at a time in any public area: hallways, check-in, and check-out
- Our waiting areas are still closed. You will be asked to wait in your car if a room is not ready
- We are screening EVERY family (check-ups and sick visits) for potential exposure to COVID19
- If there is a potential exposure, the family will be isolated and required to wear a mask
- We are wearing surgical masks, gloves, and goggles in every visit – sick and well appointments
- Every room is wiped down completely between visits – tables, chairs, door handles, blinds



### Your children still need to come in for checkups! The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends it!

- Our children under 2 years and our 4, 11, and 12 year-olds especially need their vaccines
- Your high school senior may need a physical and possibly vaccines for college – CALL US

### Keeping your children home has kept them well, so we have fewer sick patients! But if you need us:

- We are doing telehealth visits! Call or portal message us to see if that is an option for your child
- We are scheduling these throughout the day and even doing some after-hours telehealth visits
- Telehealth visits are perfect for those children who have ADHD and/or behavior concerns

### There are still some illnesses out there, so if you need to bring your child in for a “sick visit”:

- Our sick patients will use a separate entrance and a separate check-in and check-out area.
- Dr. Shepard and Traci will see sick patients only after done seeing the well patients for the day
- We will be in protective gear during these visits to protect you and our staff
- Dr. Dudley is only seeing well patients and doing telehealth sick visits

**WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU!**  
**PLEASE LET US KNOW IF WE CAN BE OF HELP TO YOU**  
**DURING THIS TRYING TIME.**