HOURS OF OPERATION: Wednesday and Thursday 9:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

APPOINTMENTS BY: Physician Referral or Emergency Room Referral



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# PEDIATRIC ASTHMA CLINIC

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# CONTROL YOUR ASTHMA DON'T LET IT CONTROL YOU

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The goal of the Pediatric Asthma Clinic is to help you gain and maintain control of your asthma through education and support.

#### AT THE CLINIC YOU WILL LEARN:

- What asthma is
- To recognize and understand the signs and symptoms of asthma
- To identify your asthma triggers
- · To diminish asthma triggers
- To understand the purpose of the medications
- The proper technique of taking the medications
- The correct use of an aerochamber
- · To control exercise-induced asthma
- To follow a personal asthma action plan
- To achieve and maintain optimal control



### **INTEGRATED CLINICAL SERVICES:**

Your asthma progress will be monitored for 1 year, approximately 6 visits.

You will be seen by a Pediatrician.

Pulmonary Function Tests (breathing tests) will be done on children 6 years of age and older.

You will receive individual education support at each clinic session.

## **WE WILL HELP YOU:**

Establish and maintain control of your asthma.

Develop the self-management skills to take care of your asthma.

Become an informed decision-maker and play an important part in your asthma management and control.

