

Welcome!

We look forward to seeing you at your visit on _____ with:

_____ at _____

_____ at _____

_____ at _____

Here are some things for you to look at and fill out before you come:

- A medical history questionnaire is enclosed in this envelope. It will help us provide our best care if you fill this out before your clinic visit and bring it to the appointment. All questions refer to the person with Down syndrome. If you are not sure how to answer a question, leave it blank and it can be answered at the visit.
- Current Medicaid, Medicare, or other insurance information and a photo ID are needed at each visit. Please bring the most recent insurance card for the person with Down syndrome.
- Please bring guardianship papers if applicable.
- Your visit to the Center will include medical and social evaluations. **A familiar staff or family member must accompany each patient to assist in answering questions that arise during the visit.** By completing the medical history questionnaire before arriving at the clinic, we will have more time to spend on the health concerns that brought you in for the visit. If English is not the primary language, it may be helpful to have a family member with the patient who can translate.

Please bring the following information:

1. Immunization records
2. Previous echocardiogram reports
3. Previous thyroid blood test results
4. Previous neck x-ray reports
5. Any other information that relates to a specific problem you would like us to address (such as operative reports from surgery, discharge summaries from hospitalizations, etc.)
6. If you have a copy of the chromosome analysis, it would be helpful but it is not necessary.

We look forward to meeting you. If you have any questions, please call us at 847.318.2303, or visit our website at <https://www.advocatehealth.com/health-services/adult-down-syndrome-center/>.

Sincerely,

The Staff of the Adult Down Syndrome Center