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Outpatient Oncology Pharmacy

At each Kellogg Cancer Center, there is a dedicated Outpatient Oncology Pharmacy located within the facility. These pharmacies serve our patients by dispensing oral chemotherapy and supportive care medications related to the patient's treatment regimen. Outpatient oral chemotherapy allows more patients to take these medications in their home, rather than coming to the hospital for treatment.

Kellogg's clinical pharmacists offer specialized information and support related to these oral chemotherapy drugs, in addition to pain medicine and other cancer-related medications. This service enables the Kellogg pharmacists and nurses to monitor patients for any adverse reactions and communicate information and concerns with other members of the patient's treatment team.

Recent research has shown that a patient's oral chemotherapy success is closely related to the follow-up contact from pharmacists.

Locations:

Evanston Kellogg Outpatient Pharmacy

2650 Ridge Ave. Evanston, IL 60201 Located in Evanston Hospital Room G400 (847) 570-1130 (847) 733-5320 fax

Glenbrook Kellogg Outpatient Pharmacy

2180 Pfingsten Road Glenview, IL 60026 Located in Glenbrook Hospital Ste. 1008 (847) 503-1206 (847) 503-1220 fax

Highland Park Kellogg Outpatient Pharmacy

757 Park Ave. West Highland Park, IL 60035 Located in Highland Park Hospital Room 1851 (847) 926-6560 (847) 926-5390 fax

All Kellogg Outpatient Oncology Pharmacy locations are open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Visa, Mastercard, Discover and American Express are accepted.

The specialized services offered at Kellogg's on-site Outpatient Oncology Pharmacies ensure essential communication for our patients and enhance their safety and overall continuity of care.



Specially trained oncology pharmacists like Kathryn Schiavo, shown here to the left, help Kellogg Cancer Center patients.

<u>Click here</u> or enter the URL shown below to visit the Kellogg Outpatient Pharmacy page on northshore.org:

northshore.org/kellogg-cancer-center/locations/ outpatient-oncology-pharmacy

Your First Day of Chemotherapy

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Here are a few recommendations to make your first day of chemotherapy proceed as easily and comfortably as possible:

- Kellogg staff will provide up-to-date visitor guidelines.
- Come to your first appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled appointment time to complete the check-in process and have your lab work done. Please have your insurance and drug prescription cards with you.
- Eat a light breakfast at home.
- You may want to bring a light snack. Coffee, juice, tea and water are available in the treatment area. If you will be at the Kellogg Cancer Center's treatment area for an extended period, you may bring a small cooler or thermal lunch bag with food and beverages.
- Take your regular prescriptions that day, unless instructed otherwise by your oncologist.
- Please bring a complete list of your current medications, including over-the-counter drugs, vitamins and herbal supplements.
- It is recommended that you have someone drive you to your first appointment. You may want to arrange for child care for the entire day, so you can focus on yourself, your treatment and take time to ask any questions. This is not a day to feel rushed.
- If you are the main cook in the family, you may want to arrange to have dinner brought in or have someone else do the cooking tonight.
- Your nurse will review all medications given during your treatment and those you will take with you when
 you go home. You will receive a copy of your After Visit Summary, which includes home instructions and
 any return appointment details.
- You are encouraged to bring reading materials, a personal audio player, a laptop or a tablet. In addition, instructional videos are available on our interactive patient television system. Ask your nurse for details.
- All Kellogg Cancer Center locations have wireless internet connectivity available for your convenience.

Our goal is to make this journey as smooth as possible. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help you or your family.

