

# Willow Bend Pediatrics

## Celebrating 25 Years

### Office Infection Control for Covid-19 Virus

#### Recent Measures Taken to Mitigate Exposure Risk

General Precautions for protection against Coronavirus:

- To promote Social Distancing, appointments have been spaced out
- Well visits have been designated for separate hours and seen in the early morning hours, segregated away from any sick visits
- The entire waiting room is utilized to allow more distance between patients
- Families are encouraged to bring only the child to be seen to the office
- All appointments are screened, and a notice is posted at the front door to prevent anyone sick with fever, cough, or flu symptoms from entering the front waiting area
- Hand Sanitizer at check in to be used by parent and child
- Waiting room furniture, doorknobs, are wiped down frequently throughout the day
- Well visits are seen in exam rooms solely designated for well exams
- With low volume of visits and spaced out appointments, very little time is spent in the waiting room, with many patients brought directly back for their appointment
- All front desk personal, nurses and physicians are wearing masks
- Office is cleaned and disinfected by the medical staff at the beginning of the day, again before lunch, and at closing.
- Our cleaning company also does a thorough cleaning each evening
- Sick visits are not waiting in the office but are escorted by staff directly from their car to an exam room through a separate entry
- Exam Rooms have been designated for SICK patients ONLY
- In addition, we maintain **4 Isolation Rooms** for patients with fever, cough or flu like symptoms
- All rooms are thoroughly cleaned between each patient
- All WBP employees are checked each morning for fever
- Any employee or physician who is sick, is not allowed to work

