## **Notice About Nondiscrimination and Accessibility Requirements**

Athens Area Urology (henceforth, "Medical Practice") complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation, and gender identity). Medical Practice does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation, and gender identity).

## Medical Practice:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters
  - Information written in other languages
- If you need these services, contact **Debra Strickland**, Administrator, at dstrickland@athensareaurology.com.

If you believe that Medical Practice has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation, and gender identity), you can file a grievance with:

- Debra Strickland, Administrator, Civil Rights Coordinator
- 1150 Golden Way, Watkinsville, GA 30677
- 706-612-9401
- 706-612-9420
- Dstrickland@athensareaurology.com

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, Debra Strickland, Administrator is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services 200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509F, HHH Building

Washington, D.C. 20201

1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at https://www.hhs.gov/ocr/complaints/index.html.