

Gender Preference Statement

At Stanford Medicine -- Altos Oaks Medical Group, we have both male and female physicians. For your good medical care and safety, this group provides coverage for all our patients, 24 hours per day, every day. We understand you may have a preference to be seen by a physician of one gender or the other, and we will make every effort to accommodate your wishes.

However, situations either anticipated or unplanned, such as emergency or physician unavailability may occur in the office, in Labor & Delivery, or in the Emergency Room, for example, where you need to be cared for by a physician who is not of the gender of your preference. If this possibility is not acceptable to you, you must find care in another practice.

I, _____, acknowledge that in emergency or other unplanned circumstances I may need to be seen and cared for by a physician from Stanford Medicine -- Altos Oaks Medical Group – regardless of gender.

Signature of patient

Date