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# DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS NORTHERN ARIZONA VA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM PRESCOTT, ARIZONA 86313

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Dear Veteran:

In Reply Refer To: 649

Thank you for choosing the Northern Arizona VA Healthcare System at Prescott as your partner in healthcare.

Your application for healthcare has been processed. You have been assigned to the  $\underline{COTON(JOOD)}$  Team. If you do not receive an appointment in the mail within four (4) weeks, please call TELICARE at (928) 776-6197 or toll free 1-877-225-8262.

The financial information that you supplied has placed you in a co-payment category. This means that effectgive December 6, 2001, you will be assessed a co-payment charge of \$0.00 per preventive health visit; \$15.00 per primary care visit; or \$50.00 per specialty care visit and a \$7.00 for every thirty (30) days or less supply of medication. The VA can bill your private insurance company for some medical care provided. At the present time we cannot bill Medicare. We are collecting Medicare information in anticipation of future billing capability.

If you have any questions, please contact the Veterans Service Center at  $(928)\ 717-7501$  or  $(928)\ 445-4860$  ext. 6225.

Sincerely,

Doreen M. Luczkowski Business Office Manager Resource Management Service Line 208 CANDY LAW,
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If you are unable to keep this appointment(s), please call:

If you have urgent medical concerns before your appointment, Registered Nurses are available 24 hours a day/7 days a week:

> Telephone Care Services (602) 222-6550

1-888-214-7264 outside of Maricopa County, in Arizona

To check on the status of your appointments or to order medication refills, use our automated system at:

> (602) 222-6598 1-800-359-8262 outside of Maricopa County, in Arizona

Sincerely, The Staff of the Phoenix VA Medical Center 650 E. Indian School Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85012

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s):

OCT 22, 2002 10:30 AM 5-15-2 CARD URGENT CLINIC Clinic TUESDAY

Please bring this letter with you to your appointment. Please arrive at least 30 minutes prior to your scheduled Cardiology appointment, report to the EKG LAB in Building #38 Room #143A to have an electrocardiogram (EKG). Please bring a copy of your EKG with you to your Consult Clinic appointment on 1 South, Medical Subspecialties Clinc in Building #2 First Floor, Room #S102. If you report to your Cardiology appointment at least 10 minutes early you will help us to provide timely service. If you need a map one can be obtained at the volunteer desk in the lobby of Building #2 or Building #50. (You may find it most convenient for these appointments to enter using Building #50.)

If for some reason you cannot keep any of the appointment(s), please call (520) 792-1450 Ext. 6567 or 6568 at least 24 horus prior to your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

We wish to remind you that overnight parking of recreational vehicles on Southern Arizona VA Health Care System grounds is prohibited, due to safety and libility reasons. If you have a recreational vehicle please contact the VA Police. We appreciate your cooperation with this requirement.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK IN AND OUT WITH THE CLERK PRIOR TO AND AFTER YOUR VISIT\*\*

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following appointment(s) at the Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic in Cottonwood, Arizona:

THURSDAY NOV 14, 2002 9:30 AM COTTONWOOD NP A NEW Clinic Phone #: 649-1523 Location: 203 Candy Lane Suite 5B

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment, and you need to cancel or reschedule please call TELICARE at: 1-877-225-8262 (toll free) 24 hours in advance.

Introducing the AudioReminder and AudioInquiry systems! These are to help our veterans by reminding you of your scheduled outpatient appointments. The AudioReminder will call you 2 days before your appointment and remind you of it! It will tell you the date and time and place of your appointment! It will even let you cancel your appointment right there on the phone if you'd like!

The AudioInquiry will let you call it and find out about your appointments! You can call AudioInquiry at 1-800-949-1005, extension 7470; just select the Appointment Inquiry option and find out about all your future appointments with us.

Please bring your health benefit card or health insurance information when coming for treatment.

\*\* REMINDER, Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic works by appointment only, no walk-ins are seen by a health care provider. Please call 649-1523 to make your appointment.\*\*

Thank you,

Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326 ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336 do sto survive in monters.

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following clinic appointment(s) scheduled at the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System in Prescott, Arizona:

WEDNESDAY NOV 27, 2002 11:30 AM GU CLINIC AM (FB) Clinic Phone #: 6661 Location: BLDG 107, 3B

Please check in 30 minutes before your scheduled time. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment and you need to reschedule or cancel, please call and ask for the extension listed above for the appointment.

The Audioreminder system will call you 2 days before your appointment and remind you of the date, time and place of your appointment. The AudioInquiry system will let you call to find out about any future appointments in the next 30 days by calling locally 717-7470 or out of the area call 1-800-949-1005.

When coming for your appointment, please tell your team if there has been any change in your enrollment information.

Thank you,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following clinic appointment(s) at the Prescott V. A. Medical Center:

THURSDAY JAN 2, 2003 10:00 AM ECHOCARDIOGRAM Clinic Phone #: EXT. 6629 Location: HOSPITAL ROOM 106

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment and you need to reschedule or cancel call TELICARE at 1-877-225-8262 between 8:00am and 4:00pm.

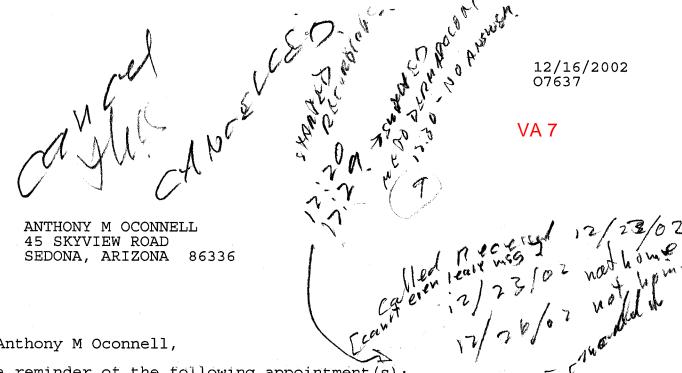
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Please bring your health benefit card or health insurance information when coming for treatment.

Thank you,

V. A. Medical Center Prescott, Arizona 86313



Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following appointment(s):

DEC 31, 2002 3:00 PM DERM NEW CONSULT (COPPER) Clinic

Please arrive at least 15 minutes before your appointment time. There are clinics in both the old and new building, so please ask for directions at an information desk and a customer service assistant will help you.

When you check in, please provide us with your insurance information, as well as any changes to your address or phone number. Any money collected from your insurance company will be used at this facility to improve our services to you.

If you are unable to keep this appointment(s), please call:

Centralized Scheduling Monday - Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30  $(602)^{2}22-6501$ 1-800-359-8262 outside of Maricopa County, in Arizona

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Please bring your health benefit card or health insurance information when coming for treatment.

Thank you,

V. A. Medical Center Prescott, Arizona 86313

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Dear Mr. Anthony M Oco:

You have the following clinic appointment(s) scheduled at the Northern Arizona VA Health Care ystem in Prescott, Arizona:

WEDNESDAY JAN 8, 2 03 1:40 PM UROLOGY PM (FB) Clinic Location: BLDG 107, 3B Phone #: 6661

Please check in 30 mir tes before your scheduled time. If for any reason, this is not a convenie : appointment and you need to reschedule or cancel, please call and ask f the extension listed above for the appointment.

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When coming for you appointment, please tell your team if there has been any change in your rollment information.

Thank you,

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s). Please bring this letter with you when you report for your appointment.

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REPORT TO:

MEDICAL SUBSPECIALITES AREA BUILDING 2, 1ST FLOOR, ROOM S102

MONDAY JAN 13, 2003 1:30 PM 5-05-2 CARD ERICSON Clinic

Please bring a current list of all medications you are taking (dosages and times). Include Medicatons you have received from other practitoners. Over the counter medications nutrients, supplements, and herbal therapies should also be included.

We wish to remind you that overnight parking of recreational vehicles on Southern Arizona VA Health Care grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons. We appreciate your cooperation with this requirement.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*
Sincerely yours,

ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

We are concerned about your health. You missed your appointment in the following clinic without notifying us in advance:

WEDNESDAY JAN 8, 2003 1:40 PM UROLOGY PM (FB) Clinic Phone #: 6661 Location: BLDG 107, 3B

So we can meet your healthcare needs, keeping your appointment is important. Please call 1-800-949-1005 and ask for the appropriate clinic extension listed above or call TELICARE at 1-877-225-8262 between 8:00am and 4:00pm. if you cannot make your scheduled appointment or if you would like to reschedule this appointment.

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The AudioInquiry will let you call and find out about your future appointments in the next 30 days. You can call locally at (928) 717-7470, if you are out of the Prescott area you can call 1-800-949-1005, extension 7470.

Thank You,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313

ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

GREETINGS from the Southern Arizonia VA Health Care System in Tucson, Az. Your health care is important to us. We see that you missed an appointment/s on:

MONDAY JAN 13, 2003 1:30 PM 5-05-2 CARD ERICSON Clinic

If you would like to reschedule your appointment. Please call 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4 and we will be happy to reschedule for you.

Should you require medical attention of a more immediate nature please call our "TLC" (Telephone Link Care) line at 520-629-4900 or 1-800-470-8262 option #7. We will do all we can to accommodate your health care needs.

If you have any questions concerning this or any other appointment/s do not hesitate to call our Patient Service Center at 1-800-470-8262 or 520-792-1450 option 4.

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING THE VA HOSPITAL AS YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER "WE CHOOSE TO CARE"

Sincerely yours,

ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following appointment(s) at the Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic in Cottonwood, Arizona:

THURSDAY MAR 13, 2003 9:30 AM COTTONWOOD (FASTING) LAB LPN Clinic Phone #: 928-649-1523Location: 203 Candy Lane

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment, and you need to cancel or reschedule please call TELICARE at: 1-877-225-8262 (toll free) 24 hours in advance.

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Thank you,

Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326



# **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

# Northern Arizona Healthcare System Prescott A7 86313

Prescott AZ 86313 March 24, 2003

**VA 14** 

In Reply Refer To: 649/00

Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

Thank you for your suggestion in your recent e-mail to Senator McCain. Your suggestion has been referred to our Information Systems Service Line for consideration of using e-mail to communicate with our various clinics at the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System.

We apologize for the confusion that you encountered. Your appointment status has been changed to "canceled by patient" rather than "no-show". You should have received a call from the clinic inquiring if you wished to be rescheduled.

Your issue with the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System has been forwarded to Mr. Gardner, Health Care System Director.

If you have any further problems, please contact our Patient Advocate, Mrs. Barbara Echeverria at 1-800-949-1005 Ext. 6008.

Sincerely,

Patricia A. McKlem

Health Care System Director

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# DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723

**VA 15** 

In Reply Refer To: 678/5-136PSC

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Mr. Anthony O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, AZ 86336.

### Dear Mr. O'Connell:

I am writing in response to your correspondence to Senator John McCain dated February 25, 2003 regarding your concern over communication with the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System.

The Supervisor of the Patient Service Center was asked to look into the problem that resulted in your appointment of January 13, 2003 being entered as a no-show. The clinic you were scheduled to be seen in is a restricted clinic and only the Cardiology staff may schedule or cancel an appointment for a patient.

The no-show letter you provided gave directions to contact either scheduling or TLC for a new appointment and that was not correct. The Supervisor of PSC contacted the Cardiology department to obtain the correct phone number to call for appointments. We will update that information on the letters sent to Cardiology patients.

I would like to thank you for bringing this to our attention and I apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. We value and respect the veterans we serve. Mrs. Sherrie Miller, Patient Service Center Supervisor in the Business Service Line, is available should you have any questions pertaining to this response. You may contact Mrs. Miller at (520) 792-1450, extension 6654.

Sincerely,

Jonathan H. Gardner, FACHE

Director

Southern Arizona

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

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This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s). Please bring this letter with you when you report for your appointment.

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REPORT TO:

MEDICAL SUBSPECIALITES AREA BUILDING 2, 1ST FLOOR, ROOM S102

THURSDAY MAY 1, 2003 2:30 PM 5-05-2 CARD ERICSON Clinic

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* If, for some reason you cannot keep any of the appointment(s), please call (520) 792-1450 option 4, Patient Service Center within 24 hours of your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

Please bring a current list of all medications you are taking (dosages and times). Include Medicatons you have received from other practitoners. Over the counter medications nutrients, supplements, and herbal therapies should also be included.

We wish to remind you that overnight parking of recreational vehicles on Southern Arizona VA Health Care grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons. We appreciate your cooperation with this requirement.

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REPORT TO:

MEDICAL SUBSPECIALITES AREA BUILDING 2, 1ST FLOOR, ROOM S102

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

GREETINGS from the Southern Arizonia VA Health Care System in Tucson, Az. Your health care is important to us. We see that you missed an appointment/s on:

THURSDAY MAY 1, 2003 2:30 PM 5-05-2 CARD ERICSON Clinic

If you would like to reschedule your appointment. Please call 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4 and we will be happy to reschedule for you.

Should you require medical attention of a more immediate nature please call our "TLC" (Telephone Link Care) line at 520-629-4900 or 1-800-470-8262 option #7. We will do all we can to accommodate your health care needs.

If you have any questions concerning this or any other appointment/s do not hesitate to call our Patient Service Center at 1-800-470-8262 or 520-792-1450 option 4.

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING THE VA HOSPITAL AS YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER "WE CHOOSE TO CARE"

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MONDAY JUN 23, 2003 2:00 PM 5-05-2 CARD ERICSON Clinic

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Please check in 30 minutes before your scheduled time. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment and you need to reschedule or cancel, please call (928) 445-4860 and ask for the clinic name listed above for the appointment.

The Audioreminder system will call you 2 days before your appointment and remind you of the date, time and place of your appointment. The AudioInquiry system will let you call to find out about any future appointments in the next 30 days by calling locally 717-7470 or out of the area call 1-800-949-1005.

When coming for your appointment, please tell your team if there has been any change in your enrollment information.

Thank you,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313

Dear Veteran,

**VA 24** 

The enclosed authorization allows you to choose your own provider fcpage 1 of 3 service stated. Please present one copy of the authorization to your provider of choice, and be sure to inform them that they will be paid according to the VA schedule. This may not be the total amount that they bill.

If they will not accept VA payment for a lesser amount than billed, or if they require you to make payment yourself, you may want to choose a different provider for the medical service.

VA will not be able to reimburse you for any out-of-pocket expenses that you incur as a result of this Fee medical service.

VA is only allowed to pay according to the VA schedule unless the provider has a contract with VA.

If you have any questions about these statements, please call Fee Basis at 928-776-6030.

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### Information On Veterans Administration Program

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- .SIISTPERIOD OF VALIDITY. Service must be performed within the period of validity indicated.
- III: REPORTS. Clinical reports are required when an examination only has been requested. Please submit reports promptly to the Station Of Jurisdiction.
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  - VI. PAYMENT. Payment by the VA for services rendered and approved is payment in full.
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- VIII. INQUIRIES. Additional information when required may be obtained by contacting the Station Of Jurisdiction.

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This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s):

TUESDAY MAR 9, 2004 10:00 AM 5-20 CARD ECHO Clinic

Please check in with the Cardiology Office, Building 38, Room A 114 when you arrive for your appointment. If you need a map one can be obtained at the volunteer desk in the lobby of Building 2 or Building 50.

If, for some reason you cannot keep any of the appointment(s), please call (520) 629-4624 within 24 hours of your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

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Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

The following appointment has been cancelled:

MONDAY NOV 10, 2003 9:00 AM 55-3-1 !!UROL WALKER NEW PT Clinic

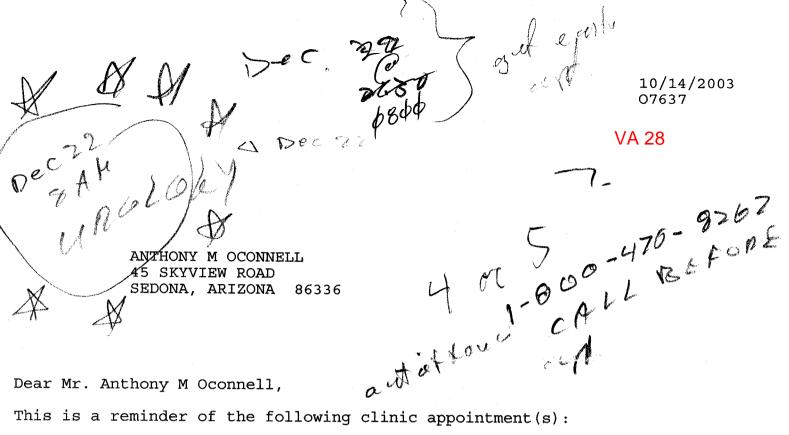
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If appointment(s) are for one of the following specialty clinics, please call the clinic directly:

MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC (520) 629-4625 DENTAL CLINIC (520) 629-1842 PTSD CLINIC (520) 629-4625 COMPENSATION & PENSION (RATINGS) (520) 629-4662

We regret any inconvenience this clinic cancellation may cause you.

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This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s):

TUESDAY NOV 4, 2003 2:00 PM 55-0-1 !!UROL RUEBEL NEW PT Clinic

Please check in with the Clinic Clerk in Building 2, Second Floor, 2 North A, when you arrive for your appointment. If you need a map one can be obtained at the volunteer desk in the lobby of Bldg #2 or Bldg #50.

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Thank you,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

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This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s):

TUESDAY DEC 16, 2003 8:00 AM 55-0-1 !!UROL RUEBEL NEW PT Clinic

Please check in with the Clinic Clerk in Building 2, Second Floor, 2 North A, when you arrive for your appointment. If you need a map one can be obtained at the volunteer desk in the lobby of Bldg #2 or Bldg #50.

If, for some reason you cannot keep any of the appointment(s), please call (520) 792-1450, extension 6905 within 24 hours of your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

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Please bring this letter with you when you report for your appointment.

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Sincerely yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following appointment(s) at the Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic in Cottonwood, Arizona:

WEDNESDAY DEC 17, 2003 9:30 AM COTTONWOOD (FASTING) LAB LPN Clinic 203 Candy Lane

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment, and you need to cancel or reschedule please call TELICARE at: 1-877-225-8262 (toll free) 24 hours in advance.

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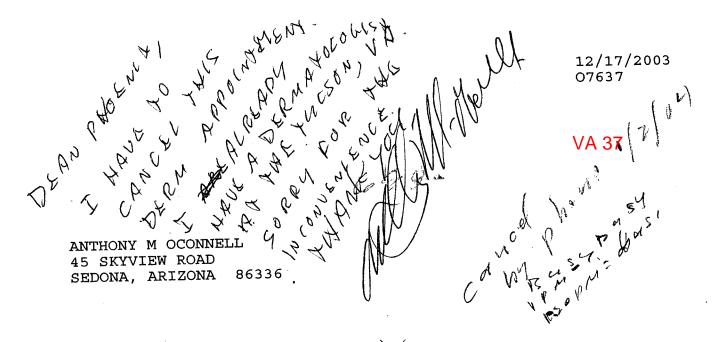
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Thank you,

Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326



Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell, (195† 4 7637)

This is a reminder of the following appointment(s):

WEDNESDAY JAN 28, 2004 1:30 PM DERM TARGOVNIK NEW (COPPER) Clinic

There are clinics in both the Ambulatory Care building located on 3rd St & Indian School and the main hospital building located on 7th St & Indian School, so please ask for directions at an information desk and a customer service assistant will help you.

When you check in, please provide us with your insurance information, as well as any changes to your address or phone number. Any money collected from your insurance company will be used at this facility to improve our services to you.

If you are unable to keep this appointment(s), please call:

Centralized Scheduling
Monday - Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
(602) 222-6501
1-800-359-8262 outside of Maricopa County, in Arizona

If you have urgent medical concerns before your appointment, Registered Nurses are available 24 hours a day/7 days a week:

Telephone Care Services
(602) 222-6550
1-888-214-7264 outside of Maricopa County, in Arizoff

Sincerely, The Staff of the Phoenix VA Medical Center 650 E Indian School Rd Phoenix, AZ 85012 the set is take

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following clinic appointment(s) at the Prescott V. A. Medical Center:

MONDAY JAN 5, 2004 10:20 AM EKG AM Clinic

HOSPITAL ROOM 106 JAN 5, 2004 11:00 AM LABORATORY (FASTING) Clinic

MONDAY HOSPITAL RM 106

MONDAY JAN 5, 2004 11:30 AM XRAY/IMAGING2 Clinic

VA MEDICAL CENTER RM 145

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Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE: FOR LAB ONLY PLEASE CHECK IN AT THE APPOINTED TIME.\*\*\*

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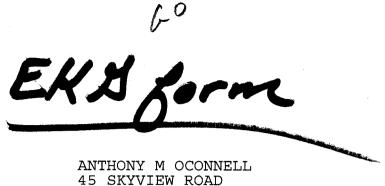
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Thank you,

V. A. Medical Center Prescott, Arizona 86313



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Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

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<u>Clinic</u>	Appt Date/Time	Status	information
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2 Laboratory (fasting)	01/05/2004@11:00	Non-count	
3 Xray/Imaging2	01/05/2004@11:30	Non-count	on Jan 5
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5 Anticoag Telephone	01/09/2004@12:30	Future	page 1 01 3
6 Cottonwood (fasting) Lab Lpn	01/16/2004@08:30	Non-count	
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... HMMM, HOLD ON... Expanded Profile Jan 05, 2004@11:25:35 Page: 4 of Patient: OCONNELL, ANTHONY M (7637) Outpatient Clinic: COTTONWOOD NP A FOLLOW-UP Appointment #: 7

Religious Pref.: BUDDHIST Last Means Test: 07/01/03 POS: VIETNAM ERA Means Test: MT COPAY REQUIRED Primary Elig.: NON-SERVICE CONNECTED Address:

Phone: 928 204 2942 45 SKYVIEW ROAD

SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Status: NO INPT./LOD. ACT. Radiation Exposure: NO

Prisoner of War: NO Last Admit/Lodger Date: AO Exposure: NO Last Disch. /Lodger Date:

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Progress Notes

E DATED: 10/03/2003 16:22 COTTONWOOD CBOC TELEPHONE CONTACT IT: 10/03/2003 16:16 COTTONWOOD TELEPHONE s from pnt and notification alerts that pnt is to be assigned to M. D.

Press VA Hosp, dictate the need for this consult request. facilitate prompt continuous care an Oncology consult is requested to

son Va today for eval of two melanoma (by pnt History).

basis in not authorized IAW with Dr Melvin ,Chief of P & SC  $\,$  and Dr Jackson advised pnt  $\,$  where he should seek care for this diagnosis.

Signed by: /es/ THOMAS A BAST APN 10/03/2003 16:38

Receipt Acknowledged By:

/es/ GARY R MELVIN 10/06/2003 07:35 VA 41 information obtained on Jan 5 page 3 of 5

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NELL, ANTHONY M :10/25/1941 NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS Pt Loc: OUTPATIENT Printed:01/05/2004 11:11 Vice SF 509 MEDICAL RECORD

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eceived verbal orders from Tom Bast, NP, to cancel upcoming appts scheduled for ottonwood cboc as pt has now been assigned to orange team physician.

vill notify orange team to schedule f/u appts for pt.

Signed by: /es/ CLAUDIA M. SHIMKUS

REGISTERED NURSE 11/05/2003 15:05

Receipt Acknowledged By:

/es/ THOMAS A BAST APN 11/06/2003 17:17

/es/ JEAN M CUNNINGHAM RN 11/05/2003 15:22 VA 41 information obtained on Jan 5 page 4 of 5

CONNELL ANTHONY M DOB:10/25/1941

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NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS Pt Loc: OUTPATIENT Printed:01/05/2004 11:11 Vice SF 509

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per Tom Bast, NP

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

TUESDAY APPTS: REPORT TO BLDG 2, 2ND FLOOR, 2NA SURGICAL CLINIC RECEPTION DESK

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THURSDAY APPTS: REPORT TO BLDG 80, 2ND FLOOR

MEDICINE SUBSPECIALTY RECEPTION DESK

THURSDAY FEB 26, 2004 1:45 PM 41-0-2 MSS GEN SURG ONC Clinic

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Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

REPORT TO: BLDG 2, 1st FLOOR-ROOM 102, CLINIC RECEPTION DESK
WE RECOMMEND YOU PARK IN LOT C WEST OF BLDG 57

TUESDAY MAR 9, 2004 10:00 AM 5-20 CARD ECHO Clinic

PLEASE BRING A LIST OF ALL MEDICATIONS that you are currently taking, including any over-the-counter medications, along with all records from your "outside" or private doctors. If you use OXYGEN at home, please bring along a SUFFICIENT QUANTITY of oxygen to last for the duration of your appointment.

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Sincerely Yours,

Patient Service Center Patient Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

Greetings from the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System. scheduled for your initial medical evaluation as follows: Bldg. 57, Main Lobby-Reception Desk REPORT TO:

\*\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT \*\*\*\*\* Please report 30 MINUTES before your scheduled appointment time

listed below in order to complete your check-in with the clinic clerk and vitals signs with our LPN.

WEDNESDAY MAY 12, 2004 8:00 AM 99-108 PRIM CARE SHARON NEW PT Clinic \*

\*\*Please bring ALL bottles of medications that you are currently taking.\*\*

If you unable to keep your appointment and wish to cancel or reschedule, please call 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4 and other arrangements will be made.

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Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System 3601 S 6th Avenue Tucson, AZ 85723

## PATIENT HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE Southern Arizona VA Health Care System

To assist us in developing a plan for your care please bring all you A 45 medications in their medication bottles to the first appointment and 20 2 of 4 answer the following:

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List allergies to medication / food / other:	
List any major medical problems you have:	
List surgeries and approximate dates:	
List dates of following screening tests: Colonoscopy: Sigmoidoscopy: Stool cards: Eye Exam: Dental Exam: Pap Smear: Mammogram: Prostate Exam:	
Does anyone in your family have: Diabetes Yes No Heart Trouble Yes No Cancer Yes No Kind	
List dates of immunizations: Tetanus/diphtheria: Pneumonia: Flu :	,

Do you feel depressed? Yes No

## PATIENT HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE Southern Arizona VA Health Care System

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Do you smoke? Yes No How much? How long?

Do you drink alcohol? How much?	Yes	No
Have you ever felt you should cut down?	Yes	
Have people annoyed you by criticizing your drinking? Have you ever felt bad or guilty about your drinking?	Yes	
	Yes Yes	
Do you use marijuanna, cocaine, heroine, amphetamines, other?	Yes	No

Circle any of the following behaviors that indicate your risk for Hepatitis C?

Tatoos

Cocaine or crack use

IV drug use

Body piercing

Blood transfusion prior to 1992

Heavy alcohol use

Multiple sex partners

Dialysis patient

Health care worker

I have tested positive for Hepatitis:

Yes No

I would like to be tested for Hepatitis?

Yes No

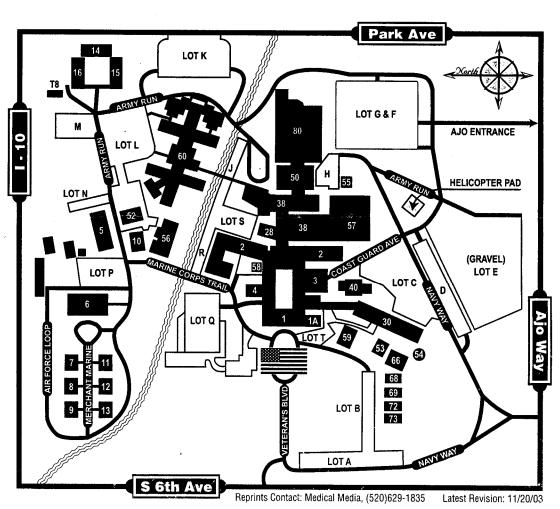
Please obtain copies of your medical records and bring to your appointment.

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After Hours Admission (LSU)	2	C	GI/GU Lab	38	J,K	- Ward -3 North VA 45	2	ā
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Ambulatory Surgery/OR	57	C,D,E	Hemodialysis	57	C,D,E	Pharmacy page 4	of 480	G,F
American Indian Program	2	C,D,E	Homeless Program	66	В	Police/Security	2	Q
Audiologý	38	G,F,J	Hospice	60	L	Prosthetics	57	C,D
Beneficiary Travel	80	G,F	Human Resources	53	В	Public Affairs	1	Q
Business/Billing Office	73	В	Information	80	G,F	Optical Shop	80	G.F
Canteen Dining	3	Q,B	Intensive Care Unit (ICU)	38	Q	Radiology/Nuclear Medicine	38	G,F
Canteen Retail Store	80	G,F	Laboratory	57	C	Recreation Sports Park	71	P
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CHAMPVA	57	D .	Medicine Specialty Clinics	80	G,F	Release of Information	50	G,F
Chaplain	4	Q	Mental Health Programs	2	R,S,Q	Research Administration	52	P
Compensation/Pension Clinic	57	C,D,E	Nuclear Medicine	38	Q	Speech Pathology	60	L,K
Conference Center	4	Q	Outpatient Lab	80	G,F	Spinal Cord Injury Clinic	60	L.K
Day Programs	7	Ρ.	Outpatient Radiology	80	G,F	Staff/Resident Education	59	B
Dental	57	C,D,E	Primary Care Teams		,	Substance Abuse Program	66	A,B
Director's Offices	· 1	Q	- Agave Primary Care Team	2	Q	Surgery Clinic	2	Q
Eligibility & Enrollment Center	69	В	- Mesquite Primary Care Team	80	G,F	S.W. Blind Rehabilitation Center	30	D,C
EKG	38	G,F,J	- Ocotillo Primary Care Team	80	G,F	TRICARE	57	C,D,E
Engineering	5	P	- Palo Verde Primary Care Team	80 .	G,F	Veterans Service Officer	58	Q
ENT	38		- Saguaro Primary Care Team	80	G,F	Vocational Rehabilitation	13	P
G,F,JEmployee Health	2	C,D,E	Pain Clinic	60	L,K	Voluntary Service	4	Q
Environmental Management	5	Р.	Patient Advocate	1A	Q	Warehouse	14	М
Eye Clinic	80	G,F,J	Patient Transportation	38	G,F,J	Woman's Health	80	G,F



3601 S 6th Avenue Tucson • Arizona 85723 (520) 792-1450



ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

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*** TODAY'S CARE PLAN AND YOUR NEXT STEP OF CARE ***	
OCONNELL,ANTHONY M (7637) has just checked in using the automated check-in system. MAR 09, 2004@10:43:57	
Appointment: 13:00 5-50 MSS CARD BROWER U 4 8 89	\/A 4 <del>7</del>
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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following appointment(s) at the Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic in Cottonwood, Arizona:

WEDNESDAY MAR 31, 2004 10:15 AM COTTONWOOD (FASTING) LAB LPN Clinic 203 Candy Lane

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment, and you need to cancel or reschedule please call TELICARE at: 1-877-225-8262 (toll free) 24 hours in advance.

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Thank you,

Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326

The following appointment has been cancelled:

WEDNESDAY MAY 12, 2004 8:00 AM 99-108 PRIM CARE SHARON NEW PT Clinic

If this letter indicates a new appointment time that is inconvenient for you, please call (520) 792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4 to discuss other arrangements. If a new appointment is not listed in this letter, you will receive a letter in the near future giving you a new appointment date and time.

If appointment(s) are for one of the following specialty clinics, please call the clinic directly:

MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC (520) 629-4625

DENTAL CLINIC (520) 629-1842

PTSD CLINIC (520) 629-4625

COMPENSATION & PENSION (RATINGS) (520) 629-4662

We regret any inconvenience this clinic cancellation may cause you.

Sincerely yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723 DENNIS' CALLED JONES ON 3/23(2) ON 3/23(2) ON S/23(2) O

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This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment.

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WE RECOMMEND YOU PARK IN LOT G, SOUTH OF BUILDING 80

WEDNESDAY MAY 12, 2004 10:00 AM 6-90 MSS DERM PROCEDURES Clinic TUESDAY SEP 14, 2004 1:30 PM 5-50 MSS CARD BROWER Clinic

PLEASE ARRIVE 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO YOUR SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT TO ALLOW TIME FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESSING. Your appointment may be rescheduled if you are more than 15 minutes past your scheduled time.

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PLEASE BRING A LIST OF ALL MEDICATION that you are currently taking, including any over-the-counter medications, along with all records from your "outside" or private doctors. If you use OXYGEN at home, please bring along a SUFFICIENT QUANTITY of oxygen to last for the duration of your appointment.

IF YOUR PROVIDER REQUIRES BLOOD WORK, PLEASE DO IT THE DAY BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT.

REMINDER: Overnight parking of recreational vehicles on SAVAHCS grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons.

If you are unable to keep your appointment, please call the Patient Service Center at 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4, AT LEAST 24 HOURS before your scheduled appointment and other arrangements will be made.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*

Sincerely Yours,

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THURSDAY AUG 26, 2004 1:30 PM 41-0-2 MSS GEN SURG ONC Clinic

\*\* PLEASE BRING YOUR INSURANCE CARD TO EACH APPOINTMENT \*\*

(520) 792-1450, extension 6905 within 24 hours of your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

If you are using DAV transportation, please call DAV three to five days in advance of your appointment to schedule your ride at (520) 792-1450, extension 6959.

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

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TUESDAY JUN 15, 2004 10:30 AM COTTONWOOD (FASTING) LAB LPN Clinic 203 Candy Lane

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### **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov>

To: Sent: <amo@commspeed.net>
Friday, June 04, 2004 4:36 PM

Subject:

letter

Anthony, I received your letter with your numerous complaints.

First, I am only following you for your anticoagulation. All other concerns including renewing medications must go thru your primary care provider which is Dr. Keng on the red team. You have an appointment July 12 and these concerns can be addressed then. If you need some medicine to tide you over until you get seen, just give me a call and I can try to help.

Second, most mailed prescriptions are mailed from Dallas, TX using 3rd class mail which takes about 1 week to arrive after processing. If you need something emergently, I need to be told so we can mail via Fed Ex. I wasn't told that you needed tamsulosin this way. The alternative is for you to drive to Prescott to pick up the drug.

Third, we have no way of knowing using our computer system if you have appointments at other VAs. If there is a conflict, just contact me and we can change the appointment.

Lastly, the Cottonwood VA clinic does not take patients walking in, including lab. Everything is by appointment. If you do not like how I am scheduling your labs, then just contact me by phone or email when you can make it for your lab and I will set up the appointment. Cottonwood will not do this. Keep in mind that I'm not here all the time.

Joe Rindone, PharmD Anticoagulation clinic Prescott VA

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78-11190

678-5678-49 Jun 04, 2004 Rx # 2216431

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### **Anthony OConnell**

From:

"Rindone, Joseph P." < Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov>

To:

"Anthony OConnell" <amo@commspeed.net>

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Sent: Subject: Monday, June 07, 2004 10:14 AM RE: Please correct your records

You do have an appointment set up for July 12 at 2 pm with Dr. Keng here at the Prescott VA. Do you want that cancelled? If so, all your medical needs including med refills must be handled by the Tucson VA. One exception is your anticoagulation, I can handle that here. Just let me know and thanks.

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Friday, June 04, 2004 3:05 PM To: Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov Subject: Please correct your records

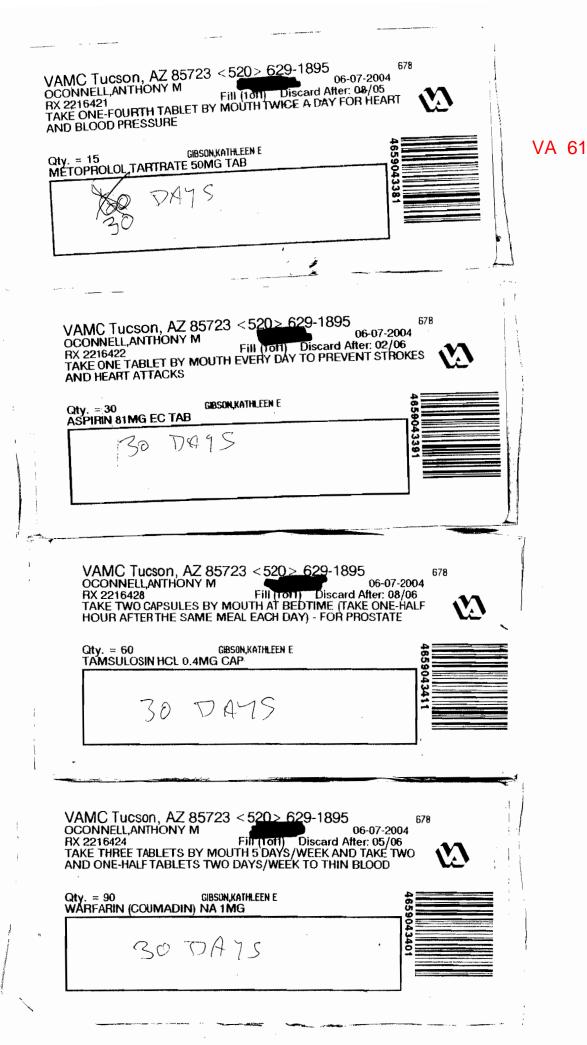
Dr Joseph Rindone:

Would you please correct your records to show that my primary care provider is Dr. Kathleen Gibson in Tucson and not Dr. Keng or anyone else in Prescott.

Thank you

Anthony M. O'Connell

Copy by regular main to: Dr Kathleen Gibson Director of Primary Care SAVAHS 3601 South 6th Street Tucson, Arizona 85723



### **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Wednesday, June 16, 2004 4:48 PM

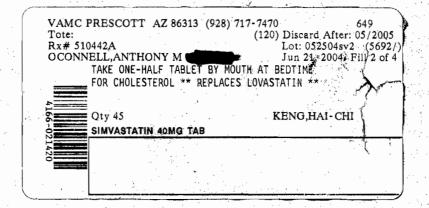
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Anthony, your coumadin blood test is OK (3.4). The therapeutic range is 2.5 to 3.5. Suggest no change with your coumadin dose. Can you reply for confirmation. Thanks.

Joe

Prescott VA



ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following clinic appointment(s) scheduled at the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System in Prescott, Arizona:

MONDAY JUL 12, 2004 2:00 PM ORANGE MD B 30 MIN Clinic NEW PRIMARY CARE AREA

MONDAY JUL 12, 2004 12:00 PM LAB

NEW PRIMARY CARE AREA

Please check in 30 minutes before your scheduled time. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment and you need to reschedule or cancel, please call (928) 445-4860 and ask for the clinic name listed above for the appointment.

The Audioreminder system will call you 2 days before your appointment and remind you of the date, time and place of your appointment. The AudioInquiry system will let you call to find out about any future appointments in the next 30 days by calling locally 717-7470 or out of the area call 1-800-949-1005.

When coming for your appointment, please tell your team if there has been any change in your enrollment information.

Thank you,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313

ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, ARIZONA 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following clinic appointment(s) at the Prescott V. A. Medical Center:

MONDAY JUL 12, 2004 12:30 PM EKG PM Clinic HOSPITAL ROOM 106

Please check in for your appointment 30 minutes before your scheduled time.

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU HAVE A LAB OR PULMONARY FUNCTION CLINIC

APPOINTMENT, PLEASE CHECK IN AT THE APPOINTED TIME.

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Thank you,

V. A. Medical Center Prescott, Arizona 86313

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Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326 July 5, 2004, Barbara Echeverria, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is Barbara Echeverria. I'm the patient advocate at the VA in Prescott, Arizona, um, I would really like to talk to you about your issues, a, you do have an appointment this coming Monday here in Prescott, I was calling to encourage you to keep that appointment, based on a letter that's going to be sent to you by Tucson, a, your appointment is, actually you have an EKG at 12:30, and at noon, lab, and at 2:00 o'clock on the orange team. So I encourage you to keep those appointments in Prescott on the 12th. Please call me, 928 776-6008."



### **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

### Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723

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In Reply Refer To:

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Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

This is in response to your letters dated June 4, 2004, June 5, 2004, June 6, 2004, June 7, 2004, June 8, 2004, June 10, 2004, June 15, 2004, June 26, 2004, July 1, 2004, July 2, 2004, July 3, 2004, July 4, 2004 and July 5, 2004, regarding your medical concerns at the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System (SAVAHCS). I requested that Valerie Russell, Administrative Officer for Primary Care, and other appropriate staff review your concerns.

In your letter, you had several questions regarding your care. You inquired as to what obstacles are preventing Dr. Gibson from sending your medications to you and ask that arrangements be made for you to have labs drawn at a Prescott Clinical Based Outpatient Clinic and then sent to SAVAHCS. The greatest obstacle to providing your care is the fact that you are currently living outside the SAVAHCS jurisdiction. Your current residence is within the Northern Arizona VA Healthcare System (NAVAHCS) where you are also receiving primary care. Further, your current medications require close monitoring. This means laboratory work needs to be routinely drawn and analyzed so your primary care physician can adjust your medications accordingly. Your distance from the SAVAHCS makes this difficult. Asking your provider at SAVAHCS to bypass the usual and customary practice of routine laboratory monitoring of high-risk medications to accommodate your desire to seek care from a facility not equipped to handle such procedures outside their area is neither prudent nor safe for your care.

I understand you have an appointment at Northern Arizona VA Health Care System (NAVAHCS) with the Orange Team on July 12, 2004, at 1400. I strongly encourage you to seek your primary care at NAVAHCS. Dr. Gibson spoke with Dr. Dunsting, Assistant Clinical Director for Primary Care at NAVAHCS, and he indicated NAVAHCS is pleased to continue caring for you. The point of contact at NAVAHCS is Ms. Barbara Gonzalez, Patient Advocate at 928-776-6008. Please call her and she will assist you in transferring your care to NAVAHCS.

If you choose to continue to see Dr. Gibson as your primary care provider at the SAVAHCS, you will be required to have your labs drawn at SAVAHCS. SAVAHCS will continue to see you for any sub-specialty services that NAVAHCS cannot provide.

Thank you for bringing your concerns to my attention. The SAVAHCS strives to provide quality and compassionate care to all of our veterans and I assure you we are very concerned with patient care and the satisfaction of the veterans we serve. If you have any further questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact Ms. Russell at (520) 629-4950.

Sincerely

Jonathan H. Gardner, FACHE

Director

Southern Arizona

VA Health Care System

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MR. ANTHONY O'CONNELL

45 SKYVIEW ROAD

SEDONA, AZ 86336

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

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So we can meet your healthcare needs, keeping your appointment is important. Please call 1-800-949-1005 and ask for the appropriate clinic extension listed above or call TELICARE at 1-877-225-8262 between 8:00am and 4:00pm if you cannot make your scheduled appointment or if you would like to reschedule this appointment.

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The AudioInquiry will let you call and find out about your future appointments in the next 30 days. You can call locally at (928) 717-7470, if you are out of the Prescott area you can call 1-800-949-1005, extension 7470.

Thank You,

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System Prescott, Arizona 86313



# DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS Northern Arizona Healthcare System Prescott AZ 86313

July 14, 2004

**VA 70** 

In Reply Refer To:

649/00

Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

Thank you for your letters requesting that your concerns be addressed by the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System (NAVAHCS) in Prescott and the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System SAVAHCS) in Tucson. We understand that SAVAHCS replied to your concerns and suggested that continuing your Primary Care with the NAVAHCS (in Prescott) would be in your best interest.

Our Patient Advocate, Ms. Barbara Echeverria tried to contact you and discuss your care needs but was unable to reach you. She left a telephone message and encouraged you to keep your appointment with Dr. Keng on July 12, 2004. However, we understand that you did not keep that appointment.

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the NAVAHCS and encourage you to make an appointment with Dr. Keng on the Orange Team. The Orange Team can be reached at 1-800-949-1005, extension 6156.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Echeverria, Patient Advocate at (928) 776-6008.

Sincerely,

Mancy Cambell
Deboral A. Thompson
Director

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### **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Thursday, July 15, 2004 4:06 PM

Subject:

lab

**VA72** 

Anthony, your protime/INR is 2.2 this time which is boderline low. Last time it was 3.4. Your INRs have been stable for some time. Lets not change your dose for now, but for today only, take an extra tablet (1 mg). We can recheck you again in 2-3 weeks and I will set that up for you in cottonwood VA clinic. Thanks.

Joe

Prescott VA

Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona, 86336 amo@commspeed.net Last four 7637 July 14, 2004

Mr. Thomas A Bast, APN **Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic** 203 Candy Lane Suite 5b Cottonwood, Arizona 86326

Dear Mr. Bast:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saving my life.

Would you please tell me why my primary care location was changed from Cottonwood (enclosure; "You have been assigned to the Cottonwood Team") to Prescott (enclosures; appointments for January 5, 2004)? I had no idea that the January 5, 2004, appointments changed my primary care location from Cottonwood to Prescott until after I arrived at Prescott on January 5 and was told by a volunteer at the reception desk. Would you please tell me who did this and why?

Would you please give me your email address?

Thank you.

Sincerely

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ANTHONY M OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony M Oconnell,

You have the following appointment(s) at the Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic in Cottonwood, Arizona:

TUESDAY AUG 3, 2004 9:45 AM COTTONWOOD (FASTING) LAB LPN Clinic 203 Candy Lane

Please check in for your appointment 15 minutes before your scheduled time.

Your healthcare needs are important to us. If for any reason, this is not a convenient appointment, and you need to cancel or reschedule please call TELICARE at: 1-877-225-8262 (toll free) 24 hours in advance.

Introducing the AudioReminder and AudioInquiry systems! These are to help our veterans by reminding you of your scheduled outpatient appointments. The AudioReminder will call you 2 days before your appointment and remind you of it! It will tell you the date and time and place of your appointment! It will even let you cancel your appointment right there on the phone if you'd like!

The AudioInquiry will let you call it and find out about your appointments! You can call AudioInquiry at 1-800-949-1005, extension 7470; just select the Appointment Inquiry option and find out about all your future appointments with us.

Please bring your health benefit card or health insurance information when coming for treatment.

\*\* REMINDER, Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic works by appointment only, no walk-ins are seen by a health care provider. Please call 649-1523 to make your appointment.\*\*

Thank you,

Cottonwood Outpatient Clinic 203 S. Candy Lane Suite 5B Cottonwood, AZ 86326 August 3, 2004, Dr Gibson, telephone message:

"Hello Mr. O'Connell this is Doctor Gibson calling from the Southern (?) Arizona VA Health Care Center if you are home please pick up. Otherwise I will try calling you back over the course of the week. I need to talk with you regarding your letters and your primary care, a, and I will plan to do so when I speak with you. Thank you, Goodbye.

August 4, 2004, 12:03 pm, Dr Gibson, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is Doctor Gibson calling from the Southern Arizona VA Health Care Center regarding your, letters. I've been trying to get in touch with you in order to clarify our position. My number here is (520) 792-1450, option number 7. You may leave me a message at that number and I will call you back. Look forward to speaking to you soon. Thank you, Goodbye."

August 4, 2004, Ms. Echeverria, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is Barbara Echeverria. I'm the patient advocate at the VA in Prescott, Arizona. I would like you to give me a call so we could discuss your issues. My number is (928) 776-6008. Thank you so much."

August 4, 2004, 5:46 pm, Dr Gibson, telephone message:

"This is Doctor Gibson I'm calling from the Southern Arizona VA health care system, for, Mr. O'Connell. I'm calling in regards to your letters. A, I will be out of the office tomorrow and will try you back perhaps on Friday. A, at any rate you may call and leave a message at area code (520) 792-1450, option number 7. Thank you."

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,

REPORT TO: BLDG 80, 2ND FLOOR MEDICINE SUBSPECIALTY RECEPTION DESK WE RECOMMEND YOU PARK IN LOT G, SOUTH OF BUILDING 80.

THURSDAY AUG 26, 2004 1:30 PM 41-0-2 MSS GEN SURG ONC Clinic

\*\* PLEASE BRING YOUR INSURANCE CARD TO EACH APPOINTMENT \*\*

If you are using DAV transportation, please call DAV three to five days in advance of your appointment to schedule your ride at (520) 792-1450, or 1-800-470-8262 extension 6959.

REMINDER: Overnight parking of recreational vehicles on Southern Arizona Health Care System grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons.

Please bring this letter with you when you report for your appointment.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*
Sincerely yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723



### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS Northern Arizona Healthcare System Prescott AZ 86313

August 5, 2004

VA 80

In Reply Refer To:

649/00

Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

This is in response to your letter received on July 29, 2004 in which you inform us, once again, that you wish to receive Primary Care with Dr. Gibson at the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System (SAVAHCS) in Tucson.

Your medical records were reviewed and we found that you did not keep your last two appointments with the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System (NAVAHCS). Your letter confirms this as well.

A letter sent to you by SAVAHCS in July 2004 encouraged you to continue your care with the NAVAHCS since we are closer to your residence. Therefore, we continued to schedule you for your health care needs.

We understand that Dr. Gibson will provide you with primary care needs with the stipulation that you have your coumadin levels drawn at the SAVAHCS. We will send Dr. Gibson a copy of this letter to apprise her of your decision to have all your care at the SAVAHCS. This should resolve any medication issues you have experienced.

Attached are your electronic medical records from the NAVAHCS that you requested. Included you will find the documentation you referenced of October 3, 2003.

If in the future you wish to resume care with the NAVAHCS, please let us know and we will be happy to assist you. If you have any questions, please contact our Patient Advocate, Ms. Barbara Echeverria at (928) 776-6008.

Sincerely.

Manay J. Campbell Deboran A. Thompson Director

Cc: Dr. Gibson, SAVAHCS Attachment

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment(s):

TUESDAY AUG 31, 2004 11:20 AM 55-0-2 SCL UROL RUEBEL FU Clinic

Please check in with the Clinic Clerk in Building 2, Second Floor, 2 North A, when you arrive for your appointment. If you need a map one can be obtained at the volunteer desk in the lobby of Bldg #2 or Bldg #50.

If, for some reason you cannot keep any of the appointment(s), please call (520) 792-1450, extension 6905 within 24 hours of your scheduled appointment date and other arrangements will be made.

If you are using DAV transportation, please call DAV three to five days in advance of your appointment to schedule your ride at (520) 792-1450, extension 6565.

REMINDER: Overnight parking of recreational vehicles on Southern Arizona Health Care System grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons. We appreciate your cooperation with this requirement.

Please bring this letter with you when you report for your appointment.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*
Sincerely yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723 August 16, 2004, Kirk, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell my name is Kirk I work at the Tucson Veterans Hospital. If you could please call area code 5, well actually for you, you would call 1 (800) 470-8262, press option number 7. Please leave a message for Doctor Gibson as when would be a good time to contact you so she can talk to you and discuss your health care here at the VA. Thank you sir."

August 16, 2004, Ms Valerie Russell, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is Valerie Russell from the VA Medical Center, I'm calling you in reference to your letters that you sent to us recently. A, I just wanted to talk to you about your future appointments at the VA here in Tucson, And could you please give me a call back at area code 520 629- 4950. Thank you."

### **Anthony OConnell**

From: "Gibson, Kathleen" < Kathleen. Gibson@med.va.gov>

To: "Anthony OConnell" <amo@commspeed.net>

Sent: Tuesday, August 17, 2004 11:14 AM
Subject: RE: Would you please release my medicine?

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I do not accept email message in this fashion from patients regarding medications or health concerns. You will need to contact TLC 520-792-1450 option #7.

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Tuesday, August 17, 2004 5:49 AM

To: Kathleen Gibson

Subject: Would you please release my medicine?

Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona, 86336 Last four 7637 Primary care provider Dr. Kathleen Gibson, VA Tucson August 17, 2004

Dr. Kathleen Gibson Director of Primary Care Southern Arizona VA Health Care System VA Hospital, 3601 South 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue Tucson, Arizona 85723

Dear Dr. Gibson:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

Would you please release my medicine?

What did you see, Dr. Gibson, in the VA internal computer information system, on May 12, 2004, that prevented you from releasing my medicine?

If you are still not able to release my medicine would you please identify the remaining obstacles as clearly as you can?

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Anthony M. O'Connell VA 84 page 2 of 2

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- ACCEPTANCE, August 19, 2004, 9:48 pm, DALLAS, TX 75260
- ELECTRONIC SHIPPING INFO RECEIVED, August 19, 2004
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## **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

## Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723

**VA 86** 

AUG 18 2004

In Reply Refer To: 678/1-11C3

Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell
 45 Skyview Road
 Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

This is in response to your letters dated July 24, 2004, August 1, 2004, August 2, 2004, August 7, 2004, and August 9, 2004, to the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System (SAVAHCS). I requested that Valerie Russell, Administrative Officer for Primary Care, and other appropriate staff review your concerns.

I am pleased to hear that you have chosen to receive all of your medical care at SAVAHCS. Dr. Kathleen Gibson will continue as your primary care provider. You are required to have all of your blood work, monitoring and follow up done at SAVAHCS. At no cost to the VA, you are also required to travel to SAVAHCS at least once a month or more to have your blood work done.

Please call our team pharmacist at (520) 792-1450, extension 5158, no later than August 23, 2004, to transfer your anticoagulation monitoring to SAVAHCS.

Please call our Telephone Linked Care line at 1-800-470-8262, option #7, to address your medical concerns and option #4 to make a routine appointment with Dr. Gibson. If you have a medical emergency, please contact the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System.

The SAVAHCS strives to provide quality and compassionate care to all of our veterans and I assure you we are very concerned with patient care and the satisfaction of the veterans we serve. We feel we have addressed your health care concerns and cannot provide any new information. Accordingly, this letter will be considered the final response to your inquiries about your health care concerns.

Sincerely,

Jonathan H. Gardner, FACHE

Director

Southern Arizona

VA Health Care System

## **Anthony OConnell**

From: <

<Kathleen.Gibson@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Thursday, August 19, 2004 4:16 PM

Subject:

RE: Would you please release my medicine?

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#### Mr. O'Connell,

Here at the Southern Arizona VA Healthcare system, in order to obtain your medications, you will need to contact TLC, 520-792-1450 option #5 (pharmacy) or option #7 (urgent care appt or message). *I will not respond to future emails.* 

Kathleen E. Gibson, MD

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Thursday, August 19, 2004 4:27 AM

To: Kathleen Gibson

Subject: Would you please release my medicine?

Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona, 86336 Last four 7637 Primary care provider Dr. Kathleen Gibson, VA Tucson August 19, 2004

Dr. Kathleen Gibson Director of Primary Care Southern Arizona VA Health Care System VA Hospital, 3601 South 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue Tucson, Arizona 85723

Dear Dr. Gibson:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

Would you please release my medicine?

What did you see, Dr. Gibson, in the VA internal computer information system, on May 12, 2004, that prevented you from releasing my medicine?

If you are still not able to release my medicine would you please identify the remaining obstacle (s) as clearly as you can?

I have had to start buying my medicine outside of the VA. How do I go about getting reimbursed?

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Anthony M. O'Connell

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## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Julianne.French@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Thursday, August 19, 2004 4:20 PM

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Subject:

Would you please release my medicine?

Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, Arizona 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

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Sincerely,

Jonathan H. Gardner, FACHE Director Southern Arizona VA Health Care System

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----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell <amo@commspeed.net>

To: Jonathan Gardner < Jonathan. Gardner@med.va.gov>

Sent: Tue Aug 17 07:56:26 2004

Subject: Would you please release my medicine?

Anthony M. O'Connell

45 Skyview Road

Sedona, Arizona, 86336

Last four 7637

Primary care provider Dr. Kathleen Gibson, VA Tucson

August 17, 2004

Mr. Jonathan Gardner, Director

Southern Arizona VA Health Care System

VA Hospital, 3601 South 6th Avenue

Tucson, Arizona 85723

Dear Mr. Gardner:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

Would you please release my medicine?	
Can you tell me what Dr. Gibson would have seen in the VA internal computer information system, on May 12, 2004, that prevented her from releasing my medicine?	VA 88 page 3 of 3
Would it have anything to do with jurisdiction?	
If you are still not able to release my medicine would you please identify the remaining obstacles as clearly as you can?	
Thank you	
Sincerely,	
Anthony M. O'Connell	

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Kathleen.Gibson@med.va.gov>

To: Cc: <amo@commspeed.net>

<Valerie.Russell@med.va.gov>; <Julianne.French@med.va.gov>

Sent:

Saturday, August 21, 2004 3:06 PM

Subject:

RE: Would you please release my medicine?

Dear Mr. O'Connell,

YOU MUST CONTACT TLC (520)792-1450 DURING REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS TO OBTAIN YOUR MEDICATIONS. I HEREBY REQUEST THAT YOU DISCONTINUE SENDING ME EMAIL. I DO NOT REFILL MEDICATIONS USING EMAIL.

Kathleen Gibson, MD

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Saturday, August 21, 2004 9:31 AM

To: Kathleen Gibson

Subject: Would you please release my medicine?

Dear Dr. Gibson:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

Would you please release my medicine? My present medication is:

#### Morning

- (1) Metoprolol Tartrate, ¼ of 50mg tablet
- (2) Aspirin, 81mg, enteric coated
- (3) Warfarin (Coumadin) 1mg, I take 3 tablets for five days and 2 ½ tablets for two days each week.

## Evening

- (1) Metoprolol Tartrate, ¼ of 50mg tablet
- (2) Simvastatin, ½ of 40mg tablet

## As needed

(1) Lorazepam, .5mg tablet (I average about 1 tablet a day now)

What did you see in the VA internal computer information system, on May 12, 2004, that prevented you from releasing my medicine? If you are still not able to release my medicine would you please identify the remaining obstacle(s) as clearly as you can?

I have had to start buying my medicine outside of the VA. How do I go about getting reimbursed?

Thank you.

Sincerely, Anthony M. O'Connell, last four 7637

August 23, 2004, Ms Valerie Russell, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is Valerie from the VA Medical Center. I'm calling you in reference to your concerns and email messages that (are used?) in to the VA in Tucson. I'm, also you gotten your, a message and letter that we sent to you regarding your anti-coagulation. We do need you to call the Pharmacist today if you have not already, at area code (520) 792-1450, extension 5158, regarding your anticoagulation monitoring. We need you to call and get that transferred. And also ....(?) ......we need to talk to you overall about your over all care here at the VA. Please give me a call back. My name is Valerie at (520) 4, 629, I'm sorry, 4950. OK, my number is (520) 629- 4950. Thank you."

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Julianne.French@med.va.gov>

To: Sent:

Subject:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Monday, August 23, 2004 5:53 PM FW: Would you please release my medicine? VA 91

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Mr. O'Connell,

This is in response to the inquiry below regarding your medications. I have asked my staff to again to look into your concerns. As stated in numerous letters to you and one prior email, you need to contact Telephone Linked Care line at 1-800-470-8262, option #7, to address your medical concerns and option # 4 to make a routine appointment with Dr. Gibson. If you have a medical emergency, please contact the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System.

Should you have further questions, please contact Valerie Russell, Administrative Officer, Primary Care at (520) 792-1450 extension 6274. This is considered the final response on your inquiry.

Sincerely,

Jonathan H. Gardner, FACHE

Director

Southern Arizona

VA Health Care System



Iulianne French, RN, MS

AA/COS SAVAHCS

----Original Message----

From: Varner, Constance On Behalf Of Gardner, Jonathan H., FACHE

Sent: Monday, August 23, 2004 12:34 PM

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To: French, Julianne A.

Subject: FW: Would you please release my medicine?

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Friday, August 20, 2004 2:00 PM

To: Jonathan Gardner

Subject: Would you please release my medicine?

Dear Mr. Gardner:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

Would you please release my medicine?

Can you tell me what Dr. Gibson would have seen in the VA internal computer information system, on May 12, 2004, that prevented her from releasing my medicine? Would it have anything to do with jurisdiction?

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Thank you

Sincerely,

Anthony M. O'Connell

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<Julianne.French@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Monday, August 23, 2004 6:14 PM

Subject:

FW: coumadin tests

Mr. O'connell,

This is a repeat notice from the Director's email to your earlier today. The Director cannot respond to your emails regarding your health care. You must comply with directions to seek medications and appointments through TLC. You need to contact Telephone Linked Care line at 1-800-470-8262, option #7, to address your medical concerns and option # 4 to make a routine appointment with Dr. Gibson. If you have a medical emergency, please contact the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System.

Should you have further questions, please contact Valerie Russell, Administrative Officer, Primary Care at (520) 792-1450 extension 6274. This is considered the final response on your inquiry.

Julianne French, RN, MS AA/COS SAVAHCS

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell <amo@commspeed.net>

To: Jonathan Gardner < Jonathan Gardner@med.va.gov>

Sent: Mon Aug 23 13:31:45 2004

Subject: coumadin tests

Dear Mr. Gardner:

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saying my life.

I have been getting my monthly protime (coumadin) tests done at a nearby private lab. The last one was done on July 29, 2004, and was 3.3. I could have the lab send a copy of the results directly to the VA. Is this acceptable to you?

Sincerely, Anthony O'Connell, last four 7637

August 24, 2004, Barbara Echeverria, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell this is the patient advocate at the Northern Arizona VA Health Care system, my name is Barbara Echeverria, I would appreciate it if you would call me so we could discuss your medication needs. My number is (928) 776-6008. Thank you."

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,

REPORT TO: BLDG 80, 2nd FLOOR - MEDICINE SUBSPECIALTY RECEPTION DESK WE RECOMMEND YOU PARK IN LOT G, SOUTH OF BUILDING 80

TUESDAY SEP 14, 2004 1:30 PM 5-50 MSS CARD BROWER Clinic

PLEASE BRING A LIST OF ALL MEDICATION that you are currently taking, including any over-the-counter medications, along with all records from your "outside" or private doctors. If you use OXYGEN at home, please bring along a SUFFICIENT QUANTITY of oxygen to last for the duration of your appointment.

IF YOUR PROVIDER REQUIRES BLOOD WORK, PLEASE DO IT THE DAY BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT.

REMINDER: Overnight parking of recreational vehicles on SAVAHCS grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons.

If you are unable to keep your appointment, please call the Patient Service Center at 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4, AT LEAST 24 HOURS before your scheduled appointment and other arrangements will be made.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*

Sincerely Yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

"Russell, Valerie B." < Valerie. Russell@med.va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, August 24, 2004 5:02 PM

Subject:

FW: Cancellations

Mr. O'Connell,

This is email is to confirm that you cancelled your appointments as listed below.

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2004 10:19 AM

To: Jonathan Gardner Subject: Cancellations

Dear Mr. Gardner,

I am sorry but I have to cancel my following scheduled appointments and accommodations:

- (1) Thursday, August 26, 2004 1:30 pm 41-0-2 MSS GEN SURG ONC Clinic
- (2) Tuesday, August 31, 2004 11:20 am 55-0-2 SCL UROL RUEBEL FU Clinic
- (3) The accommodations that I made for these appointments.

Thank you. Would you please reply for confirmation?

Sincerely, Anthony O'Connell, last four 7637

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<postmaster@va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Attach:

Thursday, August 26, 2004 8:17 AM ATT00095.dat; Why do you not answer these questions\_.eml

Subject:

**Delivery Status Notification (Failure)** 

This is an automatically generated Delivery Status Notification.

Delivery to the following recipients failed.

Deborah.Thompson@med.va.gov

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<postmaster@va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Attach:

Thursday, August 26, 2004 9:17 AM ATT00114.dat; Would you please explain.eml

Subject:

**Delivery Status Notification (Failure)** 

This is an automatically generated Delivery Status Notification.

Delivery to the following recipients failed.

Thomas.Bast@med.va.gov

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

<postmaster@va.gov>

To:

<amo@commspeed.net>

Sent:

Attach:

Thursday, August 26, 2004 9:29 AM ATT00134.dat; Would you please explain.eml Delivery Status Notification (Failure)

Subject:

This is an automatically generated Delivery Status Notification.

Delivery to the following recipients failed.

Barbara.Echeverria@med.va.gov

August 26, 2004, Mr. John Hook, telephone message:

"Mr. O'Connell, this is John Hook at the Prescott VA regarding your request about something (?) from (?) your medical records if you could call me at (928) 776-6088, my name is John Hook. H, o, o, k. Thank you.

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

"Shimkus, Claudia M." < Claudia. Shimkus@med.va.gov>

To:

"Anthony OConnell" <amo@commspeed.net>

Sent: Subject: Friday, August 27, 2004 11:36 AM RE: Would you please explain?

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Mr. O'Connell,

I hope this message finds you well also and thank you for your your concern.

I am sorry I cannot respond to your inquiries directly. Barbara Echeverria, Patient Advocate, has been designated to reply to all of your correspondence and to answer your questions. This will provide you with one contact person and a more coordinated effort to meet your needs.

Regards,

Claudia Shimkus

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Friday, August 27, 2004 5:18 AM

To: Claudia Shimkus

Subject: Would you please explain?

Dear Ms Shimkus,

I hope you are well and I thank the VA for saving my life.

Has Tom Bast or anyone else put anything in the VA internal computer information system that questions my competency or credibility? If so would you please send me a copy? Would you please explain the following entry and send me a more complete copy?

[?]DATED: 10/03/2003 16:22 COTTONWOOD CBOC TELEPHONE CONTACT

[?]: 10/03/2003 16:16 COTTONWOOD TELEPHONE

[?] from notification alerts that pnt is to be assigned to M.D.

[?]ess VA Hosp dictate the needs for this consult request.

[?]icilitate prompt continuous care an Oncology consult is requested to

[?]n Va today for eval of two melanoma (by pnt History).

[?]asis in not authorized IAW Dr Melvin, Chief of P & SC and Dr Jackson

[?]dvised pnt where he should seek care for this diagnosis.

Signed by: /es/ THOMAS A BAST

APN 10/03/2003 16:38

Receipt Acknowledged By:

/es/ GARY R MELVIN

10/06/2003 07:35

"[..?]TE DATED: 11/05/2003 15:03 COTTONWOOD CBOC RN

[..?] SIT: 11/05/2003 15:03 COTTONWOOD TELEPHONE

[re?] ceived verbal orders from Tom Bast, NP, to cancel upcoming appts scheduled for [co?[ttonwood cboc as pt has now been assigned to orange team physician.

[?]LL notify orange team to schedule f/u appts for pt. Signed by: /es/ CLAUDIA M. SHIMKUS REGISTERED NURSE 11/05/2003 15:05 Receipt Acknowleged By: /es/THOMAS A BAST APN 11/06/2003 17:17 /es/ JEAN M CUNNINGHAM RN 11/05/2003 15:22

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Who is Dr Melvin? What are "notification alerts"? What would Dr. Kathleen Gibson at the Tucson VA (SAVAHCS) have seen in the VA internal computer information system on May 12, 2004, that prevents her from sending me my regular supply of medicine? Is there anything in the VA internal computer information system that would show why the Prescott VA (NAVAHCS) stopped sending me my regular supply of medicine about May of 2004?

Thank you.

Sincerely, Anthony O'Connell, last four 7637



## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS Northern Arizona Healthcare System

Prescott AZ 86313

August 27, 2004

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In Reply Refer To:

649/00

Mr. Anthony M. O'Connell 45 Skyview Road Sedona, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

Thank you for your e.mails in which you had several questions regarding the status of your medications. Our patient advocate, Barbara Echeverria, has contacted you on several occasions without success and has left voice messages for you to please return her telephone calls. Her purpose in wanting to speak with you is to address your numerous communications to us regarding your primary care needs and medication management.

Getting your care at multiple facilities, to include the private sector, complicates your medication management. An example of this is that both Tucson and Prescott issued you Tamsulosin within a week of each other.

A review of your medical records indicates the following:

	Prescott	Tucson
WARFARIN	Filled on 12/2003	Filled on 08/17/2004
SIMVASTATIN	ORDERED/ IN PROCESS	Filled on 06/04/2004
METOPROLOL	Filled on 03/14/2004 (3	Filled on 06/04/2004
	refills available)	
TAMSULOSIN	Filled on 05/28/2004 (60	Filled on 06/04/2004 (30
	day) no refills available)	day) no refills available –
·		must be renewed
LORAZAPAM	Not applicable	Filled on 06/04/2004

The VA is available to you for treatment. Therefore, whatever care you seek on your own within the private sector is not reimbursable by the VA.

According to your e.mail of June 4, 2004 to Dr. Rindone, you state "would you please correct your records to show that my primary care provider is Dr. Kathleen Gibson in Tucson and not Dr. Keng or anyone else in Prescott". It is confusing as to why you continue to write to Prescott with questions and concerns regarding your medications. Therefore, we are forwarding your communications and our responses to your primary care provider, Dr. Gibson in Tucson.

Your most recent e.mail has questions regarding entries in you medical record. We have referred your questions to Mr. John Hook, Supervisor Health Information Management. He has attempted to contact you by telephone and has left a voice message requesting that you return his call. He can be reached at (928) 445-4860 extension 6088.

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In order to assist you in resolving your concerns about your care and medication management, it is imperative that you contact your patient advocate, Barbara Echeverria at (928) 776-6008.

Sincerely,

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Deborah A. Thompson

Director

Cc: Dr. Kathleen Gibson

September 3, 2004, Dr Ruebel, telephone message:

"This is .... Dr Ruebel (?) at the VA Hospital in Tucson, Arizona. I wish to speak to ...ask a (?)... is anybody there (?) ..... about your hormone, testosterone, level, which was done a, because of your a, problem. It came back as low, a 261. It is usually, 240 to 800 and something; a give us a call at the VA hospital sometime. However, I'll be out of town "til a, September 21, (?)...Ruebel, VA hospital, Urology Department. This is in regard to your testosterone test, which was done February 26, '04. Thanks a lot"

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_



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#### **Shipment Details**

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Your item was delivered at 11:24 am on September 10, 2004 in SEDONA, AZ 86336.

Here is what happened earlier:

- ARRIVAL AT UNIT, September 10, 2004, 5:39 am, SEDONA, AZ 86336
- ELECTRONIC SHIPPING INFO RECEIVED, September 09, 2004
- ARRIVED SHIPPING PARTNER FACILITY, September 08, 2004, 3:36 pm, DALLAS, TX 75212

## **Notification Options**

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## **Anthony O'Connell**

From:

"French, Julianne A." < Julianne.French@med.va.gov>

To: Sent: <amo@commspeed.net>

Monday, September 13, 2004 5:55 PM

Attach:

FW\_ coumadin tests.eml; FW\_ Would you please release my medicine .eml

FW: This is an emergency Subject:

Mr. O'Connell.

This response is on behalf of the Director regarding your inquiry on medications refills. Per the previous two emails that I have attached, you must comply with directions to seek medications and appointments through TLC. You need to contact Telephone Linked Care line at 1-800-470-8262, option #7, to address your medical concerns and option # 4 to make a routine appointment with Dr. Gibson. If you have a medical emergency, please contact the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System.

Should you have further questions, please contact Valerie Russell, Administrative Officer, Primary Care at (520) 792-1450 extension 6274. This is considered the final response on your inquiry.

No further emails will be accepted by the Director or myself regarding this inquiry. I urge again to please follow the same directions as all our patients regarding medications refills and provider appointments.

Sincerely,



Julianne French, RN, MS

AA/COS SAVAHCS

----Original Message----

From: Gardner, Jonathan H., FACHE

Sent: Monday, September 13, 2004 7:52 AM

To: French, Julianne A.

Subject: FW: This is an emergency

Importance: High

julianne-action-jg-----Original Message-----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Monday, September 13, 2004 3:47 AM

To: Pharmacist; Dr Ruebel; Dr Keng; Dr Gibson; Director; Director; Advocate; Advocate; APN

**Subject:** This is an emergency

## Importance: High

This is an emergency.

Please send me a 90 day supply of my regular medicine immediately. My daily medication 184 part 2 of 2

- (1) Metoprolol Tartrate, 1/4 of 50mg tablet, morning and night, for half a tablet daily
- (2) Aspirin, 81mg, enteric coated
- (3) Warfarin (Coumadin) 1mg, I take 3 tablets for five days and 2 ½ tablets for two days.
- (4) Simvastatin, ½ of 40mg tablet
- (5) Tamsulosin HCL 0.4mg capule, two capsules
- (6) Lorazepam, .5mg tablet (I average about 1 or 2 tablets a day now)

Thank you

Sincerely, Anthony O'Connell, last four 7637

## **Anthony OConnell**

From:

"Gibson, Kathleen" <Kathleen.Gibson@med.va.gov>

To:

"Anthony OConnell" <amo@commspeed.net>; "Rindone, Joseph P."

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<Joseph.Rindone@med.va.gov>; "Ruebel, Armin A." <Armin.Ruebel@med.va.gov>; "Dr Keng"
<Hal\_Chi.Keng@med.va.gov>; "Gibson, Kathleen" <Kathleen.Gibson@med.va.gov>; "Gardner,
Jonathan H., FACHE" <Jonathan.Gardner@med.va.gov>; "Director"

<Deborah.Thompson@med.va.gov>; "APN" <Thomas.Bast@med.va.gov>; "Russell, Valerie B." <Valerie.Russell@med.va.gov>; "Advocate" <Barbara.Echeverria@med.va.gov>; "Melvin, Gary

R., M.D." <Gary.Melvin@med.va.gov>

Sent:

Thursday, September 23, 2004 11:28 AM

Subject:

RE: This is an emergency

#### Mr. O'Connell,

As I have indicated on numerous previous e-mails communications, I do not except email requests for routine medications, nor have I given you my email address. You must call TLC 1-800-470-8262 option #5 to request your refills.

Kathleen Gibson, MD

----Original Message----

From: Anthony OConnell [mailto:amo@commspeed.net]

Sent: Thursday, September 23, 2004 3:23 AM

To: Pharmacist; Dr Ruebel; Dr Keng; Dr Gibson; Director; Director; APN; Advocate; Advocate; Dr Melvin

Subject: This is an emergency

This is an emergency.

Please send me a 90 day supply of my regular medicine immediately. My daily medication is:

- (1) Metoprolol Tartrate, 1/4 of 50mg tablet, morning and night, for half a tablet daily
- (2) Aspirin, 81mg, enteric coated
- (3) Warfarin (Coumadin) 1mg, I take 3 tablets for five days and 2 ½ tablets for two days.
- (4) Simvastatin, ½ of 40mg tablet\*
- (5) Tamsulosin HCL 0.4mg capule, two capsules
- (6) Lorazepam, .5mg tablet (I average about 1 or 2 tablets a day now)

\*I would like to thank Dr. Han-Chi Keng for the 90 day supply of Simvastatin I received on September 13, 2004.

Thank you

Sincerely, Anthony O'Connell, last four 7637

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,
**************************************
Your appointment for the following date and time has been cancelled:
TUESDAY DEC 7, 2004 9:00 AM 2-72 OCOTILLO GIBSON FU Clinic
**************************************
<ul> <li>* If a new appointment time is listed that is inconvenient for you,</li> <li>* If no appointment is listed, call for a new appointment within 30 days of the above cancelled appointment date</li> </ul>
If you feel that you need an urgent care appointment, please call TLC at 520-792-1450 option 7 or 800-470-8262 option 7 to speak with a TLC nurse.

If the appointment was for one of the following specialty clinics, please call the clinic directly:

MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC (520) 629-4625 DENTAL CLINIC (520) 629-1842 PTSD CLINIC (520) 629-4625

COMPENSATION & PENSION (RATINGS) (520) 629-4662

Sincerely yours, Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, AZ 85723

New april 2-13-04@ 400 p.m.

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment.

THURSDAY NOV 4, 2004 9:00 AM 6-12 MSS DERM RIETSCHEL Clinic

PLEASE BRING A LIST OF ALL MEDICATION that you are currently taking, including any over-the-counter medications, along with all records from your "outside" or private doctors. If you use OXYGEN at home, please bring along a SUFFICIENT QUANTITY of oxygen to last for the duration of your appointment.

IF YOUR PROVIDER REQUIRES BLOOD WORK, PLEASE DO IT THE DAY BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT.

If you are unable to keep your appointment, please call the Patient Service Center at 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4, AT LEAST 24 HOURS before your scheduled appointment and other arrangements will be made.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*

Sincerely Yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723

ANTHONY MINER OCONNELL 45 SKYVIEW ROAD SEDONA, AZ 86336

Dear Mr. Anthony Miner Oconnell,

This is a reminder of the following clinic appointment.

REPORT TO: BLDG 80, 1st FLOOR - OCOTILLO CLINIC RECEPTION DESK WE RECOMMEND YOU PARK IN LOT G, SOUTH OF BUILDING 80.

MONDAY DEC 13, 2004 4:00 PM 2-72 OCOTILLO GIBSON FU Clinic

PLEASE BRING A LIST OF ALL MEDICATION that you are currently taking, including any over-the-counter medications, along with all records from your "outside" or private doctors. If you use OXYGEN at home, please bring along a SUFFICIENT QUANTITY of oxygen to last for the duration of your appointment.

IF YOUR PROVIDER REQUIRES BLOOD WORK, PLEASE DO IT THE DAY BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT.

REMINDER: Overnight parking of recreational vehicles on SAVAHCS grounds is prohibited due to safety and liability reasons.

If you are unable to keep your appointment, please call the Patient Service Center at 520-792-1450 option 4 or 1-800-470-8262 option 4, AT LEAST 24 HOURS before your scheduled appointment and other arrangements will be made.

\*\*PLEASE CHECK OUT WITH THE CLINIC CLERK AT THE CONCLUSION OF YOUR VISIT\*\*

Sincerely Yours,

Patient Service Center Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Tucson, Arizona 85723 VA recorded telephone message, December 8, 2004, 1:05 pm.

("Wednesday, 1:05 pm")

"Hello, this is the VA medical center in Tucson, Arizona. We have an important message for the patient whose birthday is October 25, 1941, and whose social security number ends with 7637. We are calling to remind you of your appointment on Monday, December 13, beginning at 4 pm.

If you are not able to keep an appointment on that day, and you have a touch tone phone, please press 1 now ,to cancel or reschedule your appointment. If you have a question about your appointment, and you are a member of a primary care team, please call your team. If you are not a member of a primary care team, please call 520 629-4900, or 1 800 470-8262, between the hours of 8 am and 4 pm, Monday through Friday.

If you have private medical insurance, please bring your insurance card with you. You may hang up now, or continue holding if you want to listen to this message again. "