



**DIGESTIVE
DISEASE
SPECIALISTS, INC.**

Regarding patient out-of-pocket responsibility:

Once your endoscopic procedure has been scheduled, our staff will contact your insurance company to check your benefits and deductible. Depending upon how much your insurance company states you have paid towards your deductible, or how much your insurance states your facility copayment will be, will determine how much Digestive Disease Specialists, Inc. will ask to be brought in for payment on the day of your procedure.

You will be called to let you know of the expected amount. Please call our office back if you are not available at the time of the call. This call will be to confirm that you know the amount you will have to bring to your procedure, along with your benefits. Should our pre-certification department be unable to reach you, they will be leaving a detailed message with the amount to bring.

Our Corporation sets the general amount to be brought to the procedure at \$350.00. This amount may change according to the specific information your insurance company gives to our staff about your coverage.

Non-payment prior to your procedure will result in your procedure being re-scheduled.

Please keep in mind that you may receive a separate bill for anesthesia, as well as pathology, if biopsies are obtained.

Thank you.