

POLICY

Reproductive Health Care

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WAC 246-320-286 Emergency Contraception

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PURPOSE:

The following policy describes reproductive health services provided at Virginia Mason Medical Center.

SCOPE: Workforce

POLICY:

- Virginia Mason Medical Center offers a range of reproductive health services.
- Services include provision of contraception services and infertility treatment.
- In-vitro fertilization is not provided at Virginia Mason Medical Center.
- Obstetrical care is provided at Virginia Mason.
- Virginia Mason Medical Center does not provide elective pregnancy terminations. Exceptions available for patients undergoing treatment for a serious pathologic condition to reduce the risk of pain, suffering, and potential life ending complications for the mother .
- Emergency contraception is available twenty-four-hours/seven-days per week in the Emergency Department and is offered to all victims of sexual assault.

DEFINITIONS:

Refer to Medical Center Policy Development & Approval - Appendix A for standard workforce, roles and work product definitions.

REFERENCES:

Policies:

Patient Rights and Responsibilities

Clinical Protocol:

Emergency Contraception

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