



## **Isotretinoin Information for Male Patients**

At your visit today, you should have completed several important steps in preparing for the use of Isotretinoin. You are responsible for fulfilling the following requirements both before and during your course of treatment with our office.

- Education about the use of Isotretinoin for acne.
- Receiving your iPledge Educational Kit/Booklet.
- Initiation into the iPledge Program by one of our staff.
- Filling out and signing the iPledge “Patient information/informed consent” form found in your iPledge Educational Kit/Booklet.
- We will provide you with a prescription/order for baseline fasting blood tests that you will be responsible for getting prior to taking your first dose of Isotretinoin.
- You will be given your first months prescription for Isotretinoin at your initial visit.
- Prior to every visit thereafter, you will need to have fasting blood testing before receiving your next month’s supply of Isotretinoin. You will have a standing order for labs and will not need another written prescription for lab work. Please note when your prescription will run out every month and plan your lab testing one week before your follow up appointments for renewal of your Isotretinoin.
- The typical course of Isotretinoin is 6 months.

If you have any questions during your course of treatment, do not hesitate to contact our office at (865) 233-7351.