

## **Pratt Regional Medical Center Corporation Financial Assistance Policy Plain Language Summary**

### **PURPOSE**

Pratt Regional Medical Center Corporation maintains its commitment to provide healthcare to all who are in need, without discrimination due to race, religion, gender, national origin, or ability to pay. PRMC is committed to providing financial assistance to the uninsured, under-insured, as well as those without the ability to pay. Patients seeking financial assistance must apply for the program. See below.

### **ELIGIBLE SERVICES**

Eligible services will include emergent, urgent, and medically necessary services provided at Pratt Regional Medical Center, South Central Bone and Joint, Surgicenter, Stafford Rural Health Clinic, St. John Rural Health Clinic, Sylvia Rural Health Clinic, Pratt Internal Medicine Group, or Pratt Residence and Rehabilitation.

### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

Assistance will be provided to those who qualify and are under the 200% Federal Poverty Guidelines. All income will be based on gross income including federal taxable wages, self-employment income, alimony, child support, rent and royalty income, interest and dividend income, workers compensation, Social Security income, trusts, income from estates, pension or 401 K income, as well as assistance from outside the household. Non-cash benefits such as food stamps will not be counted as income. Individuals qualifying for financial assistance may not be charged more than amounts generally billed for emergency or other medically necessary care.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

You may obtain a free Financial Assistance Policy by any of the following means:

- Applications can be picked up at the Financial Counselor office on the first floor of the hospital at 200 Commodore St, Pratt, KS.
- Applications are located at all registration points in the hospital at 200 Commodore St, Pratt, KS.
- Request an application by calling 620-450-1188.
- Applications are available online at [www.prmc.org](http://www.prmc.org).
- Apply in person with the Financial Counselor office on the first floor of the hospital at 200 Commodore St, Pratt, KS.
- Spanish translated versions of the financial assistance policy, application form, and the plain language summary are available.

If you believe you qualify for financial assistance, please complete the application and return it by mail or in person to the Financial Counselor located on the first floor of the hospital. If you need help during the process, please call 620-450-1188.