

MINISTRIES OF JESUS
General Clinic Policies
7/30/03

The primary focus of this clinic is to share with all whom we contact through this clinic the gospel and Good News of Jesus Christ. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, insurance, sex, age, religious denomination. We try to accommodate as many as possible. There may be some limitations, however, which may prevent us from doing so:

1. Ministries of Jesus will not prescribe scheduled or controlled medications of any kind.
2. The physicians retain the right to determine the type of clients they feel qualified to treat. This may result in some clients not getting an appointment as soon as other client or in not being treated at MOJ.
3. If, at any time, MOJ staff feels a client is non-compliant with recommended treatment/therapies or abusive of privileges or with staff, MOJ may discharge this client from MOJ services with proper notification to client.
4. There are some clients, whose medical problems are beyond the scope of this clinic (either complicated health problems needing specialists or needing acute care appointments which we do not have available at that time). We can offer to these clients community referrals (other free clinics in the community and/or OU Health Sciences Center) and the opportunity to visit with one of our physicians for a medical opinion and prayer. Also, we can offer counseling and/or encouragement to address the emotional/spiritual aspects of their medical problems. Some clients may choose to bypass MOJ services altogether by contacting the referrals given to them.
5. The policy of this clinic is to see all clients through the clinic before referring to MOJ specific resources (i.e., Clinic Pharmacy, Renaissance MRI, xrays) or before samples can be given. Some clients may not feel they can wait for an appointment at MOJ, so they must be referred to other community resources.
6. All clients are seen on an appointment basis. Oftentimes, our appointments are booked several weeks in advance. Some clients may not feel they can wait for an appointment at MOJ, so then must be referred to other community resources.
7. It is the policy of this clinic to not become involved in the paperwork involved with legal proceedings of any type. This includes disability/SSI, insurance company claims, lawyer, government housing, (? Food stamps), disabled parking stickers, workman's compensation claims, etc.