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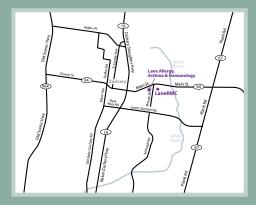
## **Appointments**

Physician referrals are not required. To make an appointment, please call 225-658-4080.

#### Insurance

We accept most insurance plans. Please bring your insurance card and list of current medications with you to your appointment.





## **Central Location**

We are conveniently located in the heart of Zachary for easy access for all our patients.

#### **Hours**

Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm



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# LANE ALLERGY, ASTHMA & IMMUNOLOGY





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At Lane Allergy, Asthma & Immunology, we offer comprehensive allergy diagnosis and treatment options for children and adults.



## **Allergies**

Allergies occur when your body reacts in an abnormal way to a substance in which you come in contact.

Such reactions are likely to manifest as:

- Sneezing
- Coughing
- Nasal drainage
- Itchy eyes
- congestion
- Nasal stuffiness and Scratchy sore throat or hoarseness

Allergies can be seasonal or year-round. The difference lies in the allergen your body reacts to. If left untreated they can lead to other health concerns.

#### **Allergy Testing**

Allergy testing helps determine what is causing your allergic reactions. It is a great way to figure out your triggers and create an action plan to avoid and minimize those triggers to stay healthy.

In addition to environmental allergies, Lane Allergy, Asthma & Immunology is equipped to evaluate any other allergic concerns, including food allergies, medication allergies, and insect sting allergies.

### **Asthma**

Asthma is a lung disease in which your airways narrow and swell and get blocked by excess mucus.

Asthma symptoms can be treated with medications. You may not have all of the symptoms every time you have an attack as the presence and severity of symptoms can change.

Below are some common asthma symptoms which occur when there is an inflammation in the airways:

- Wheezing
- Chest tightness
- Shortness of breath
- Chest pain
- Coughing
- Chest pressure

## **Skin Disorders**

- Patients with eczema have very dry, itchy skin. If your eczema is not well managed with moisturizing or steroid creams alone, we can determine if other treatments are right for you.
- Hives, or urticaria, are raised, red bumps on your skin that are very itchy. We can help treat your hives and improve your quality of life.
- · Angioedema, or swelling, can occur with or without hives. This type of swelling most often occurs on the lips and eyelids and is less itchy than hives. We can help determine the correct diagnostic and treatment options for your swelling.

## **Immunodeficiencies**

Immunodeficiency is a condition caused by some dysfunction in your immune system.

Your body may need help fighting off infections if you have a weakened immune system. Depending on your immune system evaluation, we will work with you to determine ideal treatment options for your immunodeficiency. These could include antibiotics taken daily to prevent infection (prophylactic antibiotics) or intravenous immunoglobulin (IVIG, or antibody infusions).



