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# Wellness Physical

**Dr. Ricketts performs annual physical exams and wellness physical exams according to the criteria set forth by the *American College of Physicians*. The procedures performed during these exams are:**

- (1) EKG**
- (2) CBC (lab)**
- (3) PSA (lab – men 50 and older)**
- (4) SMA 12 (lab)**
- (5) Thyroid profile (lab)**
- (6) Urinalysis (lab)**
- (7) Stool (lab – persons 40 and over)**
- (8) Chest x-ray**

**You are responsible for knowing whether or not your insurance company covers the cost of all of these procedures. You must inform the staff at the beginning of the exam if you DO NOT want one or more of the procedures listed above performed during your visit.**

**If the staff is not asked to eliminate any of the eight (8) listed procedures at the beginning of your visit, they will all be performed for a Wellness Physical or Annual Physical Exam.**

**Thank you for your help.**