

CENTER FOR COUGH

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What to Expect at Center for Cough

Welcome to the Center for Cough, the only dedicated medical practice for diagnosing and treating chronic cough in the Southeastern United States. Our goal is to provide you with an expert and up-to-date evaluation, and to educate you about any problems we may diagnose so that you may handle these appropriately.

Initial Visit:

The purpose of this visit is to begin a thorough evaluation concerning your problem. During this time, you will meet with Dr. Sher to discuss your medical history, have a physical examination and undergo diagnostic tests.

At the conclusion of your initial visit, the findings will be summarized and the initial course of action will be outlined. It is of the utmost importance to us that you understand the nature and treatment of your problem and we encourage you to always ask questions.

To assure a comprehensive visit and allow for testing to be completed please be aware of the following:

- Please allow up to three hours for your initial consultation.
- Don't take any antihistamine containing medications for 7 days prior to your appointment. This may include over the counter cold preparations and medications for sleep. These medications can interfere with testing.
- Maintain all other medication, especially those for asthma or similar condition.
- Call our office if you have any questions regarding your medications.
- Be sure to complete all of the necessary forms and bring them with you to your appointment.
- Request copies of previous doctor records and any recent test results to be forwarded to Center For Cough prior to your appointment.