



MINORS SEEN AT South Shore Orthopedics:

A minor (0-17 years of age) should have a parent/guardian accompany them when Seen by a provider at South Shore Orthopedics (Best case scenario)

When/if a minor is accompanied by an aunt, uncle, grandparent, guardian etc. they need to have a written authorization to treat as well as the appropriate paperwork completed if a new patient. Insurance waivers must be signed by the person who holds the insurance. If they do not have a written authorization, a call to the parent and/or guardian would need to be made.

Boarding school patient-Will be accompanied by an employee from the boarding school with written authorization from the parent/guardian.

Disabled minor/adult patient-Will be accompanied by a guardian/parent and/or an employee where the patient resides. Authorization to treat needs to signed by the guardian/parent.

Any required paperwork such as new patient paperwork, insurance waivers, financial responsibility forms is required prior to the patients' appointment.