

**MORNING AFTER PILL**

**Q. What is it?**

A. Post-Coital (Sex) Contraception to help prevent pregnancy.

**Q. What does it do?**

A. Helps prevent pregnancy by filling progesterone receptors in the female reproductive tract.

**Q. When should it be used?**

A. In the first 72 hours after unprotected intercourse. The sooner the pill is given, the better percentage of preventing pregnancy.

**Q. When shouldn't it be used?**

A. It should not be used if there is any contraindication to Estrogen or Progesterone use by the patient or if the patient is already pregnant.

**Q. What is required?**

A.

- 1) Student must read and understand the risks and benefits information regarding the medication and discuss questions or concerns with the healthcare provider.
- 2) Student must read and sign a consent form.
- 3) Student must agree to a pregnancy test. A negative pregnancy test is necessary. The pregnancy test is to be repeated if menses does not begin within 21 days.
- 4) Student must be counseled regarding birth control methods.

**Q. What are the costs?**

A. Office Visit is \$15.00, Medication is \$30.00, Pregnancy Test is \$20.00

For more information about the Morning After Pill, contact your healthcare provider at the UH Health Center.

We at the Health Center will be happy to help you.



**Healthfully yours,**

**Dr. Healthberry**

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