

Rheumatology

Specialty care of Rheumatology conditions include, but are not limited to, the following.

Common Conditions and Diagnoses Treated	- Ankylosing Spondyloarthritis - Fibromyalgia Syndrome - Giant Cell Arteritis - Gout - Osteoarthritis - Polymyalgia Rheumatica - Polymyositis - Psoriatic Arthritis - Rheumatoid Arthritis - Sjogren's Syndrome - Systemic Lupus - Systemic Sclerosis - Vasculitis
Common Medications Prescribed	- Abatacept (Orencia) - Allopurinol - Anti-TNF (Humira, Enbrel, Infliximab) - Azathioprine - Hydroxychloroquine - Leflunomide - Methotrexate - Mycophenolate - Nonsteroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs) - Prednisone - Rituximab
Common Lab Tests and Diagnostic Studies	- Anti-cyclic Citrullinated Peptide (Anti-CCP) Antibody - C-Reactive Protein (CRP) - Erythrocyte Sedimentation Rate (ESR) - Hepatitis Panel - Rheumatoid Factor - TB Test - Uric Acid - Urine Analysis (UA) - Urine Protein/Creatinine (24 Hour Urine) - Vitamin D Level - Other Autoantibodies: Dependent on Patient presentation/disease – (ANA,
Common Procedures	- Chest Radiograph - Joint Radiographs - Sacroiliac Joint Radiographs - Bone Densitometry
Consult Time	- Initial consults are 60 Minutes - Follow-up consults are 30 Minutes
Peripherals Needed	- General Exam Lens - Stethoscope