

June 2026 Penobscot Valley Hospital Specialty Access and Services – Time to New Appointments

To better serve the healthcare needs of our community and patients, we are providing the below information for anticipated times to see new patients and to schedule services with PVH. This is subject to change.

| PVH Service | Time for a New Patient Appointment | Phone Number | Referral Fax |
|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| Physical Therapy | 6 Weeks | 207-794-7228 | 207-794-4001 |
| Occupational Therapy | 1-2 Weeks | 207-794-7228 | 207-794-4001 |
| Speech Therapy | 6 Months | 207-794-7228 | 207-794-4001 |
| Pulmonary Function Test | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Oxygen Testing | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Arterial Blood Gas Draws | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| EKGs | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Holter monitors | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Cardiac 14- Day Event Monitors | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Cardiac Stress Testing | 2 to 3 Weeks from Referral | 207-794-7245 | 207-794-6743 |
| Ultrasound, General | 1 Week from Referral | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| Echocardiogram Ultrasound | 2 Weeks from Referral | | |
| Bone Densitometry | Next Day - Monday - Friday | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| CT Scanning | Next Day - Monday - Friday | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| General Radiology | Same Day | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| Mammogram Diagnostics | 2 weeks | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| Mammogram Screenings | 1 week from referral | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| MRI | 1 to 4 days | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| Interventional Pain Management | 7 weeks | 207-794-7118 | 207-794-2834 |
| Laboratory Services | Same Day - 48 hours | 207-794-7232 | 207-794-2825 |
| General Surgery (Clinical Appt) | 12 weeks | 207-794-7109 | 207-794-3315 |
| General Surgery (Procedure Time) | 1-2 weeks | 207-794-7109 | 207-794-3315 |
| Penobscot Primary Care | Panel Closed | 207-794-3296 | 207-794-8908 |
| Urology | 4 weeks | 207-794-7185 | 207-403-7698 |
| Podiatry | 1 week | 207-794-7203 | 207-794-7187 |
| Infusion Treatment Rooms | 24 to 48 hours from referral | 207-794-7111 | 207-794-7297 |
| Orthopedics | Not Accepting New Patients | 207-794-7185 | 207-403-7698 |
| Endoscopy | 2 weeks | 207-794-7109 | 207-794-3315 |
| Occupational Health | 4 weeks | 207-794-7185 | 207-403-7698 |

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Disclaimers Imaging:

- a. Order meets the need for medical necessity
- b. Please provide a copy of the authorization/information stating that an authorization is not necessary.
- c. Date when the last exam was performed. i.e. 1 year since last Mammogram

Laboratory:

- d. Most labs are walk-ins. Therapeutic phlebotomies MUST be scheduled.
- e. DOT/non-DOT drug screen collections we prefer to be scheduled. Walk-ins are available (with possible wait time).
- f. Call ahead to make sure we have your order, if necessary.
- g. Must meet Medical

Necessity. Direct Book Endoscopy Referral Requirements:

- h. Referral sent by PCP
- i. Previous Surgical Procedures
 - a. Colonoscopy
 - b. EGD
 - c. Hernias
 - d. Cholecystectomy
 - e. Appendectomy
- j. Pathology
 - a. Any pathology related to the above surgical procedures
- k. Recent Labs (within the last 6 months)
 - a. All recent imaging (CT, MRI, Xray, etc.)
 - b. Abdominal (all if pertaining to why patient is being referred)
 - c. Head (within the past year)
 - d. Chest (within the past year)
 - e. Manometry (all records with any date)
 - f. Barium Swallow (all records with any date)
 - g. Heart (within the last 2 years)

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