

# IMMEDIATE CARE OR EMERGENCY ROOM?

*Deciding whether to go to the emergency department or your local immediate care center can be a challenging task! The information below can be utilized as a guide to help you make the sometimes difficult decision.*



*If you, or a family member, are experiencing any of the medical issues listed below, please get to the emergency department at Aultman Hospital or Aultman Orrville Hospital as soon as possible.*

In general, conditions that should be evaluated in an emergency department include:

- Stroke or heart attack symptoms.
- Chest pain.
- Difficulty breathing.
- Deep cuts or bleeding that won't stop.
- Large bone fractures.
- Pregnancy-related problems.
- Knife or gunshot wounds.
- Coughing or vomiting blood.
- Severe burns.
- Loss of consciousness.
- Seizures.
- Abdominal pain.

If you need medical attention for non-life threatening problem and your primary care physician is not available, visit an immediate care center. The conditions that can be treated in an immediate care setting may include:

- Minor injuries.
- Minor lacerations.
- Eye redness or irritation.
- Minor fractures (fingers, toes, etc.).
- Urinary tract infections.
- Upper respiratory tract infections.
- Fever or flu.
- Sore throat.
- Skin rashes.
- Skin infections.
- Ear infections.
- Sprains and strains.



## Aultman Emergency Departments

**Aultman Hospital**  
2600 Sixth St. SW in Canton  
330-363-6203

**Aultman Orrville Hospital**  
832 South Main St. in Orrville  
330-684-4780



## Aultman Immediate Care Centers

**Aultman North**  
6100 Whipple Ave. NW in Canton  
330-305-6999

**Aultman West**  
2021 Wales Ave. NE in Massillon  
330-834-1111



*\*The average turnaround time at Aultman Immediate Care is less than one hour!*