

# MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM



**Date:** Monday, April 7, 2025

**TO:** Lieutenant Daniel ZOLO  
Acting Captain

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**RE:** Fast Care Clinic Visit (Froedtert) - Refusal to Treat

This Memorandum is being written by \_\_\_\_\_ assigned to District Two, Day shift. Per District Two, Day Shift Sergeant Daniel VANDERVEST, I was instructed to file this Memorandum in regards to being refused to be seen/treated by staff at a "Froedtert FastCare Walk-In Clinic" upon seeing that I arrived in full uniform (including department issued firearm).

On Wednesday, April 2, 2025, I called and scheduled an appointment with the "Froedtert FastCare Walk-In Clinic" located at 1271 N 6th ST, Milwaukee WI, 53212, at 10:00 AM, for that same morning.

Reason for the appointment was due to the following symptoms (which had been conveyed to staff over the phone when scheduling appointment); head ache, sinus pressure/pain, pain in my chest, shortness of breath, hard cough and possible fever.

Upon arrival to my appointment I was greeted by a young lady (clinic staff member) sitting at the check in desk whom asked if I had an appointment. Upon responding yes, she mentioned that they will not be seeing/treating me due to her noticing I had my department issued firearm on my person (full uniform). She mentioned that Froedtert has a no firearms policy and suggested I leave it in my squad or with my partner. I explained we are not allowed to leave are department issued firearms unsecured and that currently I was not with a partner. I then questioned when this policy took into effect, in particularly, when did it pertain to Law Enforcement. The staff member, from what I recall, stated it's been in effect for many years. At that moment, a few patients waiting in the waiting area over heard the conversation and stated that they believed that there was a law or exemption for Law enforcement, but received the same answer I did regarding their policy. She again told me that per their policy, at which time she pointed to a sign on the wall reading no guns allowed on premise, they would not be seeing/treating me. At that time, I thanked her for her time and left the clinic to return to the District Two Station.

After returning back to District Two station, I was later approached by one of my fellow day shift officers, who had overheard that I had been refused to be seen/treated during my appointment due to having my department issued firearm on my person. Officer mentioned to me that he was concerned and had contacted management involved in the Fast Care Clinic Program with the City of Milwaukee and inquired if the policy indeed pertained to Law

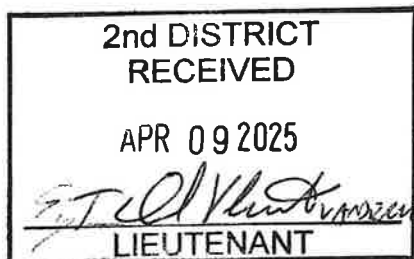
Enforcement. He then told me that per his conversation, the staff was incorrect and I should have been seen/treated. The officer then apologized, but stated that he had given them my name and contact information, which he was told would allow someone on their staff to reach out to me regarding.

A short while later, I was contacted via phone, by a staff member with the Fast Care Clinic Program, who stated her name to be Jennifer (uncertain on how name is spelled) at the District Two station. She apologized and explained that the staff member I had spoken to during my appointment was incorrect and that I should have been treated/seen. Do to my symptoms she then inquired if I was willing to set up another appointment to be seen at a different clinic. She stated it should not be a problem and that I could contact her if I was unable to be seen/treated. For that reason, I later decided I would try setting up an appointment at the "Froedtert FastCar Walk-In Clinic" (Greenfield Meijer) located at 5800 W Layton AV, Greenfield, WI 53220 after I finish my tour of duty.

I then contacted the Greenfield Meijer Clinic to make appointment via telephone, (262) 532-3067. After setting up the appointment, I explained that I would be going there directly from work and would be in full uniform, which would include my department issued firearm. I was then informed that they unfortunately would not be able to see/treat me due to their policy. They did state they could check with their management, but was fairly confident the outcome would remain the same. I then canceled the appointment and left a message with regarding what I was told.

The following day, Thursday, April 3, 2025, I saw a physician at the Walk-In Clinic located in the Zeidler Municipal Building, located at 841 N Broadway, Milwaukee, WI 53202. While there, I was diagnosed with a sinus infection, having a small amount of fluid behind/around my eardrums and Bronchitis. I was also given treatment in office and prescribed medication.

Respectfully Submitted,



*forward  
to Captain*

