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WHAT'S NEW

Memberships

The Community of Hope Health Clinic is a member of three Medical Associations: -National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics www.nafcclinics.ora -Alabama Association of Free and Charitable Clinics www.alabamaclinics.ora -Mobile Health Care Association www.mobilehca.org

Volunteer Meals

Do you have a church, civic group, fraternal organization, etc., that would be willing to supply a meal to evening volunteers at CHHC? Go to

www.takethemameal.com/KYZE3350 to sign up!

Dispensary Open

The Community of Hope Health Clinic's Onsite Dispensary is slated to open within the next 30 days. Stay tuned for updates on our social media and the June Newsletter!

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CHHC earned a 2023 Silver Rating from the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics (NAFC) Quality Standards Program.

NAFC's mission is building healthy communities for all through quality, equitable, accessible healthcare. The NAFC and its members are dedicated to ensuring that patients receive access to quality healthcare. To quantify and qualify the care provided at the Free and Charitable Network, the NAFC formalized a set of Quality Standards for member organizations.

NAFC Members voluntarily submit informaton to the NAFC on the various policies and procedures in place to attain their standards rating and attest/pledge that they successfully incorporate these standards within their organization.

NAFC Quality Standards elements include policies and procedures related to the following (continued on page 2)

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LAUREN SISLER IS THE 2023 GUEST SPEAKER



CHHC WEB SITE

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areas: Administrative, Clinic/Pharmacy Responsibilities, Credentialing and Privileging Systems, Patient Care, and Risk Management Systems.

"We are excited to receive this Silver Rating highlighting our commitment to providing quality patient care," Executive Director, Justin Johnston said. "But there is work to be done. Maria Fernanda and I, working with the Board of Directors hope to attain Gold Status in 2024."

CHHC Fundraiser is NOT Just About Money

CHHC Executive Director, Justin Johnston, is excited about having an in-person fundraising experience for the first time since 2019. To date, more than 130 people are scheduled to attend the event presented by America's First Federal Credit Union on May 9 at the Pelham Civic Center. The event is from 6-8 p.m.

"Yes, we would like to raise my goal of \$50,000 at this event, "Johnston said, "but this free event has a great guest speaker with a great message. Even if someone comes to the dinner and doesn't donate, they've learned more about what we do; it's a win-win for us."

To RSVP, contact Justin at justin@communityofhopeclinic.com.

Have You Checked Out CHHC's Web site?

CHHC'S Web site offers those who wish to know more about the clinic prospective patients, prospective donors, etc., the ability to learn, contact donate, and fill out applications to become a patient or volunteer.

We are constantly updating the site with new information. This month we are highlighting the Donation page and Medical Mobile Unit Page!

To donate: www.communityofhopeclinic.com/donate

For more information on the Medical Mobile Unit and to contact the Coordinator: www.communityofhopeclinic.com/mobile-clinic