

The Heart of a Healthy Community

MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT

Certified Benefits Counselor, Candie Pickett, shares some insight into the upcoming open enrollment period for Medicare:

Open enrollment can be a complex and overwhelming process, as it's the only time of year you can change your health care and drug coverage. Medicare patients face a daunting array of choices, including traditional Medicare, supplemental plans, Part D Coverage Plans, and Medicare Advantage plans offered by various companies with diverse coverage options. To further complicate matters, predatory phone calls, texts, and mailers often promote misleading benefits that may not be available in our rural area. Recognizing the significant need for assistance I became a Certified Medicare Benefits Counselor in 2012. I am available by appointment to help you navigate the complexities of Medicare and understand the options that best suit your individual needs. It is crucial to avoid making changes over the phone based on unsolicited calls, as many of these offers are fraudulent. Let me guide you through the process and ensure you make informed decisions about your health care coverage.

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OGH
OCHILTREE GENERAL HOSPITAL
Medicare Open Enrollment
October 15- December 7th

OCTOBER LUNCH & LEARN: WOMEN'S HEALTH

Dr. Jennifer McGaughy will be the featured speaker for our October 24th Lunch & Learn. This event will take place at the Ochiltree County Senior Citizen Center from 12:00-1:00 PM. Dr. McGaughy will give an informational lecture on Women's Health with an important update about vaccines. Attendees can expect a free lunch, door prizes, important resources, and a time for questions. For more information or to RSVP for this event please call Amie at 806-648-7402 or by email at amarrufo@oghtx.com.



October 24 12:00-1:00 PM
SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER
FREE LUNCH & LEARN SEMINAR
Women's Health with a Vaccine Update



ASSISTED LIVING WEEK ACTIVITIES AT THE SEASONS

The Seasons Assisted living residents had a very busy week in September. Staff at The Seasons hosted a wide variety of events all week from a Mad Hatter Tea Party, a Day of Worship, a fun event with Hansford Manor residents, and so much more. We would like to thank everyone who had a part in making this week extra special for our residents and staff.



EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION

OGH had so much to celebrate in September. Housekeeping Week started off the Month, OGH celebrated our amazing Housekeeping Staff with an Employee Potluck (Pictured below) National HR Professionals Day was September 17th and we celebrated our Human Resources Director, Pearl Garcia, SHRM-CP. (Pictured Left) September 17th was also IT Professionals Day, we celebrated our IT Team Ron Bishop and Kelin Harrison. (Pictured Middle) Logan Reagan, Speech Pathologist at OGH was chosen as Perryton's Panhandle Professional Women's Young Careerist for the Month of September. (Pictured Right)



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Each month OGH recognizes one outstanding staff member for their dedication to providing quality healthcare in our community. Employee of the Month for August is Debbie Beck. Debbie is our CFO and a member of the Finance team at OGH.



YOUR COWORKERS THINK YOU ROCK!

DEBBIE BECK

Employee of the Month
September 2024 | Finance



Employee Spotlight

OGH BIRTHDAYS

- Jessica Arredondo- Oct 3
- Jonathan Sell- Oct 4
- Kelly Judice- Oct 6
- Amie Marrufo- Oct 6
- Julia Becerril- Oct 6
- Haylei Rodgers- Oct 6
- Kylie Duvall- Oct 7
- Rosie Tudon- Oct 7
- Michelle Garcia- Oct 17
- Rosa Ocon- Oct 20
- Nicole Swallow- Oct 20
- Cynthia Rojas-Salazar- Oct 25
- Hilda Zapien- Oct 25
- Juana Becerril- Oct 29
- Maria Rodriguez- Oct 29
- Steph Tarvin- 31

OGH ANNIVERSARIES

- Brecklyn Stump- 1 Year
- Sharla Young- 1 Year
- Dr. O’Beirne- 2 Years
- Haylei Rodgers- 3 Years
- Angela Tarango- 4 Years
- Faith Salas- 4 Years
- Hilda Zapien- 5 Years
- Yesenia Herrera- 5 Years
- Olga Marrufo- 13 Years
- Ron Bishop- 19 Years
- Jessica Russell- 21 Years
- Denise Rojas- 22 Years

OGH NEW ROCKSTARS

- Gab Alaban- Lab
- Dyani Lozano- Surgery
- Magaly Reyes- PHC

KELLY’S CORNER:

I am pleased to announce our upcoming annual OGH Health Fair. It is a privilege to serve our community by offering complimentary lab work, answering inquiries about the services available throughout our district, and providing additional support from all departments. We invite you to attend the Expo on October 17, 2024, from 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM.



CEO Kelly Judice was featured as a guest speaker at The Torch Fall Conference in Round Rock, Texas. Judice spoke about OGH’s collaboration with Frank Phillips College, Amarillo College and RNEC. The Rural Nursing Education Consortium (RNEC) was formed in order to increase the number of homegrown nurses serving rural Panhandle communities. The goal is to produce nurses where they live in order to create a healthy future for rural communities.

HOMETOWN HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS



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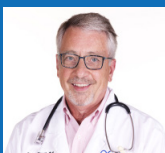
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UPCOMING EVENTS:

NEW PARENT SEMINAR- OCTOBER 10

**LUNCH & LEARN-DR. MCGAUGHY
OCTOBER 24**

**HEALTH FAIR- PERRYTON EXPO
OCTOBER 17TH**

OGH TRUNK OR TREAT- OCTOBER 31