

BUILDING DEDICATED TO L. KIRK COURSON

Perryton Health Center hosted an Open House on December 9th from 5:00-7:00 PM. The event began with a Ribbon Cutting from the Perryton Chamber of Commerce and followed a dedication for the L. Kirk Courson Building. Kelly Judice, CEO, gave a speech dedicating the building name in honor of the late L. Kirk Courson. Courson served on the OGH Hospital Board for 37 years and was integral in planning many of the improvements to the hospital district over those years. Pictured left to right: (Krista Courson, Ridge Johnson, Reeve Johnson, Halston Johnson, Ryan Johnson, Dr. Jennifer McGaughy, Kelly Judice, and Harold Courson. Dr. McGaughy offered remarks on the history of the Perryton Health Center and thanked all who contributed to the new building. Tours by staff members followed the naming dedication and snacks and punch was served.



Photo Courtesy of The Perryton Herald

DR. MANN RETIREMENT LUNCH

December 20th OGH hosted a retirement lunch for Dr. Rex Mann. Dr. Mann was a provider for 39 years at Ochiltree General Hospital. Dr. Mann has been working as a provider in our Emergency Room for the last several years. He will be dearly missed and OGH has been honored to have him for all these years. Pictured left to right: (Dr. Mann, Donna Mann, Dr. McGaughy, Dr. Blasingame, Suzanna Jarrell, APRN, Dr. Siewert, Lisa Brown, APRN, Dr. DeWitt, Susan Childers, APRN, Dr. Childers, and Dr. O'Berine.



OGH TEMPORARILY UPDATES VISITATION POLICY

TEMPORARY VISITOR RESTRICTIONS

In order to keep our patients, staff, and community safe we are temporarily limiting visitors due to the increase of illness.

Please follow these guidelines:

- ONLY 2 Visitors allowed.
- No one under the age of 17 is permitted.
- You CANNOT visit if you have been sick in the last 2 weeks, have had vomiting or diarrhea, or have symptoms of a respiratory infection such as coughing, fever, or congestion.
- You must follow hospital protocol and use personal protection equipment such as mask, gown, and gloves when necessary.
- Additional restrictions may apply.
- Wash hands/use sanitizer before and after visiting



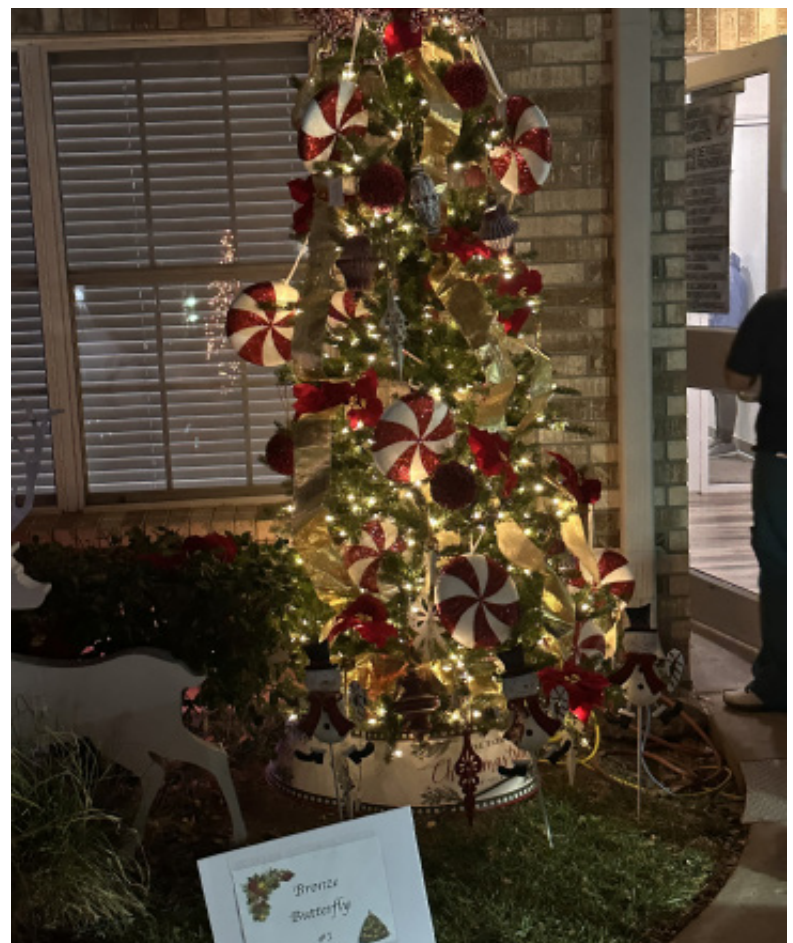
Hospital administration has taken a proactive approach to limiting the spread of viruses to members of the community by temporarily updating the visitation policy to the hospital. Administration does not take this decision lightly and will review this policy as needed. Visitors need to check in at the nurses' station before entering patient areas. Signs in English and Spanish have been posted throughout the hospital.

At this time the restriction does not apply to OGH Obstetrical patients; however, visitors must be in good health and not showing symptoms of sickness. It will be up to the Nurses' and Providers' discretion to allow/limit visitors. Any questions about this update may be directed to Scarlett Coombs, Infection Control Nurse, LVN, at 806-648-7114.

OGH has added a comprehensive panel test that can detect a variety of viruses so that patients can more accurately be treated. Make an appointment with your provider to receive an order for this testing, which is done at our OGH Laboratory. The test is a single-swab through the nostril, results are available within an hour.

SEASONS CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

The Seasons Assisted Living hosted their first Christmas Tree Light Show on December 6th. Local businesses were invited to bring decorated Christmas Trees to The Seasons for a contest voted on by our OGH Facebook Followers. The winning tree received over 75 votes and comments on their tree. The Bronze Butterfly won the competition and the residents from the Seasons presented them with a trophy. The event also included a visit from Santa, Christmas Carols sung by First Baptist Church and those in attendance were served hot chocolate and baked goods.



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Each month OGH recognizes one outstanding staff member for their dedication to providing quality healthcare in our community. Martha Ramirez was chosen as Employee of the Month for November. Martha is a member of the Housekeeping Team at OGH.



Employee Spotlight

OGH BIRTHDAYS

- Cinthia Perez- Jan 1
- Maria Puebla- Jan 12
- Maria Estrada- Jan 13
- Brenda Villa- Jan 13
- Kevelin Becerril- Jan 14
- Hayle Hill- Jan 14
- Olivia Hobson- Jan 17
- Bonita Prince- Jan 17
- Maria Gonzalez- Jan 18
- Julia Buttry- Jan 20
- Abelina Perez- Jan 20
- Nikki Ray- Jan 21
- Keeley DeWitt- Jan 22
- Ana Becerril- Jan 23
- Mary Sanchez- Jan 23
- Sandra Montes- Jan 24
- Sheril Kelley- Jan 25
- Lyndsay Herring- Jan 26
- Kelsie Dorman- Jan 28
- Debbie Beck- Jan 29
- Molly Buttry- Jan 30
- Julie Diaz- Jan 31

OGH ANNIVERSARIES

- Abelina Perez- 1 Year
- Giselle Mercado- 1 Year
- Ramona Cabrera- 2 Years
- Ilda Soto- 2 Years
- Kiana Hoffman- 3 Years
- Jonathan Sell-3 Years
- Keeley DeWitt- 5 Years
- Mike Mitchell- 5 Years
- Curtis Parker-5 Years
- Jerra Lowrey- 6 Years
- Kelsie Dorman- 9 Years
- Steven Waide- 9 Years
- Gretchen Good-17 Years
- Alyce Morton-17 Years
- Vicki Risner-17 Years
- Kelly Judice- 24 Years
- Patricia Garcia-37 Years

OGH NEW ROCKSTARS

- Molly Buttry- Dietary
- Natalie Mandujano- Seasons
- Monica Camacho- Lab

KELLY'S CORNER:

As we step into a brand-new year, I want to reflect on the incredible journey we've shared and look forward to the opportunities ahead.

2024 was a year of growth, resilience, and collaboration. Together, we faced challenges with strength and celebrated achievements that brought us closer as a community. Your trust in the Ochsle County Hospital District inspires us daily to provide the highest quality of care and continually seek ways to serve you better.

In 2025, our commitment remains steadfast. We will continue to enhance our services, invest in innovative healthcare solutions, and prioritize your well-being. None of this would be possible without our exceptional team's dedication and our community's unwavering support.

As we embrace the possibilities of this new year, let us move forward with hope and determination. Together, we can build healthier, stronger future for all.

On behalf of the entire Ochsle County Hospital District team, I wish you and your loved ones a year filled with joy, good health, and countless blessings.

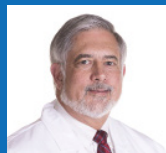


Employee of the Month is an award voted each month by a committee. At the end of the year those employees chosen as employee of the month are eligible to be chosen as Employee of the Year. The Employee of the Year for 2024 as voted by her peers, is Maggie Flores. Maggie has worked at OGH for 24 years. This is her second time being chosen as Employee of the Year. Maggie is a member of the Health Information Team at OGH.

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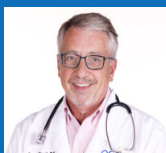
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UPCOMING EVENTS:

LUNCH & LEARN FEBRUARY 20TH