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IMMANUEL HEALTH CENTER PATIENT NEWSLETTER

IMPROVING HEALTH - OFFERING HOPE

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Our Vision:

To be a health center that reflects the character of God as we work to improve health and offer hope to our community in God's name. We will partner with other ministries and reach out to the community's underserved. We will administer care to the best of our abilities, seeking to relieve suffering and bring health, always acknowledging that true healing comes solely through the power of Jesus Christ.

Our Mission:

To promote health and wholeness in our community, especially among those who are vulnerable or disadvantaged, by providing medical care, spiritual care, and social and behavioral health services. It is our aim to partner with Christ in His mission of ministering to others in the hope that they will know and experience Christ's great love for them.

Our Values:

- Love and peace found in Christ
- Compassion for all
- Dignity and sanctity of life
- Professional excellence and integrity
- Responsibility and stewardship

Flu Season: What You Need to Know! (cdc.gov)

1. When does flu activity begin?:

“seasonal flu activity often begins as early as October and November and can continue to occur as late as May. Flu activity most commonly peaks in the United States between De-

ember and February.”

2. Hospitalizations each year:

“Since 2010, CDC estimates that flu has resulted in between 140,000 and 710,000 hospitalizations each year.”

3. How should I protect myself?:

“CDC recommends a yearly flu vaccine for everyone 6 months of age and older as the first and most important step in protecting against this serious disease.”



Dr. Scott Resignation Letter

Dear Patient,

It is with mixed emotions that I write to you today. It has been a pleasure to provide medical care for you and others in our community over the last four-and-a-half years. I have enjoyed knowing you and working together with you to address your health concerns. Thank you so much for that privilege.

I am writing to let you know that as of December 31, 2017, I will no longer be providing medical care at Immanuel Health Center. The past year has been a year of great highs and lows in my family, which made it necessary for me to take several weeks off. Due to ongoing concerns and responsibilities, I feel that I

need to spend more time and energy at home. Although I am very sad to leave, I am also looking forward to the opportunity to spend more time with my family.

Continuation of your medical care is important, and Immanuel Health Center will continue to meet your health needs. If you already have an appointment scheduled with me in 2018, it will automatically be rescheduled with Ashley Langley or one of our other providers. We will contact you with details as your appointment time nears.

If you choose to transfer to a healthcare provider outside of Immanuel Health Center, you will need to sign a release for transfer of your rec-

ords. These forms are available from our office. Please allow 30 days for copying and transferring your records. In order to avoid any lapse in your medical care, please make sure to have the changes in place by January 1, 2018.

Thank you for entrusting me with your health care. It has truly been an honor to know and serve you. May God bless you and keep you and grant you peace and health.

Sincerely,

Trina Scott, M.D.

Praise and Prayer:

*You are invited to pray
with and for Immanuel
Health Center!*

We gather for prayer the
third Thursday of each
month from 12:15-12:45
p.m.

in our reception area.

Please join us!

****If you would like
to add a prayer or
prayer request,
please talk to a mem-
ber of the Spiritual
Care Team today or a
staff member!****

“Dear heavenly Father,
**I know it’s time for a
change.** Give me the
courage to keep going, for I
am afraid to let go. **I be-
lieve that when one
door closes, another
opens, for You are
faithful.** But I am assured
that no matter what, there
is one thing that never
changes —*Jesus Christ who is
the same as yesterday, today
and forever!* Hebrews 13:8
**Thank you for holding
onto me through the
different seasons of my
life. Amen**

Volunteers Needed:

Immanuel Health Center is
looking for the following
volunteer opportunities:

1. Front Desk Reception-
ist—must have medical
background
2. Administrative help to
our Board and Practice
Manager
3. Painter/Cleaning/Odds
and Ins around the clinic
4. Licensed Social Workers
5. Members to join our
Patient Advisory Council
6. Spiritual Care Team
members

must submit an applica-
tion to our Volunteer Coordina-
tor. Once she gets in touch
with you, you will be inter-
viewed and must pass a
background check.

You will be required to
serve at least 1 day/week or
4 hours/week.

Inquire today with one of
our staff members!!



All positions for the clinic

Recommended Screenings!

It’s that time of year where
health care professionals want
to make sure you are meeting
all your quality measures,
including immunizations and
cancer screenings!

Each year for men and wom-
en, it is recommended to have
a depression screening, health
counseling, and flu vaccine.

Cancer screenings are also
important to get completed
on time Ask us today!

**Healthy
Living**

**Yes, I/we will help sustain Immanuel Health Center to care for
patients in west Bloomington!**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip code: _____

E-mail: _____

- Join the Monthly Donors’ Circle: \$ _____ per mo.
- Commit to quarterly gifts: \$ _____ per qtr.
- Make a one-time gift of any amount: \$ _____
- Cover a day at the clinic: \$ 396.00
- Pay for a patient visit: \$ 150.00

Make checks payable to **Immanuel Health Center**
mail to 502 S. Morris Ave. Bloomington, IL 61701

Thank you for your support—please pray for the ministry of Immanuel Health Center!