

Making THE Rounds

News, Events Updates & Info from the Warwick Healthcare Campus

Welcome Rakesh S. Sharma, MD



We are pleased to introduce Rakesh S. Sharma, MD. Dr. Sharma, Board Certified in Internal Medicine, who is joining St. Anthony Medical Associates, a new practice located at 89 Ronald Reagan Blvd, Warwick, NY,

Dr. Sharma brings over 15 years of primary care medical experience to St. Anthony Medical Associates. Dr. Sharma received his medical training at BJ Medical College and Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad, India and completed a Residency in Internal Medicine at Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA. St. Anthony Medical Associates specializes in Primary and Family Medicine. Join us in welcoming Dr. Sharma to the SACH medical staff.

Dear Fellow Warwick Campus Employees,



As I prepare to move into my new role as Executive Vice President for Community Development and Advocacy for the Bon Secours Charity Health System, I want to take a moment to say thank you to all of you who have made me feel so welcome here during the past fourteen months.

It has been my true privilege to work with you in service to our community. You have demonstrated your clear commitment to excellence in service to our residents, clients and patients by being "Good Help to Those in Need" every day.

Thanksgiving is a time for recognizing the many blessings that God has given us, and surely there have been many during the past year. In spite of the challenges we have faced, we have stood together to fulfill the Ministry of the Sisters of Bon Secours and the Sisters of Charity, with grace and kindness for all who have come to us for help.

I wish you and your loved ones a very safe and happy Thanksgiving.
~Tom Brunelle



Just Popped-In Physician Marketing Blitz

A WHHC marketing blitz team visited local physician offices to make one-on-one presentations about our key services and communicate that our Warwick campus is easily accessible to all physicians. Team members left behind our newly created campus wide brochure and custom designed packages of Blitz microwave popcorn.



In two days, the team – made up of over 20 employees from all over our campus – visited 220 physician offices (representing 473 doctors), held 43 one-on-one meetings with physicians and 199 meetings with office managers. But that's not all. Team members made new friends, learned more about our campus and the services we offer, and worked together. Together we can accomplish anything!

The following team members visited 220 physician offices in two days: **Lourdes Braadt, Betty Tiedemann, Jean Ciampo, Lynn Hickey, Anita Sultana, Jodie Collins, Therese Marczyk, Gerianne Horan, Sue Marshall, Laurie Motejl, Nancy Folino, Ann Lombardi, Janet Hulse, Joie Ogradnick, Shirley Rodriguez, Kim Frawley, Debbie McGovern, Bob Yates, Daria Gargan, Marlene Roerden, Kristi Pfohl, Andrea Studnitzer**

Sue Marshall, SACH Physician Liaison, standing in front of SACH Primary Service area map (section in Green). This area represents the 17 zip codes that Physician Blitz Team covered during its two day blitz. She is holding sample of the "Just Popping In" marketing kit that the Blitz team used during its two days on the road.

News & Newsmakers

Anniversaries

- Kristine Klim**, Quality Assurance, 30 years
- Deborah Freeman**, ED, 20 years
- Sandra Sanford**, General Education, 20 years
- John Kohut**, Respiratory Services, 15 years
- Carla Gardepe**, Laboratory, 15 years
- Thomas P. Smith**, Pharmacy, 10 years
- Tara Russell-Ayoob**, ICU, 5 years
- Belinda Gayle**, Med/Surg, 5 years

Thanksgiving Day Meals

In celebration of Thanksgiving, Dietary will provide free meals to all employees. The free meal schedule is as follows:

SACH Employees

At 7pm on Nov 26th, a boxed lunch meal will be delivered for the late shifts, and on Thanksgiving Day, the café will provide a delicious turkey dinner until 3pm

MAC Employees

At 7pm on Nov 26th, a boxed lunch meal will be delivered to the nursing station for the 11-7 shift only. On Thanksgiving Day, 7-3 and 3-11 employees can come directly to the kitchen for their free meal, no later than 6pm,

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Forgot your Password?

Starting Dec 1, if you have forgotten your computer password, it can only be reset if you answer the following questions that will be asked to you by the Information Services Support Center:

- 1) What are the last four digits of your Social Security number?
- 2) What is the month & year of your birthday?



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Thanksgiving Giving!

The Annual Thanksgiving Food Basket Drive once again demonstrated the generosity of WHCC employees. Donations from staff across the campus provided a 'van-full' of food and other items that will grace the tables of needy families in our community on Thanksgiving Day. After a basket blessing ceremony, they were loaded on the van and sent to the Warwick Ecumenical Food Panty for distribution. Thanks for your caring and generosity!



1) Hector Sanchez delivers the last cart load of food for distribution 2) Yvonne Capone and Gerianne Horan help Bob Carr load Thanksgiving donations into van. 3) Rita Turi carries bagsful of food donated by WHCC staff to van for loading

Thought from Pastoral Care

"The greatest gift one can give is thanksgiving. In giving gifts, we give what we can spare, but in giving thanks we give ourselves." ~ Brother Steindl-Rast

Construction Update

Final construction for the ED is now complete, with the addition of the new privacy screen.



Flu Clinic a Great Success

424 members of the community were vaccinated at our annual flu clinic. It was a great success -- thank you to our great team members: **Ann, Andrea, Jean C., Patrick, Peggy, Yvonne, Laurie M, Michelle G., Perla B. (and son!), Joie, Sue R. Jodie, Pam and volunteers Maureen McDermott, Murielle, Elaine Broadhead and Margaret Mitchell**