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**HOCKING VALLEY
Community Hospital**

WEEKLY UPDATE

April 30, 2021

Covid-19 Vaccine Eligibility

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Hocking Valley Community Hospital is pleased to provide Covid-19 vaccines to our community. Call **740-380-8402** to schedule an appointment.

Unsure if you are eligible for the vaccine? Select below to learn more.

[Find COVID Vaccine Eligibility, and Book an Appointment Here!](#)

DIRECT TO YOU

Julie Grow, Chief Financial Officer

Living in a Post-COVID World

I think Weird Al or Adam Sandler should start working on a parody song to the tune of Madonna's "Material Girl". They could title it "Vaccinated Girl"...

*"They used to kiss me,
Used to hug me,
Now that's not ok,*

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*If they don't give me social distance,
I'll just walk away.*



*'Cause we're living in a post-COVID world
And I am a vaccinated girl."*

See, it could work, right? And if ever there was an intro to one of my articles that showed my age, this one would certainly be it. It's also a peek into the many musings that run through my brain in the middle of the night when I can't sleep. In all fairness, I do not think we are close to being able to consider ourselves "post-Covid", but I do feel we are starting to see the light at the end of the proverbial tunnel, and hey, a girl can dream.

Although we are all tired, and ready to move on with life after COVID, unfortunately we are not completely out of harm's way. I still see posts on social media weekly from friends asking for prayers for their loved ones on ventilators, or worse yet, sharing their

obituaries. Businesses are struggling to adapt. Patients are concerned about seeking preventative care. However, there are positive signs that "normal" is within reach. At its peak, Ohio was seeing well over 13,000 cases of Covid each day, and now the number is hovering between 500-1,500 cases daily. Over 50% of US adults have received at least one Covid vaccine and over a third of US adults are considered to be fully vaccinated. There are "Now Hiring" signs on nearly every business in town; a sure sign that business is returning. You can buy toilet paper and paper towels in abundance.

At HVCH, financially, we weathered the storm. We battened down the hatches and made immediate changes to ensure we would be here to care for our community. We applied for every single dollar of financial assistance available to us and then spent each dollar wisely to see that it would get us through, even saving some of it along the way, not knowing how long volumes would be affected. We "pandemiced" very well. Because of this, I am proud to say that HVCH did NOT receive a "going concern" on our financial audit for 2020; a finding that has plagued us for the past two years. Thanks to the grant funding and careful spending, HVCH is officially back in the black. (I could use this as another shameless opportunity to transition into another song parody, but I will try and stay focused.)

All of that hard work allows us an amazing opportunity. We can start thinking strategically about how to shape healthcare for Hocking County and what it will look like to live in a post-Covid world. We can pour over the data provided to us in the most recent Community Health Needs Assessment and identify ways to improve the overall health of our

residents. We can plan for upgrades and renovations to our building that will improve emergency and patient experience. We can use what we've learned from the pandemic to better prepare for anything that comes our way. It's an exciting time to be part of the HVCH team.

I know we are tired, both mentally and physically. It would be naive to think that this will be easy. I feel like we've just all battled World War II and we are asking you to turn around and head into Vietnam to battle again. Change is exhausting and uncomfortable, but necessary to adapt. I just ask you to close your eyes for a moment and think about your ideal HVCH. What does it look like to our staff, providers, and to our patients for life after Covid? What services should we provide for the community? What should the layout be? What would make your job easier or the patient experience better if you had it? What would be your "must-haves"? I truly want to know. Stop me in the hallway, the cafeteria, the grocery store, or pop by my office to share your ideas with me. Email me your wish list. While we won't be able to change everything at once, we can begin to make calculated advancements that will have a lasting impact for our community. In the meantime, I'll leave you to dream of ways to move HVCH into a post-Covid world, while you hum the tune to *Material Girl* the rest of the day.

-Julie



Congratulations to the following employees celebrating work anniversaries in the month of May:

1 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

9 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Teri Tigner, RN
- Cherry Spelock, RN
- Lisa Beatty, RN

2 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Michele Ridenour, RN

3 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- William Blake, STNA
- Jennifer Horner, RN

5 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- April Ricketts, LPN
- Shana Emerson, RN

6 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Crystal Walker, RN

7 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Clayton Meyer, RN
- Donna Fisher, RN

16 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Amy Hammond, MHT

19 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Cart Switzer, Director of Rehab Services

20 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Romona Delong, Dietary Aide

23 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Amy Scarberry, Director of Laboratory

24 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Susan Rosser, Phlebotomist

31 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

- Amy Hooper, RN



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YOU'RE INVITED!

6K IN MAY

Join the "Worlds largest 6K walk for clean water"



May 22 from 10 am to 2 pm
Bring your Family and Friends!

Select below for more information:

[6K In May Information](#)



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FRENCH FRIES
FUNNEL CAKES
LEMONADE SHAKE-UPS
HOT DOGS
SOFT DRINKS/WATER

HVGH FOUNDATION SUMMER FOOD TRUCK FUNDRAISER

May 22 and 23rd - Hocking
Hills Elementary School
Parking Lot

June 19 and 20 - Lake Logan
Road across from Campbell
Cove Campground



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Community Hospital

FREE

SPORTS PHYSICALS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2021
4:00 PM – 8:00 PM

HVCH RURAL HEALTH CLINIC
1383 W. HUNTER ST., LOGAN

Physicals will be offered **FREE**
of charge to all athletes of the
Logan-Hocking School District.

**Masks are required and
attendance is limited to the
athlete and ONE parent or guardian.**

Before your physical, you **MUST:**

1. Set up account or update all information in Final Forms. Final Forms set up instructions are found on the Logan-Hocking Athletic website.
2. Print out physical form on Final Forms and bring it with you.

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Sunny Schlabach
RN, ED



Theresa Coleman
LPN, Outpatient
General Surgery



Scarlett McGuire
Respiratory
Therapist



Samantha Johnson
LPN, Inpatient



Ryan Joy
General
Maintenance



Cathleen Mosure
LPN, Outpatient
Orthopedics



Tara Cordray
RN, ED



APRIL NEW EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION

**WELCOME TO OUR HVCH
TEAM!**



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HVCH FOUNDATION
**SUMMER FOOD TRUCK
FUNDRAISER**

JAVA JANES
CAFE DIEM

July 3 - Lake Logan
Road across from
Campbell Cove
Campground



HOCKING VALLEY
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Weldon's Ice Cream!!!!

Fruit smoothies

Fried mini donuts

Coffee

Espresso



Krispy Kreme Donut Fundraiser

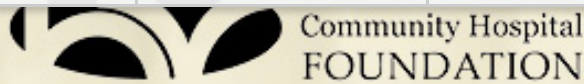


Show your support and eat it too! \$9.00 a dozen, pre-paid orders only. Pick up date is Thursday May 13th 9:30 am to 1:00 pm, Community Relations & Foundation Office located in the CIC building, Suite B, next to HVCH. We are limited to how many we can order so sign up ASAP! Click on the link below to order yours now!

Employees: Orders may be payroll deducted

<https://app.etapestry.com/onlineforms/HockingValleyCommunityHospita/donutsfundraiser.html>

HVCH Foundation Golf Tournament



TOURNAMENT

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 2021

Hocking Hills Golf Club
14405 Country Club Lane, Logan

7:45-8:45 AM: Registration
8:45 AM: Flight Instructions
9:00 AM: Scramble starts
DURING PLAY: Lunch on the go

REGISTRATION COST: \$100 per golfer - includes greens fee, cart fee, golfer gift, snack bag & lunch.

FORMAT: One flight four-person scramble
The tournament reserves the right to determine handicaps for those with no established handicap. Max handicap is 20. Max female handicap is 30.

PRIZES & Course Challenges:
Low Net Score
Low Gross Score
Longest Drive (Men's & Women's)
Longest Putt
Skins Game

Register online at www.hvch.org or complete the form below.

All proceeds from this event benefit Hocking Valley Community Hospital Foundation and the patients of the hospital.

I would like to participate in the 35th annual HVCH Foundation Golf Tournament.

_____ \$100 Individual Tournament Package

_____ \$400 Team Tournament Package

I am unable to attend, but would like to make a donation to the HVCH Foundation: \$_____.

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Handicap: _____

Name & number of club/league to verify handicap: _____

Single Player/Foursome will include:

_____ HDC _____

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_____ HDC _____

MULLIGAN \$5 each (Limit 2 per player) _____

50/50 RAFFLE TICKET \$10 each _____

SKINS GAME \$40 per team _____

Payment:

_____ Check made out to HVCH Foundation

_____ Please charge my credit card:

Name on Card _____

Card # _____

Expiration Date: _____ CVC# _____

Please return registration and payment to:
HVCH Foundation, P.O. Box 966, Logan, OH 43138
For more information, call (740) 380-8336.

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TRACTOR TIRE
\$25.00



COUCH
\$10.00



HIDE A BED
\$15.00



STUFFED CHAIR
\$5.00



MATTRESS
\$5.00



BOX SPRING
\$5.00



TV (CRT)
UNDER/OVER 20"
\$5.00/\$10.00



TV (FLAT SCREEN)
\$20.00



AIR CONDITIONER
NOT ACCEPTED



REFRIGERATOR
NOT ACCEPTED



WATER HEATER
FREE



WASHER
FREE



DRYER
FREE



STOVE
FREE



DISHWASHER
FREE



MICROWAVE
FREE



TOASTER
FREE



VACUUM
FREE



FAN
FREE



FLUORESCENT TUBE
4 FT. AND UNDER
30¢ EACH

FLUORESCENT TUBE
5 FT. AND OVER
35¢ EACH



COMPACT BULB
35¢ EACH

CLEAN SINGLE STREAM RECYCLABLES

Computer/Office paper
Newspaper
Magazines/Catalogs
Corrugated cardboard
Paperboard (cereal boxes, etc.)

Glass (clear, brown, blue, green)
Aluminum cans
Tin/Steel cans
Scrap aluminum and metal
Plastics 1-5

FREE

E-Waste (electronics)
Scrap Metal (ferrous and non ferrous)
Household Batteries



HOCKING COUNTY SPRING RECYCLING DAY

May 8th, 2021 9am-1pm

33845 Sutton Rd. Logan, Ohio 43138
(Off St. Rt. 93 North, just past the GE plant)



(740) 753-6885 | ahswd.org
P.O. Box 693, Athens, Ohio 45701

MENU

JOB OPENINGS

MONDAY

Spaghetti Casserole; Chicken Fingers; Seasoned Potato Wedges; Seasoned Carrots; Seasoned Broccoli; Breadstick

TUESDAY

Chipolte-Like Day; Loaded Nachos; Fried Rice; Black Beans; Fiesta Corn

WEDNESDAY

Breaded Chicken Breast on Bun; Beef Stew and Biscuit; Au Gratin Potatoes; Green Beans; Blended Veggies

THURSDAY

Breakfast Pizza; Sausage Gravy and Biscuit; Frittata; French Toast; Oven Browns; Bacon

FRIDAY

Tortilla Tilapia; Nachos and Cheese; Fried Rice; Honey Glazed Carrots; Brussels with Bacon; Cauliflower, Broccoli Blend

- [Ambulette Driver - Contingent/PRN](#)
 - [Computer and Network Technician \(IT II\)- Full Time](#)
 - [Director of Behavioral Health Unit](#)
 - [Emergency Room Technician - Full Time, Nights](#)
 - [Environmental Services Associate/Housekeeper - Contingent - Various Hours](#)
 - [Environmental Services Associate/Housekeeper - Part Time, Variable Hours](#)
 - [Environmental Services Associate/Housekeeper - Full Time, Days, Variable Hours](#)
 - [Front Desk Receptionist](#)
 - [HVAC Maintenance Technician- Full Time](#)
 - [Licensed Practical Nurse \(LPN\) - Inpatient Services - Part Time](#)
 - [Licensed Practical Nurse \(LPN\) - Urgent Care - Contingent](#)
 - [Licensed Practical Nurse \(LPN\) - Rural Health Clinic](#)
 - [Mammography/CT Technologist - Full Time - Day Shift](#)
 - [Registered Nurse \(RN\) - Emergency Department - Contingent/PRN](#)
 - [Registered Nurse \(RN\) - Emergency Department - Part Time - Nights Shift](#)
 - [Registered Nurse \(RN\) - PRN/Contingent - Inpatient Services](#)
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It's Okay to Ask for Help.

If you or someone you know needs emotional support, we can help.

Call the Ohio CareLine 24/7 for free help: 1-800-720-9616.

#InThisTogetherOhio

Brought to you by the Ohio Department of Health.

Encouraging Words

from Pastor Mark Barrell, First Church of Christ, Logan, OH

If I asked you to close your eyes calm your mind. What is the first word that comes to mind? If I asked you to close your eyes and asked you think of the first smell that comes to mind. What is it and what does it remind you of?

We all have memories and there are different ways that set them off our memories. Something said by someone that reminded you of an old schoolteacher you had and the lessons learned from them. The sound of a child laughing, and you remember when your babies were babies and playing peek a boo with them. The smell of turkey roasting in the oven reminding you of dinner at grandma's house.

What memories do we have with God that will make you better? I pray you have memories with the Father.



Numbers 6:26

26 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you,
And give you peace.” ’

55 Ways to Be a Better Me

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“QUOTE”

"Happiness often sneaks in through a door you didn't know you left open."

-John Barrymore



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OUR MISSION

To provide our community an unparalleled patient experience through world class service that is both compassionate and professional.

OUR VISION

To provide extraordinary care close to home now and into the future.

HVCH is a critical-access hospital located in the city of Logan, Ohio, which serves residents in Hocking and surrounding counties. With more than 325 employees, our staff is here to serve the residents and visitors of our Hocking Valley community through various ancillary and emergency care services. HVCH is DMV accredited, and we offer a wide range of primary, acute, and rehabilitative services. We are pleased to provide 24-hour emergency services to our patients through our ER and Urgent Care. Additionally, our surgical center, rehabilitation center, physical therapy clinic, pain control and wound clinic, imaging, laboratory, cardiovascular/cardiopulmonary, sleep clinic, geriatric psychiatric, and oncology services are also available. We are proud of our facility. HVCH is affiliated with OSUWMC, improving healthcare services to the Hocking and surrounding counties in the areas of general surgery and orthopaedics. HVCH also is a part of the Ohio State Health Network.

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