



Physicians CareConnection  
Volunteers Serving Central Ohio

# CONNECTING CARE

December 2015

## THE NUMBERS

We would like to share with you the approximate number of patients seen each month and how many visits through multiple specialties. Below are the numbers for five clinics in November.

Number of patients:

November: 128

Numbers of Visits:

November: 189

Number of Prescription:

November: 207

## 2015 –WHAT A YEAR

Using our unique model of care coordination, PCC continues to address emerging health care needs of people who are vulnerable in our community. PCC has achieved the following:

- Expanded dental services to offer preventative and restorative services, including fillings and cleaning. In 2016, PCC will explore adding denture services for our patients.
- Partnered with a Medicaid plan to provide high touch care coordination through home visits for high risk patients with diabetes.
- In November of 2015 PCC was awarded a 3 year grant to be THE prenatal intake and referral provider for the CelebrateOne initiative. PCC will begin this service in January of 2016.
- Raised \$30,000 through our first annual campaign with 100% participation from our board, to support the charitable medical care provided by our dedicated volunteer healthcare professionals.

Physicians CareConnection, along with the CMA, CMAF and COTS have had to say farewell to a wonderful Chief Executive Officer, Phil Cass, as he moves on to new endeavors.



*Physicians CareConnection Staff with Phil Cass, former CEO*



CMA and affiliate organizations welcome Robert Falcone, MD as the new Chief Executive Officer, starting in 2016.

Thank you for your support in 2015 and we look forward to seeing what 2016 brings!

**Mission Statement: To Optimize the health of the most vulnerable in Central Ohio**



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*Future Dates Monday Night Clinic is CLOSED*

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**December 28 – Holidays and New Year**

**January 18 - Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

**February 15 – President's Day**

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## THANK YOU

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Dr. Shawn Kerger; Dr. James Hamilton; Dr. Mary Jo Welker; Dr. Francis Blais

*\*these names are in addition to last month's.*

### **Contributions are still being received!**

Contributions can be conveniently made online by [clicking here](#). Under the “choose fund” drop down menu. Select “Physicians Free Clinic/Voluntary Care Network”. Should you have questions or need assistance, please contact Weldon Milbourne, Director of Development and Programs for the CMA Foundation (who is assisting in the fundraising campaign) at 614.240.7420 or by email at [wmilbourne@goodhealthcolumbus.org](mailto:wmilbourne@goodhealthcolumbus.org).

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## INCOMING NEW EMPLOYEES AND STUDENT COORDINATORS

Physicians CareConnection would like to welcome and congratulate a few employees. Rebeca Flores, Care Coordinator will be moving over to the Prenatal Intake Referral department of PCC joining Vianela Cepeda. Moving into Rebeca's role with the Voluntary Care Network and Care Coordinating, please welcome Yesenia Rodriguez.

PCC also says thank you to our 2015 Medical Student Coordinators: Kaetha Frost and Andrew Gable with Ohio University and Tyler Siekmann and Matthew Harbrecht with The Ohio State University. For 2016 we welcome: Ali Rizvi and Caili Pierro with Ohio University and Ariana Prinzbach and Erika Reese with The Ohio State University.

The coordinators will manage the schedule for medical students wanting to shadow at the clinic, work the clinic and attend PCC Board meetings.

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