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COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE, INC. ANNOUNCES UPDATES TO COVID-19 SCREENING AND TESTING FOR CHC PATIENTS

Davenport, IA— In an effort to protect the safety of our patients and staff we will be instituting new screening and service procedures. This will be for established patients of CHC for the time being due to limited resources and capacity.

- 1. CHC is asking all patients to **CALL and SCHEDULE** an appointment prior to coming on-site to our clinics.
- 2. CHC will be screening all established patients at all locations for signs and symptoms consistent with the COVID-19 virus. Established patients who are symptomatic will be seen outside our clinics at our Davenport, Rock Island, Moline and Clinton locations. We will NOT be seeing NEW patients with this process.
- 3. Testing for COVID-19 will be limited for the time being due to limited supplies and staffing. Patients should NOT EXPECT to be tested for COVID-19 unless the provider determines they meet strict criteria.
- 4. As more supplies and testing are made available, we will reassess services at that time.

CHC Dental

All CHC dental clinics will be rescheduling non-emergency dental treatment until the March 31, 2020. The Davenport Dental location, 125 Scott Street, Davenport will continue to see emergency patients only and by appointment only. Patients needing emergency treatment are asked to call ahead for an appointment.

The mission of Community Health Care, Inc. is to provide the communities they serve with excellence in patient-centered medical, dental and behavioral health care that is compassionate, affordable and accessible.

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