

## **Carolina Clinic for Health & Wellness Earns Patient-Centered Medical Home Recognition**

GREENVILLE, NC – March 20, 2018 —The National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) recently announced that Carolina Clinic for Health & Wellness, a multi-specialty medical clinic in Greenville, NC has received NCQA Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) Recognition for combining teamwork, new team members, and information technology to improve care, improve patients' experience and reduce costs. This distinction recognizes practices that foster ongoing partnerships between patients and their personal clinicians.

“This recognition is an important accomplishment and underscores our commitment to providing the very best care to our patients,” said Dr. Gary C. Jones. “Receiving the highest level of accreditation as a Patient-Centered Medical Home is a symbol of Core Physicians' dedication to placing patients in the center. We do this by building strong relationships between patients and their care teams.”

As established leaders in their respective fields, Dr. Jones (*Primary Care*), Dr. Knuckles (*Gynecology*) and Dr. Woodroffe (*Primary Care*) are supported by a cohesive team of physicians. Carolina Clinic for Health & Wellness provides comprehensive solutions from Primary Care to Cardiology, Sleep Medicine, Gynecology & Women's Health, Psychology, Obesity Medicine and Aesthetics. These practitioners sustain expert care within our practice, and provide an abundance of resources and treatments for our patients.

The PCMH model allows the Clinic to foster ongoing partnerships between patients and their personal clinicians, instead of approaching care as the sum of episodic office visits. Each patient's care is overseen by clinician-led care teams that coordinate treatment across the health care system.

“A great deal of work by our team of physicians and staff led to this award and we are both honored and happy to bring a high level of care to our patients and education to our residents in the Greenville area,” said Dr. Lee A. Surkin, Founder and President of Carolina Clinic for Health & Wellness. “We're incredibly proud of these providers and the entire team for the hard work that went into receiving these recognitions. Their dedication to quality and a patient centered approach to care has made this possible.”

The Carolina Clinic for Health & Wellness now offers extended hours and same-day appointments for its Primary Care practice. For more information, or to request an appointment, visit [www.carolina-clinic.com](http://www.carolina-clinic.com) or call (252) 757-3939.