Volunteers In Medicine Gautier

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Showing God's love in a practical way...

August 14, 2013

We would like to cordially invite you to be our guest at Volunteers in Medicine Gautier's "Lighting the Way to a Healthier Community" Event. This will be held at Pelican Landing on Thursday, September 12th at 6pm. According to the Mississippi Health Advocacy Program, more than 519,000 Mississippians are currently without health insurance. 140,324 are in nearby communities, including ours. An increasing number of working Mississippians do not have health insurance and are choosing not to seek healthcare because of the rising costs. Volunteers in Medicine Gautier seeks to make a difference in that trend.

We are looking forward to seeing you at this event. Enclosed are your complimentary tickets. Please RSVP to Amber 497-9713 by September 9, 2013.

Who Can Receive Care?

The VIMG Clinic provides free medical services to uninsured adults who would otherwise be unable to afford health care.

Many citizens living or working in George and Jackson County have no access to health care. You may be one of them: People with a need which has been un-met until now.

Many Thanks to Our Partners:

- Abundant Life Christian Center, Gautier
- Coastal MS Healthcare Fund, Inc.
- Dr. Frank Winn
- Dr. James Halbrook
- Foster's AC, Gautier
- Jerry Lee's
- Digestive Health Center (Ocean Springs)
- Southern MS Heart Center

If you are interested in becoming a partner, contact us at 228-497-9713

To become a patient or volunteer, please contact:

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So, How Can I Help?

VIMG is operated entirely on the generosity of contributors like you, who share our vision of quality health care for our uninsured neighbors and friends. We are in need of those who will partner with the Clinic through financial contributions or donations of supplies and equipment. No donation amount is too large or too small; We need YOU!

For more information, please contact our Office Manager, Amber Lusby at
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Community Garden

Free Vegetables when Available

Sponsored by

Abundant Life Christian Center
Gulf Breeze Landscaping
St. John's Episcopal Church
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Volunteers in Medicine Gautier Clinic, Inc. is a 501(c)3 authorized charitable organization. Contributions are tax deductible as permitted by the IRS regulations.

The Treatment is *Free*, The Care is Priceless.

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SHOWING GOD'S LOVE IN A PRACTICAL WAY

Our Mission

"To understand and serve the health and wellness needs of the medically under-served who live or work in the coastal areas of Jackson and George Counties, Mississippi."

Our Vision

"May we have eyes to see those rendered invisible and excluded, open arms and hearts to reach out and include them, healing hands to touch their lives with love and in the process, heal ourselves."

Our People

This Clinic is possible because we have a tremendous staff of volunteer health care professionals and caring personnel who are giving of themselves each week in fulfillment of God's call to show His love in a practical way.

Our Goal

Our goal is to provide Primary Health Care to the working uninsured of Jackson and George Counties!

Services

Doctors, Nurse Practitioners, nurses and other volunteers provide a variety of routine medical services at the Clinic.

Regular areas of care include:

- Physical Examinations
- General Medicine
- Cardiology
- Pulmonary
- Healthy Lifestyles

Clinic Hours

The Clinic is open for patient care **by appointment only** during the following hours:

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Walk-ins will be seen **only if** time permits.

Administrative offices are open
MONDAY through FRIDAY

Transportation is available with advance notice.

How much does it cost?

*Care is provided absolutely **free** to those eligible for the Clinic's services, based on the following requirements. There are no charges, no bills, and no insurance forms to complete.*

• We do ask for donations for lab work •

Eligibility Requirements

1. You must live or work in the Jackson or George County area for at least (3) months .
2. You may not have any form of Health insurance, including Medicare/ Medicaid.
3. You may not earn more than 200% of the Federal Poverty Level, as outlined in the chart below.

2011 Countable Income Limits

Family Size	Gross Annual Income	Gross Monthly Income
1	$20,800	$1,734
2	28,000	2,334
3	35,200	2,934
4	42,400	3,534
5	49,600	4,134
6	56,800	4,734
7	64,000	5,334
8	71,200	5,934
9	78,400	6,534
10	85,600	7,134