Family Health Centers

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There are five Family Health Centers throughout Nassau County— each addressing the day-to-day needs of patients dealing with economic hardship, insufficient insurance coverage and pressing medical issues. Each of these health facilities is designated as Patient-Centered Medical Home Level 3 providing essential, quality health care for everyone in the neighborhood

regardless of income, residency or immigration status.

Fully integrated with Nassau University Medical Center and the Nassau Health Care Corporation, NuHealth Family Health Centers are co-operated with the Long Island Federally Qualified Health Center, Inc.— providing on-site, primary care services in internal medicine, women's health, pediatric care and family planning. Behavioral counseling is available, as is a full suite of dental services in select offices. Expanded office hours accommodate patient schedules, and an exceptional medical staff is there to help with obtaining specialty care, reduced-cost prescription medications and free and low-cost health-insurance

coverage. The centers facilitate patient prescription requests through the center's registration desk, by phone, or by pharmacy fax.

Each Family Health Center is staffed with an experienced primary care medical team, as well as skillful social-service professionals who coordinate external health care services. Once a medical history is completed, and a treatment plan is determined, these health care coordinators recommend and contact health specialists, treatment providers and hospitals, schedule appointments, and file prescriptions. The staff can also write and file medical authorization letters, and assist with medical forms.

In each health center, physicians apply evidence-based medicine to formulate medical options and coordinate the most effective treatments possible. They work closely with patients on a responsible course of health care self-management, instructing them in home-care treatment regimens and providing them with self-help maintenance logs and reminders.

NUMC is proud to be associated with a program that brings top-tier, affordable health care to many of Long Island's most vulnerable communities.





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