



# Health Care Happenings

A Pueblo Community Health Center Update

1st Quarter 2018

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## Pueblo Community College Partnership

Getting health care when you need it, and where you need it, is critical. To further enhance access for our patients, Pueblo Community Health Center is proud to announce the opening of our newest wellness center at Pueblo Community College-Pueblo campus (900 W. Orman Avenue, MT 118). The site is PCHC's sixth school-based clinic, and is in addition to locations at County, East, Centennial and Central High Schools and Risley International Academy of Innovation.

PCC students, staff, faculty and family members can seek primary care at the clinic, and as a patient of PCHC, other amenities are also available. In addition to primary care, services offered at other locations include obstetrical, podiatry, and behavioral health and dental care, as well as access to lab, pharmacy, and specialty referrals.

Pueblo Community Health Center is proud to partner with Pueblo Community College. Convenient, affordable access enables students, employees, and family members the opportunity to seek care when they need it and where they need it. Promoting health, wellness, and prevention is at the heart of PCHC's work in the community. To learn more about how you can become a patient of PCHC, or seek care at the PCC site, please call PCHC at 543-8711 or the PCC site directly at 549-3315.

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## Letter from the CEO

Dear Friends,

Last Spring, I received an email from Dr. Patty Erjavec, President of Pueblo Community College (PCC), in which she asked Pueblo Community Health Center to consider being responsible for the operation of the campus student health center. The PCC health center had been serving students for almost seven years and was contributing to student success. The retirement of the center's physician caused Dr. Erjavec to explore alternatives for sustaining health services, which led to her contacting me.

The most compelling reason for PCC and PCHC to collaborate was a shared target population. PCC's students and PCHC's patients have common attributes in terms of demographic profile and experience barriers to accessing an education and health care. Dr. Erjavec was familiar with PCHC's excellent track record rendering primary care in Pueblo City Schools and District 70, and she was seeking a reputable, high quality primary care provider for her students and staff. We spent the summer planning an implementation and PCHC "went live" at PCC at the end of last September.


My hat goes off to Dr. Erjavec for seeking a collaborative solution to her student's needs. I am also, on behalf of all PCHC board of directors and employees, humbled and gratified that PCHC bubbled to the top of her mind when she sought an organization with a history of reliable community service and quality of care.

We are seeing the activity at the student health center grow, which is directly attributable to the wonderful staff who serve the students/patients. The services can be conveniently accessed, and the care delivery is comprehensive. There isn't a primary care need a student has that PCHC can't provide, including pharmacy, lab, and linkages to specialty, behavioral, and oral health care. Our patient satisfaction surveys are thus far very high.

A notable feature of Pueblo is the cooperation and collaboration that exists in our community. I think PCC and PCHC have put into place such an effort that is emblematic of these virtues.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



Donald Moore, CEO

Pueblo Community Health Center



## Giving to PCHC Changes Lives

For 35 years, PCHC has served the health care needs of the people of Pueblo and Huerfano counties, regardless of a patient's ability to pay. If you choose to contribute, it enables us to continue to offer expanded services that include primary medical, dental, behavioral health, and pharmacy services.

All funds raised through this plea will be allocated to our Foundation for future health center needs. Any donation is appreciated and no gift is too small. Your support will make a difference in the lives of the people who trust their health needs to our providers.

If you would like to learn more about naming opportunities or planning for larger gifts, please contact Laura Kelly, Chief Development and Foundation Officer at (719) 543-8718 x 152 or email [lkelly@pueblochc.org](mailto:lkelly@pueblochc.org). Thank you for caring about those in need.

## *Mission*

Since 1983, Pueblo Community Health Center has provided primary care to those in need

## Meet Lynne Evetts, FNP-C

**Years with PCHC:** I started 12/1/1998 but after 5 years, I changed to PRN for 14 years until returning full time 5 months ago.

**What you do at PCHC:** Family Nurse Practitioner

**Where are you from:** Lafayette, CO area

**Where did you go to school:** I started college at CSU, Ft. Collins but finished my BSN at University of Colorado Health Science Center. I earned my MSN/FNP at University of New Mexico in Albuquerque

**Hobbies/Interests:** Hiking, biking, traveling, reading, music

**Favorite food/restaurant:** Sushi, Japanese food

**Favorite movie:** The Spiderman movies are fun

**Favorite music/band:** Country music may be my favorite, but I enjoy classical, jazz and some pop music

**Favorite place to vacation:** Anywhere with my family

**Most surprising talent:** Marching band conductor

**Most rewarding aspect of your job:** Bringing people into health care through a door they didn't have access to before



## Locations

**Colorado Avenue Clinic**  
300 Colorado Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81004  
(719) 543-8711

**Pharmacy & Administrative Services**  
(Patient Registration, Patient Accounts & Human Resources)  
110 East Routt Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81004  
(719) 476-0214 (Pharmacy)  
(719) 543-8711 (Administration)

**Park Hill Clinic & Pharmacy**  
1302 East 5th Street  
Pueblo, Colorado 81001  
(719) 543-8711 (Medical)  
(719) 476-0220 (Pharmacy)

**O'Rourke Dental Clinic**  
2030 Lake Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81004  
(719) 543-8711

**Avondale Clinic**  
328 Avondale Boulevard  
Avondale, Colorado 81022  
(719) 543-8711

**Grand Avenue Clinic**  
1008 North Grand Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81003  
(719) 543-8711

**Centennial High School-Based Wellness Center**  
2525 Mountview Drive  
Pueblo, CO 81008  
(719) 543-8711

**Central High School-Based Wellness Center**  
216 East Orman Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81004  
(719) 543-8711

**East High School-Based Wellness Center**  
9 MacNeil Road  
Pueblo, Colorado 81001  
(719) 549-7730

**Pueblo County High School-Based Wellness Center**  
1050 35th Lane  
Pueblo, Colorado 81006  
(719) 543-8711

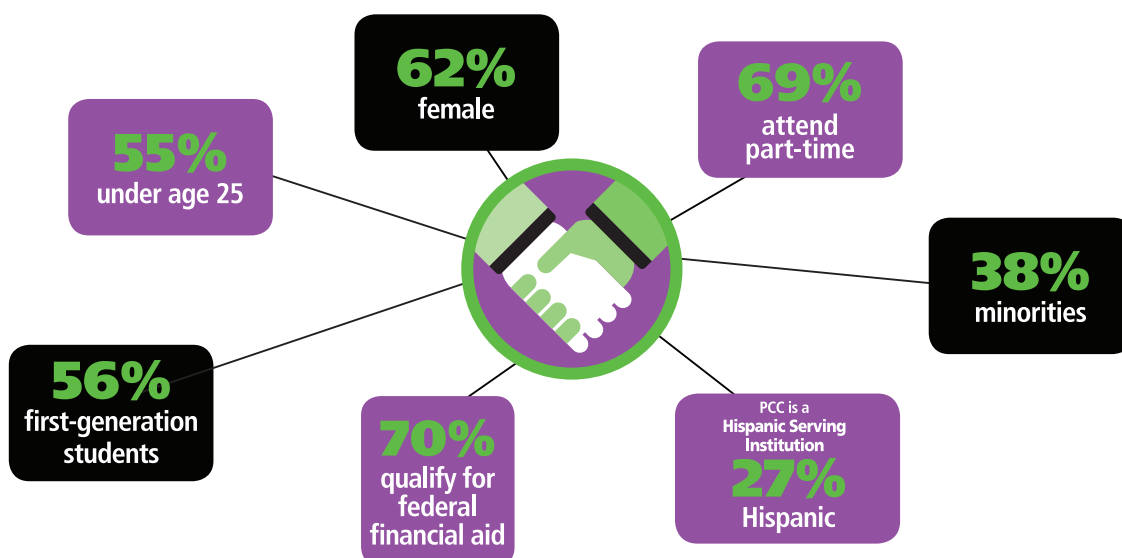
**Risley International School-Based Wellness Center**  
625 Monument Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81001  
(719) 543-8711

**Pueblo Community College The Student Health Clinic**  
900 W. Orman Avenue, MT 118  
Pueblo, CO 81004  
(719) 543-8711

**Walsenburg OB Clinic**  
129 Kansas Avenue  
Walsenburg, Colorado 81089  
(719) 543-8711

**Administration & Foundation**  
112 East Pitkin Avenue  
Pueblo, Colorado 81004  
(719) 543-8711

## Pueblo Community College Enrollment by the Numbers



Data as of Fall 2017

## Vision

To be the primary health care provider of choice in Pueblo County by providing top quality care through accessibility, leadership and financial independence



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***Have you remembered us in your will or trust? Please contact us to learn more  
(719) 543-8718 x152 or lkelly@pueblochc.org.***

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