

PPG PROVIDER LIAISON NEWS

Welcoming New Providers



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PPG - Endocrinology

The PPG - Endocrinology team is dedicated to supporting our providers and patients to ensure the best possible care. We believe in effective communication and collaboration to achieve optimal outcomes. The **PPG Endocrinology Referral FAQ** outlines essential order reminders and referral guidelines to streamline the process and enhance patient care.

PPG - Endocrinology Providers



From Left to right: Jeffrey Boord, MD, Jeremy Grogg, MD, Sana Qureshi, DO, Emily Schroeder, MD, Alexandra De Lellis, NP, Jessica Escobar, NP, Phillip Bassett, NP, Stacy Kahl, NP, Kayleigh Land, NP and Amanda Warner, NP

Specialty Communication

- ❖ **Rheumatology Referral Information**
- ❖ **Heart Smart CT Brochure – Updated Criteria in link**
 - **Men between the ages of 40-75***
 - **Women between the ages 45-75***

*Family history may mean earlier screening is recommended when a person's age falls outside recommended parameters, a physician's referral will be required.
- ❖ **PPG - Weight Management Guidelines for Referrals:**
 - BMI equal or greater than 30
 - BMI equal or greater than 27 with obesity related comorbidities
 - Binge eating with overweight/obesity
 - Inappropriate referrals: Normal BMI and active eating disorder

PPG Changes

- ❖ **Leaving**
 - John Fouts, MD – Pulm Critical Care – effective 3/31/24 (retiring)
 - Richard Kelty, MD – Family Medicine – effective 3/30/24 (retiring)
 - Mark Adams, MD – Pediatrics – effective 3/29/24 (retiring)
 - Mariajose Roja DeLeon, MD – Oncology – effective 3/29/24
 - Mary Bullis, NP – Oncology – effective 3/27/24
 - Bernadette Clark, NP – Virtual WIC – effective 3/24/24
 - Laura Folds, NP – Psychiatry – effective 3/22/24
 - April Anderson, NP – Psychiatry – effective 3/22/24
 - Ricardo Marrero-Torres, MD – Oncology – effective 3/15/24
 - Ece Ozen, MD – Hospital Medicine – effective 3/7/24
 - Alinda Sarma, MD – Hospital Medicine – effective 3/6/24
 - Mary “Molly” Lopez, NP – Oncology – effective 3/3/24
- ❖ **Office Changes**
 - Employer Clinics, Noble – 1844 Ida Red Rd., Kendallville, IN (new clinic)
 - PPG – Pediatrics, Southwest – 8028 Carnegie Blvd. Ste 100, Ft Wayne, IN (moved)