

HopeHealth Celebrated National Health Center Week



HopeHealth celebrated **National Health Center Week** with employee appreciation activities, advocacy efforts, and community events. National Health Center Week is held every August to bring awareness to the importance of community health centers like HopeHealth. Employees received tokens of appreciation and were encouraged to take selfies and share them with the #NHCW24 hashtag during Social Media Day on Friday.

HopeHealth in Orangeburg partnered with the Orangeburg Chamber of Commerce to host



a Lunch and Learn on rheumatology, presented by Martin Weiss, MD, FACR. Senator Brad Hutto attended the event, showing support for community health centers in South Carolina. To learn more about advocating for community health centers, visit **hcadvocacy.org**.



The week's activities also included the HopeHealth in Manning Reopening and Pharmacy Showcase, hosted in partnership with **Clarendon County Chamber of Commerce**. Attendees enjoyed hors d'ouevres and learned about the services offered at **HopeHealth in Manning**, including pediatrics, primary care, and endocrinology. They also had the chance to tour the new specialty wing, which includes the new **HopeHealth Pharmacy**. For more information about HopeHealth in Manning, call **(843) 433-4321** or visit **hope-health.org**

Welcome New Providers



Charles Webb, MD, FACOG Women's Health Physician HopeHealth Medical Plaza



Arwa Chaiwala, DDS Dentist HopeHealth in Lake City



Hallsy Kellar, LPC-A Counselor HopeHealth on Palmetto Street



Wilhelmenia Patterson, PA-C Physician Assistant HopeHealth on Palmetto Street



Guice Solakogiu, MD Endocrinologist HopeHealth Medical Plaza



Vikas Gupta, MD Family Medicine Physician HopeHealth Medical Plaza



Harrison Hyman, PharmD Clinical Pharmacist

HopeHealth and LaNorris Sellers -On Your Team!



LaNorris Sellers is a football player. Not just any football player, but a topperforming quarterback who took the South Florence Bruins all the way to the 2022 high school state championship and is the starting quarterback for the University of South Carolina Gamecocks. He is also a patient at HopeHealth.

"My boys have been going to HopeHealth Pediatrics for years, and I have nothing but good things to say about Dr. Foxworth and the staff," says Cheryl Ford, the proud mother of LaNorris and his two brothers, Jayden and Malik. Being the mother of athletes, Cheryl feels a responsibility to ensure her sons don't just see the doctor when they're sick but also attend their well visits. LaNorris's family firmly believes in the importance of having a primary care provider and credits good health as a big factor in the athletic success of all three boys.

What this family appreciates most about HopeHealth is that care is available for all people, regardless of insurance and financial status. "HopeHealth makes it possible for everyone to receive quality health care. They are such an important resource in our community," states Cheryl. As part of his partnership with HopeHealth, LaNorris has been giving back to the community, too. He helped host a Family Night event benefiting HopeHealth's Compassionate Care Fund, where he answered questions alongside former South Carolina quarterback Connor Shaw and took photos with guests. He also attended a stop on the Heart Healthy Barbershop Tour, which provides free blood pressure screenings at local barbershops. LaNorris met community members and signed autographs while sharing his tips for healthy living.

"My teams have always had my back," says LaNorris. "My health care team at HopeHealth is no different. They have helped me and my family stay healthy at every stage of our lives."

You don't have to be an all-star athlete to have a winning team. Call today at (843) 667-9414 and let HopeHealth be On Your Team.

Teeing Up for the Eighth Year



The eighth annual **HopeHealth Golf Classic** will be held on November 21 at the **Wyboo Golf Club** in Manning. Open to all, the tournament is a four-man captain's choice with a shotgun start at 11:45am.

Tournament includes 18 holes of golf with a cart, a buffet lunch, and awards. Mulligans will be for sale and awards include the longest drive and closest to the pin. All proceeds from this tournament benefit the **HopeHealth Compassionate Care Fund.**

Teams are currently sold out for this event, but sponsorships and team waiting list spots are still available. To find out more, contact Charlee Rhodes at **crhodes@hope-health.org**. The deadline is **November 14**.

HopeHealth Pharmacy Pine Needles Expands Hours



HopeHealth Pharmacy Pine Needles, located at 3380 Pine Needles Road in Florence, has expanded its hours to better serve patients. The pharmacy is now open Monday - Friday from 8 AM - 7 PM and Saturday from 9 AM - 2 PM. For more information, call the pharmacy at **(843) 620-3042**.

HopeHealth Partners with INNERSOLE



HopeHealth hosted a "Best Foot Forward" at the Kingstree Recreation Center in partnership with **Williamsburg Pharmacy** and **INNERSOLE.** The back-toschool event provided over 100 pre-selected Williamsburg County students with free sneakers. INNERSOLE is led by president and co-founder Coach **Dawn Staley** (South Carolina Gamecocks women's basketball head coach). To learn more about our outreach efforts and partnerships, visit **hope-health.org/community.**

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