



ASHE COUNTY FREE MEDICAL CLINIC E-Mail Newsletter

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Clinic volunteers honored at Ashe County's 24th Annual Volunteer recognition ceremony.

Dr. Melinda Wonsick, Clinical Director and Vicky Moody, board member, named Ashe County Volunteers of the Year

Our Mission:

*To understand and
serve the health and
wellness needs of the
medically uninsured
that live or work in
Ashe County*

Dr. Melinda Wonsick, the Medical Director of the clinic was recently honored by Ashe County as the 2009 Volunteer of the Year in the social services category. Dr. Wonsick has been one of the forces behind the success of the Clinic and we are elated to see her honored for her work. In addition to her work at the clinic she is a partner in family practice. She and her husband have one daughter and their second child is due in September.



Dr. Melinda Wonsick, Medical Director

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Medical Clinic

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Vicky Moody was honored as the Volunteer of the year in the individual category. In addition to serving on the Clinic's board, she is also the President of the local Rotary Club, and on the board of the Ashe Arts Council.



Vicky Moody, Board Member

New Executive Director Named

Greg Bolac, a retired banker and former local businessman has been named the Executive Director of the clinic. Prior to his appointment, Greg served as the interim Executive Director and was member of the Board of Directors. Greg brings 30 years of financial management to the clinic which will be of great importance during this period of financial difficulties. Greg and his wife Rozie, an Ashe County native, live in West Jefferson. They have three grown children and three grandchildren. To contact Greg call 846 4649 or email director@acfmc.org

HELP NAME OUR NEWSLETTER

Email us some ideas!

Hours of operation:

Monday 4pm- 6pm for eligibility. Call for appointment.

Tuesday Clinic 8am-5pm – appointments only

Wednesday- Closed

Thursday Clinic 6pm-9pm appointments only

Friday Labs 8am-10am appointments only

Staff

Executive Director

Greg Bolac

Medical Director

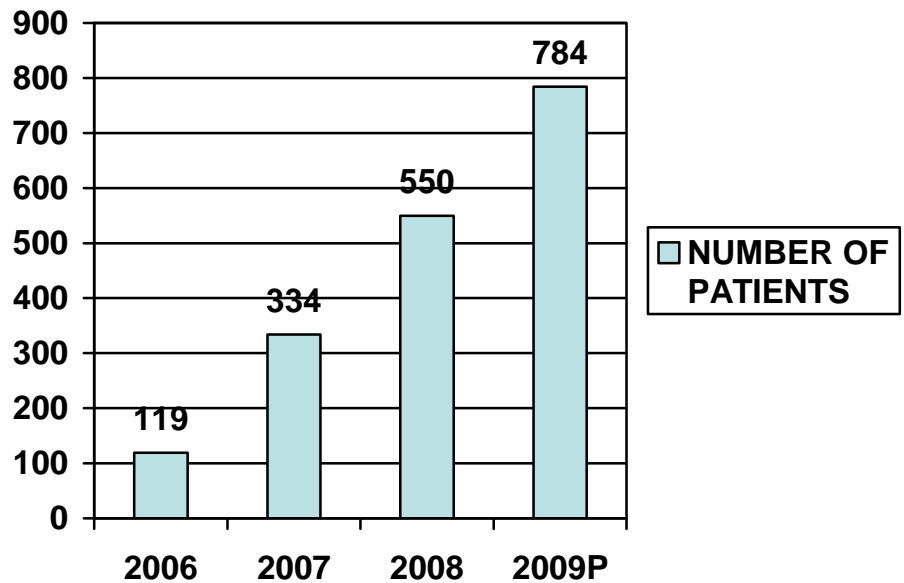
Melinda Wonsick, MD

Patient Care Coordinator

Monica Madden-Lynn

Clinic sees number of patients grow.

Since the Clinic began in 2006 we have seen a steady increase in the number of patients. Starting with 119 in 2006 we project we will be just below 800 by the end of this year! Our ability to help these patients is truly a reflection on the commitment from our volunteers and from our service providers that provide the x-rays, medications, labs and specialists care at a reduced cost or for many at no cost at all.



Upcoming Events

Do you Golf?

The Clinic will be hosting a golf tournament as a fundraiser on **May 28, 2009**. It will be held at the beautiful Jefferson Landing Country Club. If you are interested on playing or sponsoring a hole please contact us at 846 4649 or at director@acfmc.org

Jeff Little concert to benefit the clinic

Mark your calendars for November 14, 2009 and plan to attend the concert of the year!!

ACFMC receives grant from Sisters of Mercy

The Sister of Mercy has awarded the clinic a \$20,000 grant for the purchase of patient prescriptions. The Clinic is extremely grateful for this commitment.

WANT TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE CLINIC?

You can go on our web site at acfmc.org and follow the directions or send your contribution to:

ASHE COUNTY FREE MEDICAL CLINIC

P.O. Box 1506

Jefferson, NC 28640

If you would like to have your contribution spread over the year please contact us at 846 4649 or director@acfmc.org