

means there are many process changes we are working on to increase the quality of our health services, productivity, and ultimately, patient satisfaction and outcomes," said Patrick Gillette, MD, Chief Medical Officer. "Since December of 2013, twelve of fourteen quality indicators monitored by the Department of Health and Human Services as part of our federal operating grant have shown improvement."

Rogue Community Health welcomes all new patients regardless of insurance coverage. It also serves Oregon Health Plan, Medicare members, and individuals with private insurance. The agency is actively recruiting additional providers to increase access to medical appointments. Recently hired are Tamara Houston, PA-C and Amy Davis, FNP. Tamara is seeing new patients in White City and in Ashland. Amy is taking new patients in White City and at the School-Based Health Center at Eagle Point High School.

"The most important thing is the connection with patients," says Karen Elliott, Marketing Director about hiring new provider staff. "Caring for the people we serve is paramount for our providers and staff. As we begin this new chapter in our history, *Rogue Community Health's* culture of caring and service to our patients will be enhanced through these changes."

The Mission of Rogue Community Health is to *promote the health of low-income, working uninsured and other vulnerable children and adults*. Established in 1972 by a group of concerned community residents in Ashland, Oregon, the organization now provides affordable primary and preventive health care services for people of all ages and backgrounds through clinics located in Ashland, Medford, White City, Butte Falls, Prospect and School-Based Health Centers at Eagle Point and Ashland High Schools, and Butte Falls and Prospect Charter Schools. For more information, please call 541-842-7711 or go to our website at: www.communityhealthcenter.org or find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/chcoregon.

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