



## George Regional Health System—Prepared to Care for You

The safety, health, and well-being of our community has always been our top priority. The COVID-19 pandemic has made all of us reevaluate how we do any number of activities, and for many patients, that has included delaying or avoiding seeing a physician.

We understand those concerns, which is why we have been working around the clock to ensure you can get safe, reliable, and immediate medical care at George Regional health System. We are concerned as well because we know that delaying or avoiding care or treatment can lead to significant and serious complications or long-term health problems. The good news is that we are prepared to care for you--whether you are in need of an immunization or emergency medical care.

Our physicians and healthcare workers have already implemented sanitization practices, rigorous screening procedures, and strict visitor policies to create the safest care and treatment environments for our patients.

Seeking medical care is particularly important for those with pre-existing or chronic conditions, including older adults, who tend to have higher rates of cardiovascular disease, diabetes, and other chronic medical conditions. Putting off regular appointments or emergency care can have a considerably high risk, which could cause irreversible damage. This is also true for children and younger adults in need of emergency care due to a traumatic injury or life-threatening circumstance.

The bottom line is that if you need medical care, you can and should visit George Regional Hospital, Greene County Hospital, Community Medical Center, Greene County Family Medical Clinic, or Wiggins Primary Care. We know our patients trust our medical opinion and value the advice we provide, and this time is no different. We urge you to visit our medical clinics or hospitals if you need care, and you can rest assured you will receive the safest, high-quality care you have come to expect.

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