

October 2011

Epic

September 20, the Novant Health Board of Directors unanimously approved plans to partner with EPIC for the implementation of a new health information system. This new technology will be deployed in all Novant acute care facilities, helping us to further advance our goal of “one patient-one record”. The new, integrated system will be known as the Dimensions Project. The benefits are many, and include the ability to share data throughout the continuum of care, thereby improving patient outcomes and reducing costs. The system will also provide the capability to interact meaningfully with patients online, further enhancing the Remarkable Patient Experience. The implementation project will begin in early 2012, and we are planning for our first hospital go-live in the fall of 2013. Deployment will continue for approximately two years.

Flu Clinic

The flu vaccine is now available free of charge for Novant Health employees and all medical staff. Please refer to the following charts as to when and where you may become vaccinated. The Novant Intranet Homepage has a link to all the clinics scheduled ([75+ vaccination clinics](#)).

Case of the Year

Do you have an interesting or unique case that you would like to share with the medical staff? If so, we are currently taking submissions for the annual “Case of the Year” which will be presented at the Medical/Dental Staff Meeting on Tuesday November 15th in the FMC Conference Center. Please submit cases to Rashid Alexander or Dona Deardorff in the Medical Affairs Office.

Forsyth Medical Center		
Date	Time	Location
October 16	8 am- 12 pm	FMC Conference Center
October 20	6 am- 4 pm	FMC Conference Center
October 25	6 am- 4 pm	FMC Conference Center
November 1	7 am- 2 pm	FMC Conference Center
November 8	7 am- 2 pm	FMC Conference Center
November 15	7 am- 2 pm	FMC Conference Center
November 29	7 am- 2 pm	FMC Conference Center

Kernersville Medical Center		
Date	Time	Location
October 12	7 am- 10:30 am	EOH Office
October 19	7:30 am- 10:30 am	EOH Office
Weekend nights	Thurs- Sat. 6 pm- 6 am	Supervisor walk arounds

Medical Park Hospital		
Date	Time	Location
October 18	6 am- 3 pm	Meeting Room 1

Service Standards

Often, our environment is the first opportunity we have to make a good impression. Be mindful of patient sensitivity to sounds, smells, temperature and lighting. Our culture of “First, Do No Harm” includes a keen awareness to those elements that lead to safe care and healing.

Events

- **Vascular Symposium** - October 14th from 8:00 am – 4:00 pm in the FMC Conference Center. Register online to reserve your spot. Click here to view the [Brochure](#).
- **Women’s Health Symposium** - October 21st from 8:00 am – 3:30 pm in the FMC Conference Center. Register online to reserve your spot. Click here to view the [Brochure](#).

To register online for any symposium, please visit www.novanthealth.org/cme.

New Physicians

Boksberger, Terry S., DO

Cane, Laurence Z., DPM

Hoyle, John R., MD

Linkous, Michelle C., DO

Macpherson, Mark I., DO

O'Neil, Mary E., MD

Rojas, Mario A., MD

Sheldon, Scott A., MD

Tatum, Philip M., MD

Weaver, Richard G., Jr, MD

Winn, Dana R., MD

PrimeCare of Kernersville

Mothershed, Mothershed, Arne & Cates

Winston-Salem Cardiology Associates

WFU/BMC Community Physicians Westgate Peds

Winston Salem Health Care

WFU/BMC Community Physicians Westgate Peds

FMC - NICU

Novant Inpatient Care Specialists Palliative Care

Wake Forest Univer. Baptist Neonatal Transport Team

WFU Eye Center

Mountainview Medical