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The Clinic brings award-winning health care to Holdenville

ADA – The Clinic is expanding its service area into Hughes County, bringing award-winning health care to a new location in Holdenville.

Holdenville is now the fifth rural Oklahoma community to host one of The Clinic's healthcare facilities, joining the original location of Konawa, Ada, Seminole, and Stratford. The Holdenville office opens to patients in September.

Julia Dority, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse/Certified Nurse Practitioner (APRN-CNP), will serve as primary care physician at the Holdenville office, located at 324 East Highway, Suite C. She is now accepting new patients.

"I am excited and grateful to begin this new chapter in my career," Dority said. "As someone who both lives in, and has served, this community for many years, caring for people in this area is deeply personal to me. I am looking forward to bringing my experience to this new role and making a meaningful difference close to home."

The Clinic, also known by its formal name of Central Oklahoma Family Medical Center, is a federally qualified health center (FQHC) that provides healthcare services to patient populations in underserved rural areas. As an FQHC, The Clinic must meet a stringent set of requirements that includes providing medical services on a sliding-fee scale based on federal poverty guidelines.

The Clinic has made it a priority to surpass any and all basic care requirements as set forth by the federal government, resulting in a growing collection of coveted quality awards presented by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). In 2026, The Clinic earned HRSA's top distinction, the Health Center Quality Leader Gold Award, a first for The Clinic and the only FQHC in Oklahoma to achieve it this year. The Clinic added six more distinguished HRSA quality awards in 2026, all related to superior patient care.

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“Our aim goes beyond being the best FQHC,” said Liz Massey, Executive Vice President of Clinical Operations. “We want to be the best healthcare provider in our service areas, period. Whether the patient is uninsured or fully insured, the care received will always be of the highest quality. We’re honored to provide services to the people of Holdenville and Hughes County, and we’re excited to welcome new patients into our family.”

To book an appointment with Dority, please call (580) 436-5111.

The Clinic @ Central Oklahoma Family Medical Center is governed by a board of directors, including patients, and remains thoroughly invested in the needs of its patients and service areas. To learn more about The Clinic, The Women’s Clinic, The Kids Clinic, and The Pharmacy, please visit www.cofmc.com.