

# *The Nursing Center for Family Health*

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# *About the Clinic and Teaching Space*

- Five fully outfitted exam rooms
- Procedural/skills room
- Lab room with the capacity for phlebotomy and point of care testing
  - Currently houses a C-arm used by an SLHS research team
- Two small conference rooms
- Double-locked medication room
- Registration desk



# Car Seat Clinic

## Collaboration with Franciscan Health

- Families in the local community came to have their car seat installations checked and receive education on child passenger safety
- Undergraduate students participated in:
  - Documentation for CPSTs
  - Working with children during car seat checks
- Future directions
  - Additional car seat clinics
  - Examining ways to incorporate nursing student clinical hours with public health needs at Franciscan Health



# *Wellness Physicals*

## Collaboration with Purdue University Student Health (PUSH)

- Leah Gwin, FNP and nursing faculty, sees adult patients weekly for preventative health physicals
- Undergraduate students participate in:
  - Patient interaction and education
  - Taking vital signs
  - Completing documentation
  - Giving brief report
  - Assisting with and/or observing the physical exam
- Future directions
  - Increasing appointment availability
  - Graduate student involvement
  - Diversifying contracts with PUSH to support campus population



# *The Curiosity Clinic*

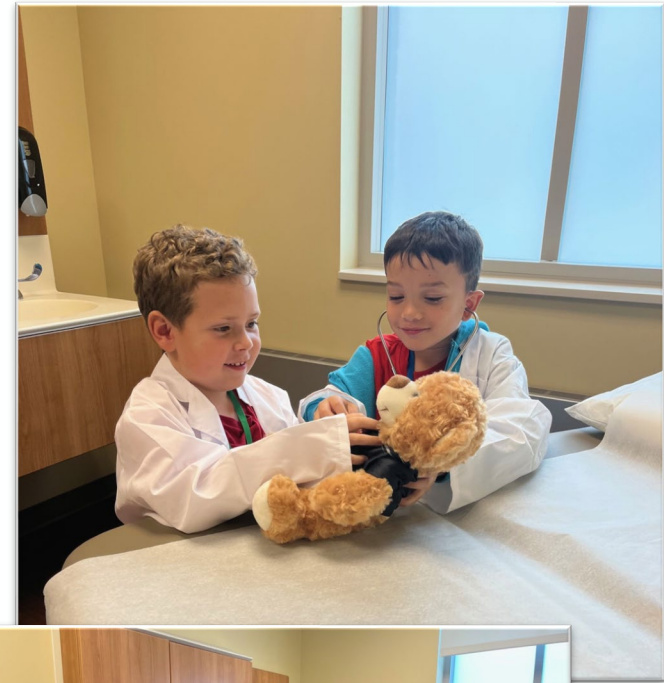
## Collaboration with WonderLand Education

- Children in grades K-2 attended a series of 1-hour classes to learn about health and how their bodies work
- Undergraduate students participated in:
  - Creating age-appropriate educational content
  - Teaching content and adapting their teaching methods to the needs of the children
- Future directions
  - Curiosity Clinic class series for additional age groups

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"[My child] is usually so nervous at the doctor's office, but this time he was so calm! I knew it was because the Curiosity Clinic taught him what to expect."

Parent of a Curiosity Clinic attendee



# *Vaccine Clinics*

Collaborations with the College of Pharmacy, IWRHC, Center for Healthy Living (CHL), and Purdue University Retiree Association (PURA)

**FREE VACCINE CLINIC**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19**  
**9 AM - 3 PM**

**PURDUE CO-REC**  
**BLACK & GOLD GYMS 1 - 3**

**ALL RECOMMENDED VACCINES FOR**  
**ALL AGES ARE AVAILABLE AT**  
**NO COST TO YOU!**

**Including**  
**COVID Booster, HPV, Flu, Shingles,**  
**Meningitis, Tdap, & more!**

**GET VACCINATED &**  
**STAY HEALTHY!**

This event is co-sponsored by the Purdue University Pharmacy, Department of Public Health, and Indiana Immunization Coalition

- Providing IM injections at various vaccine clinics on or near campus including:
  - Flu shot clinics for Purdue retirees
  - Interdisciplinary clinic offering multiple vaccines alongside College of Pharmacy, Dept of Public Health, and IUSM students
- Future directions
  - Participating in and hosting additional vaccine clinics across campus and the Greater Lafayette area

# Wellness Screenings

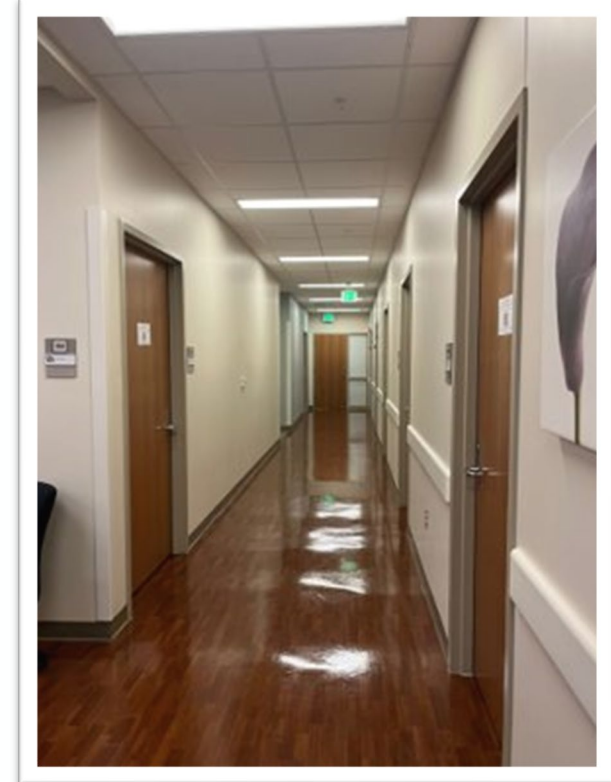
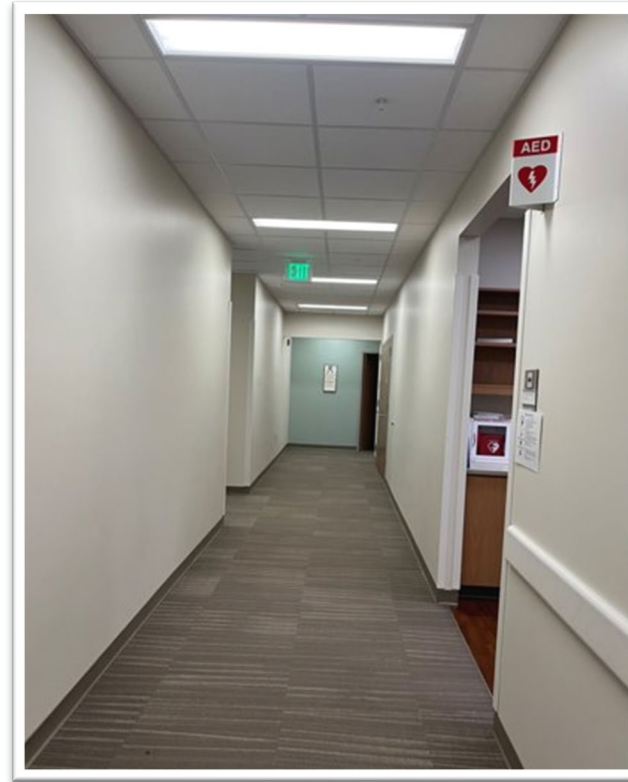
## Collaborations with PURA and Animal Advocates of Greater Lafayette

- Providing wellness screenings to elderly patients as part of health events
- Undergraduate students participate in:
  - Patient interaction and education on results
  - Screening tasks including checking HR, BP, and fingerstick blood glucose and lipid panel
  - Completing documentation
- Future directions
  - Increased offerings to a wider population as walk-up screenings around campus
  - Continued addition of screenings as needed at other NCFH programs



# ....And More!

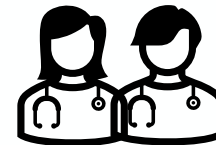
- NCFH as a unique gallery space
  - Future involvement aims to examine the interaction of art and health with nursing and art student collaborations
- Additional Spring 2024 opportunities in progress:
  - SpringFest
  - Grandparents University



# *How Can We Work Together?*

The NCFH's mission is to highlight nursing practice and the Purdue School of Nursing through meaningful, innovative educational opportunities and health services to faculty, students, and the greater community.

We are always looking for new opportunities to collaborate in events, educational programs, and interprofessional work across departments, companies, and the community at the NCFH!



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# *Thank You!*

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# *Meeting Adjourned*

Have a great day!