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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

As we continue our 70th Anniversary throughout this year, we are extremely excited to bring you this special issue of Health Partners magazine. CRMC would not be the state-of-the-art, regional hospital it is today without the pioneering physicians

who forged the way. With the help of many of our physicians – past and present – we have been able to highlight these physicians for you. It is with sincere gratitude we dedicate this publication to them.

Our surgical services team has an incredible new “cryoneurolysis” procedure that harnesses the power of cold to immediately reduce pain. This new procedure allows doctors to deliver precise, controlled doses of cold temperature to targeted nerves through a handheld device. Read more on page 9.

Our hospital staff and physicians are extremely proud to announce our “Gold Seal of Approval” from our accreditation survey from The Joint Commission. I hope you will read about this achievement on page 10 along with the ACR Accreditation we received for our 3D mammography. CRMC is focused on providing you the very best care – and these accreditations show our commitment. We are focused on quality and your satisfaction. That’s why we volunteer to undergo these accreditations. Quality is important across an organization – not just one service area. We are the only hospital in the region to be accredited by The Joint Commission.

Dr. Whitney Cline, pediatric medicine, came to us last year from Tulsa and has already made a huge impact on our regional children. On page 11 you will read about her new “Sunflower Book Club”. It’s an incentive program for children ages newborn to six years. Reading is an essential part of a child’s early life and Dr. Cline wants to help!

There is so much great information packed in this issue. CRMC wants you and your family to have all the education you need to lead healthy lives. We are here to help you in any way.

Enjoy your summer – spend time with your families and friends. And remember to be good to yourself by taking some time to do things you love to do.

Yours in Health,

Lori Rexwinkle, MSN
Chief Executive Officer

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On the cover:

Some of the Medical Pioneering physicians at a meeting.
Photo Courtesy of Dr. Paul Sandhu.

MEDICAL PIONEERS

AT COFFEYVILLE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER



Who paved the way and who is leading the **new wave**.

Building of a new hospital in 1949 was much more than just brick and mortar, medical equipment and furnishings. It required staffing it with doctors, nurses and other medical personnel. These are some of the early physicians who pioneered the way to make Coffeyville Regional Medical Center what it is today.

Dr. Stephen Ellis was perhaps one of the first pioneers in the Coffeyville medical community. He began his practice before Coffeyville Memorial Hospital was built.



Dr. Stephen Ellis' life spanned a time from William Howard Taft to Ronald Reagan. He experienced the Great Depression, which affected him greatly; he saw the effects of WWII; he experienced the contrast in medicine from the country doctor who treated his patients for all ailments to an era of specialization. He saw the changes happening with hospitals saying, "Most hospitals used to be subsidized by individual gifts or the city picked up the debts. Now, they have to be entirely self-supporting. The hospital used to be primarily a humanitarian institution. Now it has changed to a business."

A hometown boy, Dr. Stephen Ellis grew up in Coffeyville. His dream was to become a doctor. He

was fortunate to know Dr. Fred Duncan who took the young Ellis under his wing to encourage him on that path. In 1936, Ellis graduated from the Washington School of Medicine in St. Louis, followed by a three-year surgical residence at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, and after serving as a surgeon at an Oklahoma City clinic.

It was 1941 when he started his private practice and delivered his first of many babies. During his long practice he performed 10,000 - 12,000 surgeries and delivered over 5,000 babies. He had a strong faith saying, "Religion and medicine work together." "God heals the patient; the doctor collects the fee." After a long career, Dr. Ellis retired, closing his clinic in 1982. He was an inspiration and a mentor to many of the new doctors who came to Coffeyville.

The Stephen Ellis Scholarship was established in his memory. For details, you can contact the foundation office, 620-252-1674 or email Cari Redden, foundation@crmcinc.org or go to the CRMC website www.crmcinc.org/foundation.

Dr. Robert Dickinson was a product of the Coffeyville School system, was trained and served in the military during the war and joined his father in private practice of medicine in Coffeyville. He was one of the founding members of CRMC in 1949. With his experience in the army, he brought in orthopedic surgical practice and general practice to Coffeyville. He delivered babies. Steve Rauch, one of Dr. Dickinson's first few deliveries at CRMC remembers him as Dr. "Bob", which most of his patients called him.

Dr. J.M. Dickinson and Dr. J.D. McMillion were physicians who started out at the Southeast Kansas Hospital (one of the first hospitals built in Coffeyville) located on the southwest corner of the intersection of Elm and West 10th street. Southeast Kansas Hospital was built in 1915 and had 20 physicians and surgeons at the time working in this small hospital. Dr. Stephen Ellis was one of the last physicians to join on staff at this hospital until a new one was built in 1949. Dr. J.D. McMillion served on the Hospital Advisory Committee and was a big advocate for getting the hospital built. In July 1947, during the ground breaking ceremony, Dr. McMillion spoke on behalf of the Hospital Advisory Committee, described the new hospital as "a tree of life to this community" and that he and members of his profession deeply appreciate the support given by the people of Coffeyville.

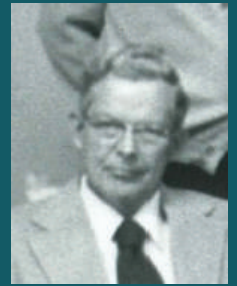
Dr. William H. Campbell was the first Board Certified Ophthalmologist in the offices of the medical clinic of Dr. Stephen Ellis. He came to Coffeyville in 1971 and served the Coffeyville community for 32 years.



A Kansas boy, Dr. Campbell grew up north of Topeka and attended the University of Kansas, graduating with an MD degree in 1965. During medical school, he joined the U.S. Navy and did a civilian internship at Michigan where he became interested in ophthalmology. Following his internship, he served as a ship's physician for an eight-ship convoy. After his tour at sea, Dr. Campbell was accepted into an ophthalmology residency at Oak Knoll Navy Hospital in Oakland, CA. He then served as a staff ophthalmologist at Long Beach Navy Hospital. It was during that period, that Dr. John Coyle, I, recruited him to come to Coffeyville and Dr. Ellis built an office space across from the hospital.

After 32 years of serving the community Dr. Campbell retired and recruited another Ophthalmologist, Dr. Garrick Rettele. Rettele came in 1996 and eventually took over his practice and all of his surgical responsibilities. Dr. Rettele still practices in Coffeyville today at Southeast Kansas Eye Care, LLC. which is located inside CRMC Medical Group Specialty Clinic at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center on the 3rd Floor.

Dr. John "Jack" F. Coyle I is remembered as a pioneer for establishing a critical care unit for coronary patients and was also a 2nd generation physician, as his father was a physician as well. In 1968 an intensive coronary care unit was opened at Coffeyville Memorial Hospital (now Coffeyville Regional Medical Center). The unit cost approximately \$2,000, with an additional \$26,000 for cardiac equipment. It was staffed with specially trained nurses who kept careful watch over their patients 24 hours a day. In 1989 the unit was named in Dr. Coyle's memory. Dr. Coyle helped in recruiting many other physicians in various specialties. He was also known for his close contact with KU Medical Center and brought in Continuing Education to all of the CRMC staff during his tenure.



He and his wife, Winifred, were heavily invested in the betterment of Coffeyville. Winifred was the librarian at Holy Name School and was a volunteer for the Red Cross and for Hospice. She also served as an auxiliary member at the hospital. Their son, Dr. John F. Coyle, II, followed in his father's footsteps, becoming a Cardiologist and practicing at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center for many years. Upon Dr. John F. Coyle, II's retirement, Dr. Anderson Merhle, Interventional Cardiologist, came on board with Coffeyville Regional Medical Center and has been serving the community of Coffeyville for over 10 years now. Dr. Merhle sees patients in the Outpatient Services Department located inside the Tatman Cancer Center at CRMC.

Dr. William Read was one of the first pioneers who worked to bring a hospital to Coffeyville. He was a lifelong resident of Coffeyville, graduating from Field Kindley High School and Coffeyville Junior College (as it was known then) in 1935. He said that he was inspired by Dr. Ellis to go into the field of medicine. Dr. Read served the community for 41 years and delivered more than 3,000 babies. He held many offices and served on many committees over the years, including Chief of Staff. He was the recipient of the second Hall of Fame award, and held the longest service record in CRMC's history. His wife, Marjorie Read was the first woman mayor of Coffeyville, and she served as president of the Board at the college.



Dr. Read's legacy lives on to this day with the Dr. William Read Medical Scholarship Fund that was established 25 years ago. It provides financial assistance to area medical students or doctors. For details, go to: www.crmcinc.org/foundation

Dr. James Wilson joined Coffeyville Memorial Hospital (CRMC) as a pathologist and coroner of Montgomery County in 1972. Prior to coming to Coffeyville, he had a teaching position at the University of Missouri School of Medicine in Kansas City. He also served in the U.S. Army for two years and was a commander of a rifle unit during the Korean conflict.



Dr. Wilson was a key component of bringing around 30 physicians to Coffeyville. He conducted over 150 interviews and made over 500 phone calls to physicians all over the country to be re-located to Southeast Kansas. Some physicians in town consider him a parent in medicine. Not only was Dr. Wilson known for bringing in multiple doctors, he was also the Medical Director of Laboratory and Histology Departments. Wilson was able to bring in a lot of automated machinery into the lab which helped improve accuracy of the tests and helped reduce the amount of the technician's time in performing certain tests.

Dr. Wilson was one of the first of the new medical community to make Coffeyville his home. He and his wife, Mary, had five sons and made their home here in Coffeyville, where Mary continues to live.

The James Wilson Scholarship was established in his memory. For details go to www.crmcinc.org/foundation

Dr. Wilson Uy was a pathologist who brought to CRMC the technology of frozen section services that helped the surgical care of the patients. This allowed the patient to have one surgical operation instead of three operations at three different dates. This saved the patient's time and helped aid in the recovery process.



He studied pathology at the University of Missouri in Columbia, Missouri where he was a resident physician for the medical school's pathology department. He joined the Coffeyville medical community in 1973, in association with Dr. James Wilson.

Dr. Uy's family included his wife, Sandra and two children, Rosalynda and Nathan. Son, Nathan grew up in Coffeyville and followed in his father's footsteps by becoming a doctor. Dr. Nathan Uy is a Radiation Oncologist, and he continues to serve the Coffeyville community, coming from Tulsa weekly to see his patients at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center.

CRMC has been able to recruit many great pathologists to our area. Upon Dr. Uy's passing, Dr. Raymond Hawley became the pathologist for CRMC in 1996 and retired in 2012. Dr. Chitra Kohli now serves as the pathologist at CRMC and has been serving our community for seven years.

Dr. Kenneth Parker was the first family physician to join CRMC after a gap of 25 years and worked with Dr. Paul Sandhu and Dr. John F. Coyle, I.



Dr. Parker was native to Crete, Nebraska and received his undergraduate degree from Doane College at Crete and did a year of graduate work at the University of Nebraska. He earned his doctor of Osteopathy from the Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine and interned one year at a hospital at Garden City, Michigan prior to coming to Coffeyville.

Dr. Parker started a trend and brought in more physicians like Dr. Gillis and Dr. Christensen. At one time, Dr. Paul Sandhu and Dr. Parker jointly developed the 8th Street and the 7th Street medical buildings. Dr. Parker founded Family Practice Clinic located at 209 W. 7th Street, which is still there today. Dr. Gillis was still with Coffeyville Family Practice upon his retirement in December of 2018, and Dr. Christensen still has his office and sees patients out of the building.

Dr. Parker and his wife Linda lived in Coffeyville with their three children, Wendy, Paul and Kristen until he retired.

Dr. Paul Sandhu, General Surgeon, was recruited to Coffeyville in 1973 and was joined in his 8th Street clinic by his wife, Dr. Geeta Sandhu in 1975. Prior to coming to Coffeyville, Dr. Sandhu was a part of the Veterans Administration (Commonly referred to as "the VA;" the organization provided patient care, veterans' benefits, and other services to veterans of the U.S. armed forces and their families) from 1967-1973.



Dr. Paul (as he is commonly called) performed surgeries not previously performed locally, such as carotid artery surgery, complicated cancer surgeries, and was instrumental in the first radiation treatment program for cancer. Laparoscopic surgery had been around for a while, but the introduction of fiber optics cameras and monitoring equipment greatly enhanced the surgical procedures. The surgical site was very clearly displayed on a monitor visible to all involved in the procedure. It brought new applications for gallbladder, pelvic surgery, diagnostic abdominal surgery, lymph node dissection and others. Drs. Sandhu and Bernard Howerter (urologist) both used the new technology for their surgeries. The new surgical technique was less invasive with a smaller incision, allowing the patient to recover much faster.

Dr. Paul Sandhu's pioneering spirit paved the way for excellence in surgical services and the ability for CRMC to recruit exceptional general surgeons such as Michelle McGuirk, MD, and Aaron Russell, MD – CRMC's current

general surgeons. Dr. McGuirk and Dr. Russell see patients at CRMC Medical Group Specialty Clinic located inside Coffeyville Regional Medical Center on the third floor.

Dr. Geeta Sandhu, was known for being the first woman Family Medicine physician ever in Coffeyville. She really paved the way and opened new doors for women in her medical profession during the mid 70's. She was also known for delivering many, many babies into this world. In 2005, the Geeta Sandhu Women's Health Center at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center was named in her honor.



Dr. Allen Gillis, Family Practice, came to Coffeyville in 1977 and was actually recruited by Dr. Stephen Ellis and Dr. Kenneth Parker. He said prior to becoming a doctor he was a pharmacist for four years in Gladstone, Missouri. Gillis grew up on a farm in Mound City, Missouri, a small rural community of 1200 people. He also served in the 325th General Hospital Army Reserve Unit in Kansas City, Missouri.



Dr. Gillis opened his practice with his associate Dr. Parker in 1977, serving Southeast Kansas and Northeast Oklahoma in the areas of pediatrics, family medicine, and internal medicine for 42 years. Dr. Gillis retired from practice in December of 2018. For many of his patients he was their one and only physician. Some of his patients he delivered and saw them into their adult life.

Dr. James Christensen, Family Practice, officially started at CRMC in 1981. Dr. C (as everyone calls him) is originally from Idaho. His story in ending up in Coffeyville, Kansas is fascinating. He was a third year student at the College of Osteopathic Medicine in Kansas City and the school arranged rural clinic rotations – Dr. C was placed in Coffeyville and worked directly with Drs. Gillis and Parker.



This became a lasting relationship for years. The trio not only saw private practice patients but also worked in the Emergency Room. They were instrumental in the development of a full-time ER team.

Dr. Christensen has been the county coroner since 1990, and served as the medical director for CCC paramedic program and EMS services since its inception in 1981. He is also a Green Country ER physician in addition to his full-time private practice.

Dr. Terry Powell, Radiation Oncologist, was a pioneer in establishing a radiation oncology treatment center at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center in the early 80's. In 1994 he was instrumental in installing a Linear Accelerator, replacing the Cobalt unit previously used in treating cancer patients. The Linear Accelerator was new technology that was more efficient, less expensive, and shortened treatment time due to greater output of x-rays per minute.



A native of Coffeyville, Dr. Powell became the Medical Director for the Radiation Oncology Department and for over 30 years, he commuted every week to Coffeyville from Tulsa to treat patients. It was Dr. Powell's dedication to cancer treatment, and to his hometown of Coffeyville that played an instrumental role in building the new Radiation Oncology Center that opened in 2011.

Dr. Donald White, Radiologist, joined Coffeyville Memorial Hospital in late 1973. He came from Rochester, NY, graduating with honors from the University of Rochester and then from Upstate Medical Center in Syracuse, NY. He completed his residency in radiology at the University of Oklahoma Medical Center in Oklahoma City.



He was a pioneer in providing 24/7 Radiology service to all hospital staff. The surgeons really appreciated the face to face consultation that he would give at any time of the day or night. He really encouraged doctors to come meet with him and to discuss patient x-rays.

He was also known for developing team spirit and camaraderie between all the physicians by hosting frequent social interactions with all the medical staff during his time at CRMC.

Dr. White retired from Coffeyville Regional Medical Center after 44 years of service to the Coffeyville community. He and his wife Joan continue to reside in Coffeyville.

In 2017 CRMC and Montgomery County partnered on a preferred provider network plan for county employees with goals to improve health outcomes and lower costs for members and families enrolled on the county health insurance plan. This partnership led to the expansion of Radiology services and recruiting Kansas Imaging Consultants which brought Dr. David Gutschenritter, Interventional Radiologist, on board to CRMC. Dr. Gutschenritter has been able to provide Therapeutic Pain management services and other services that have not been available to the community of Coffeyville until now.

Dr. Chan Han, Pediatrician, came to Coffeyville in 1974 and opened a pediatrics clinic where he practiced for 30 years. A native of Korea, Dr. Han came to the US in 1968 and interned in pediatrics at Watts Hospital in Durham, NC and Children's Hospital of Kings' Daughters at Norfolk, VA. He also completed a fellowship at St. Jude's Children's Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee. His young patients were very fond of Dr. Han and many continued to come to him when they were adults and had their own children.



Dr. Han retired in 2014. A scholarship has been established by the children of Dr. and Mrs. Chan Han, that provides financial assistance to employees of CRMC who are continuing their education in a medical field. For more information go to www.crmcinc.org/foundation.

In 2018, CRMC was very lucky to bring Dr. Whitney Cline, Pediatrician, on board. Her love for her patients and Coffeyville are her number one priority. Her patients love her as much as she loves them. Dr. Cline's office is located at CRMC Medical Group, Primary Care Clinic.

Dr. Bernard Howerter, Urologist, came to Coffeyville in 1973. He received his medical degree from the University of Iowa after which he completed five years of post-graduate work in urology, the study of diseases and other problems of the kidneys, bladder and prostate.



Dr. Howerter was a pioneer by bringing endoscopic surgery and transurethral resection (TURP) to patients in Coffeyville. Transurethral resection was the premier treatment for symptomatic benign prostatic hypertrophy (BPH) for most of the 20th century, 1909 until the mid 1990's. To this day it remains the standard criteria for obstructive prostatic hypertrophy and is both the surgical treatment of choice when other methods fail. TURP was the first successful, minimally invasive procedure of the modern era.

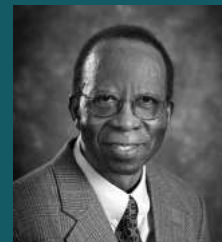
Dr. Howerter continues to service the community at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center in the CRMC Medical Group Specialty Clinic on the 3rd floor.

Dr. Stephen Miller, OB/GYN came to Coffeyville in 1987, after a 15 year career in the U.S. Navy, where he established his practice and serves our communities to this day. Dr. Miller is a cornerstone of our OB/GYN services. He has delivered thousands of babies in his 32 years at



CRMC. He has served our hospital in many capacities and is the current Chief of Staff – a position he takes very seriously. Dr. Miller still see patients in his clinic located on 8th street at CRMC Medical Group Women's Health Clinic.

Dr. Baba Abudu, Anesthesiologist, came to Coffeyville in 1989. He expanded Anesthesiology Services that were scarce in Coffeyville prior to his arrival and membership on the medical staff. He was able to provide diverse anesthesiology services that included pediatric, thoracic, vascular, obstetrical, pain management and high risk patients that other wise be transfered to bigger facilities in bigger cities such as KU Medical Center.



Dr. Abudu just celebrated his 30 year service anniversary at CRMC and still serves as Chief of Anesthesiology. He resides in Coffeyville with his wife Jessie. He and his wife have four children - two sons and two daughters.

All the physicians mentioned are pioneers in their own special way by sharing their specialties, advocating for a new hospital, and believing in Coffeyville. They truly paved the way for all the new physicians who are recruited to make Coffeyville their new home.

Even though times have changed and medicine has advanced in the past 70 years, the new physicians see how special Coffeyville Regional Medical Center is and, the physicians before them saw it and currently the physicians still practicing, still see it too. Coffeyville just isn't a destination or a little town on a map, it is a small, rural town with enormous pride that has exceptional community businesses/members and an extraordinary hospital. Coffeyville Regional Medical maybe small, but mighty. CRMC provides first-rate services that you would find in a big city and provides superior care with it's prestigious physicians, providers and staff..

Archives of Coffeyville Regional Medical Center

South East Kansas Hospital
SEK Hospital was the first hospital built in Coffeyville in 1915.



1st Coronary Care Unit at CRMC
Dr. John F. Coyle I, training some of his staff in the Coronary Care Unit in 1968.

Establishing a Radiation Oncology Center
Dr. Terry Powell in the early 1980's, when the Radiation Oncology Department opened at CRMC.



NEW ORTHOPEDIC PROCEDURE:

CRYONEUROLYSIS

Harnessing the Power of Cold to Immediately Reduce Pain

The CRMC Anesthesia Department is excited to announce that they are offering a new way to help manage knee pain; it's called cryoneurolysis using the iovera system.

The iovera technology disrupts the transmission of pain signals to the brain by taking advantage of the body's natural response to cold. To relieve pain, cold has been used for many centuries. Cryoanalgesia (also known as cryoneurolysis) is the reversible destruction of the signal carrying parts of a nerve. It is a small subset of treatments under the broad umbrella of cryotherapy.

Until now, traditional cryotherapy treatments were invasive and used large complicated machines.

The iovera system has revolutionized the delivery of cryoanalgesia. With the iovera system, doctors are able to deliver precise, controlled doses of cold temperature only to the targeted nerve through a handheld device. This needle-based procedure is safe and does not damage or destroy the surrounding tissue.

The iovera treatment works by applying targeted cold to a peripheral nerve. A precise cold zone is formed under the skin – cold enough to immediately prevent the nerve from sending pain signals without causing damage to surrounding structures. The effect on the nerve is temporary, providing pain relief until the nerve regenerates and function is restored.

The iovera treatment does not include injection of any substance- drugs, opioids or narcotics. The effect of this treatment is immediate and can last up to 90 days. In one study, the majority of patients suffering from osteoarthritis of the knee have experienced pain and symptom relief beyond 150 days.

While the treatment should not be painful, it is normal to experience pressure, a sensation of cold, warmth, tingling or tapping during treatment. This altered sensation during treatment is an indication that the treatment is working. The results are immediate. You may return to non-strenuous/normal activity immediately after receiving the iovera treatment unless otherwise stated by your physician.

Common side effects include local pain, tenderness, swelling, bruising and tingling or numbness. Typically, these reactions resolve with no physician intervention.

CRMC is very excited to offer this treatment for patients experiencing knee pain. If you are interested in this pain procedure please contact your primary care doctor for a referral to the CRMC Pain Clinic.

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FOCUSED HAND-HELD
COLD THERAPY



Treatment Results for Chronic Knee Pain

- **Decreased Knee Pain**

- More than 75% of patients who received iovera treatment continued to experience pain relief at 150 days.

- **Less Stiffness**

- More than 50% of the patients treated with the iovera system experienced less stiffness 12 weeks after treatment.

- **Improved Physical Function**

- Majority of the patients in the iovera treatment group had improved physical function at 150 days

Treatment Results for Acute (Surgical) Pain

- **Fewer Opioid Prescriptions**

- Patients who received the iovera treatment requested 45% fewer opioid prescriptions at 12 weeks after knee replacement surgery.

- **Reduction in Knee Pain**

- 12 weeks after surgery, the majority of patients who received the iovera treatment experienced less pain.

- **Faster Recovery**

- Post-surgical recovery was much faster in patients who received the iovera treatment before knee replacement surgery.



COFFEYVILLE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

COFFEYVILLE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER EARNS ACR ACCREDITATION FOR 3D MAMMOGRAPHY

Coffeyville Regional Medical Center has been awarded a three-year term of accreditation in 3D mammography as the result of a recent review by the American College of Radiology (ACR). Mammography is a specific type of imaging test that uses a low-dose X-ray system to examine breasts. A mammography exam, called a mammogram, is used to aid in the early detection and diagnosis of breast disease.



The ACR gold seal of accreditation represents the highest level of image quality and patient safety. It is awarded only to facilities meeting ACR Practice Parameters and Technical Standards after a peer-review evaluation by board-certified physicians and medical physicists who are experts in the field. Image quality, personnel qualifications, adequacy of facility equipment, quality control procedures and quality assurance programs are assessed. The findings are reported to the ACR Committee on Accreditation, which subsequently provides the practice with a comprehensive report that can be used for continuous practice improvement.

"Our facility had voluntarily gone through a vigorous review process to ensure that we meet nationally-accepted standards of care", said Lori Rexwinkle, CEO at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center. "Our personnel are well qualified, through education and certification, to perform medical imaging, interpret your images, and administer your testing and treatments. When you see the ACR Gold Seal, you can rest assured that your prescribed imaging test will be done at a facility that has met the highest level of imaging quality."

The ACR, founded in 1924, is a professional medical society dedicated to serving patients and society by empowering radiology professionals to advance the practice, science and professions of radiological care. The College serves more than 37,000 diagnostic/interventional radiologists, radiation oncologists, nuclear medicine physicians, and medical physicists with programs focusing on the practice of medical imaging and radiation oncology and the delivery of comprehensive health care services.

COFFEYVILLE REGIONAL MEDICAL RECEIVES "THE GOLD SEAL OF APPROVAL" FROM THE JOINT COMMISSION

Coffeyville Regional Medical Center (CRMC) today announced it has earned The Joint Commission's Gold Seal of Approval® for Hospital Accreditation by demonstrating continuous compliance with its performance standards. The Gold Seal of Approval® is a symbol of quality that reflects an organization's commitment to providing safe and effective patient care. CRMC underwent a rigorous, unannounced on-site survey in December. During the review, a team of Joint Commission expert surveyors evaluated compliance with hospital standards related to several areas, including emergency management, environment of care, infection prevention and control, leadership, and medication management. Surveyors also conducted on-site observations and interviews.



The Joint Commission has accredited hospitals for more than 60 years. More than 4,000 general, children's, long-term acute, psychiatric, rehabilitation and specialty hospitals currently maintain accreditation from The Joint Commission, awarded for a three-year period. In addition, approximately 360 critical access hospitals maintain accreditation through a separate program.

"Joint Commission accreditation provides hospitals with the processes needed to improve in a variety of areas from the enhancement of staff education to the improvement of daily business operations," said Mark G. Pelletier, RN, MS, chief operating officer, Division of Accreditation and Certification Operations, The Joint Commission. "In addition, our accreditation helps hospitals enhance their risk management and risk reduction strategies. We commend CRMC for its efforts in being a quality improvement organization."

"CRMC is pleased to receive accreditation from The Joint Commission, the premier health care quality improvement and accrediting body in the nation," added Lori Rexwinkle, CEO of CRMC. "Staff from across the organization continue to work together to develop and implement approaches that have the potential to improve care for the patients in our community."

The Joint Commission hospital standards are developed in consultation with health care experts and providers, measurement experts and patients. The standards are informed by scientific literature and expert consensus to help hospitals measure, assess and improve performance.

CRMC PEDIATRICIAN STARTS BOOK CLUB FOR PATIENTS

by Whitney Cline, DO, Pediatrician

Reading to children is VERY important. So important, the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) published a policy statement that recommends early literacy promotion as an essential component of pediatric care. Pediatricians and other providers supporting the health and development of children work side by side with the AAP to ensure children of all socioeconomic backgrounds have the support and resources needed to succeed in life. One way we help children succeed is with book programs like the Sunflower Book Club.

The best time to influence a child's future is in the first 5 years of their life. Reading aloud with young children is one of the most effective ways to expose them to enriched language, encourage early literacy skills, promote school readiness, and increase communication and bonding with parents. Even the youngest baby loves hearing their mother or father's soothing voice as they read a book aloud. These interactions support nurturing relationships that are critical for a child's cognitive, language, and social-emotional development. Intervention with reading during this critical time of rapid brain development helps form a foundation for success later in school and in life.

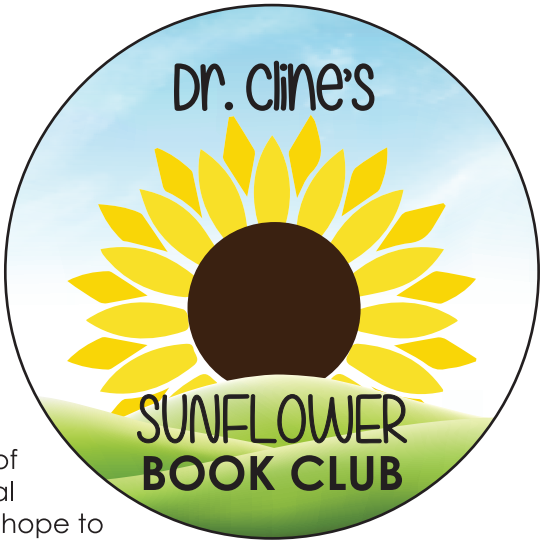
Children who hear fewer words during this time of early childhood start school developmentally behind their peers and may never catch up. More than 1 in 3 American children start kindergarten without the language skills they need to learn to read. This gives them a poor foundation for future reading, and current studies show reading proficiency by the 3rd grade is the most important predictor of high school graduation and career success.

Sadly, approximately two-thirds of children in the US and 80% of children living below the poverty threshold fail to develop reading proficiency by the end of the 3rd grade. Lower family income, fewer literacy sources, early childhood adversity, and toxic stress at an early age all compound the problem leading to a significant learning disadvantage even before children have access to early pre-school interventions.

The Sunflower Book Club helps children throughout Southeast Kansas prepare for school and life by giving each child a book (Newborn to 6 years old) at their KanBeHealthy well child checks. There are 14 well child checks during the first 6 years of life. This means your child could receive 14 books from the Sunflower Book Club during

this time of their life! This service is provided for free through donations and will be available for all children who are patients of the CRMC Medical Group Clinic. We hope to expand the Sunflower Book Club to all ages in the near future with books available for older elementary school, junior high, and even high school children.

We look forward to sharing the love of reading with you and your child at their next well visit.



Remember, KanBeHealthy well-child checks are where your child can receive a Sunflower Book Club book. Listed below is the age pairings of when your child will receive a book at their well-child visit:

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|-------------|-------------|
| - Newborn | - 15 months |
| - 1 month | - 18 months |
| - 2 months | - 2 years |
| - 4 months | - 3 years |
| - 6 months | - 4 years |
| - 9 months | - 5 years |
| - 12 months | - 6 years |

** Note: As of right now the Sunflower Book Club is limited to the age groups above. In the future, the plan is to expand to all ages to older elementary, junior high and high school.*



"Reading with your children can be so much fun! Don't forget to point out things on the page, make up silly voices, ask lots of questions, and just enjoy the time spent with your child."

SKIN SAFETY

THE IMPORTANCE OF SKIN CANCER SCREENINGS

OUTDOOR WORKERS HAVE AN INCREASED RISK OF SKIN CANCER

Protect Your Skin Using Sun-safety Tips From Dermatologists

Outdoor workers face many potential dangers on the job, including machinery and busy roads; however, one danger that they can't see is the sun's harmful ultraviolet (UV) rays.

Without proper sun protection, these rays can cause premature skin aging (like wrinkles and age spots) and even skin cancer—the most common cancer in the United States. It's estimated that one in five Americans will develop skin cancer in their lifetime, and one person dies from melanoma—the deadliest form of skin cancer—every hour.

Since outdoor workers spend many hours in the mid-day sun—a major risk factor for all skin cancers—their risk for developing skin cancer is even greater. Even on a cloudy day, up to 80 percent of the sun's harmful UV rays can pass through clouds.

Fortunately, everyone, including outdoor workers, can protect their skin and reduce their risk of skin cancer with a few simple steps:



SEEK SHADE WHEN APPROPRIATE, especially from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. when the sun's rays are the strongest.



WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING, such as lightweight, long-sleeved shirts and pants and sunglasses with UV protection. Wear a wide-brimmed hat or secure a cloth flap to your cap or hardhat to protect your ears and the back of your neck.



GENEROUSLY APPLY A BROAD-SPECTRUM, WATER-RESISTANT SUNSCREEN with an SPF of 30 or higher to all exposed skin that isn't covered by clothing. Reapply every two hours, even on cloudy days, and after excessive sweating.



BE EXTRA CAREFUL AROUND WATER, SAND AND SNOW as these surfaces reflect the sun's rays, increasing your exposure.



AVOID TANNING. Tanning—both indoors and out—can lead to wrinkles, age spots and skin cancer. If you want to look tan, use a self-tanning product instead, but continue to use sunscreen with it.



CHECK YOUR SKIN REGULARLY. If you see any new or suspicious spots on your skin, or anything that is changing, itching or bleeding, see a board-certified dermatologist. When detected early, skin cancer—including melanoma—is highly treatable.

Source: American Academy of Dermatology and the American Academy of Dermatology Association



Michelle McGuirk, MD
General Surgeon

"Melanoma and other skin cancers can be treated when detected early. Typically, surgical removal is the cure. Don't hesitate to be seen and evaluated in our office if you have any concerns about a skin lesion."

To make an Appointment:
Please call CRMC Medical Group Specialty Clinic
620-252-1639

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**SATURDAY,
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 - Prizes for Top 3 places in each flight
 - Additional contests on the course
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9:00am: TEE OFF

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- Prizes and Awards after
the tournament

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

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CRMC WELCOMES ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON, RUSTY ALLISON, MD



CRMC is pleased to announce Dr. Allison joining our team, he is coming to us from Russellville, Arkansas. Dr. Allison has received his medical degree from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Little Rock. He completed his residency with Allegheny University for the Health Sciences in Pennsylvania, Shriners' Hospital for Crippled

Children in Tampa, Florida, and Chief Resident Orthopaedic surgery, Allegheny University Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

He is excited to be in the Coffeyville area and is looking forward to the country life.

His specialties include hip, knee, shoulder surgeries and replacements, hand surgeries, and sports medicine.

Dr. Allison is accepting new patients. For more information or to make an appointment, please call CRMC Medical Group – Specialty Clinic: 620-252-1639

CRMC WELCOMES BACK NEUROSURGEON, GERY HSU, MD



CRMC is pleased to welcome back Dr. Hsu to CRMC. Dr. Hsu was born in Canada and raised in the Tulsa, OK and Houston, TX areas. He attended Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, TX. He then did an Internship at the Methodist Hospital in Houston, TX. He spent his residency time at Baylor College of Medicine and affiliated hospitals in the Houston area.

His reputation for exceptional results have allowed him to serve the region for the past 9 years. He is looking forward to his continuing to provide excellent neurosurgery to Coffeyville Regional Medical Center.

Dr. Hsu is accepting new patients. For more information or to make an appointment, please call CRMC Medical Group – Specialty Clinic: 620-252-1639

GENERAL SURGERY NOW OFFERING NEW SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

Our surgery department offers an individualized plan of care and creates an environment centered on your comfort and recovery. Our multi-specialty surgery department means that you can have surgery and recover close to home.

Our General Surgeons offer, the following procedures:

- Colonoscopy
- EGD
- Laparoscopic cholecystectomy
- Laparoscopic and open umbilical, inguinal, and incisional hernia repair
- Appendectomy
- Hemorrhoidectomy and hemorrhoid banding
- Minimally invasive thoracic surgery
- Soft tissue operations
 - Melanoma, squamous, basal carcinoma and benign skin disorders
- Lymph node excision
- Breast lumpectomy and mastectomy

with or without nodal dissection, Breast Augmentation/Reduction

- Thyroidectomy (partial and complete)
- Parathyroidectomy
- Laparoscopic bowel surgery including colon resections and malignant disease - both laparoscopic and open
- Esophageal foreign body retrieval
- Wound Care, skin grafting
- Implantable chemotherapy devices (Port)
- Feeding tube access

Other surgical specialties offered:

- Gynecology/Obstetrics
- Ear, nose and throat
- Ophthalmology (Eyes)
- Orthopedic
- Pain management
- Podiatry
- Urology


Surgical Department Offers:

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- Computerized tracker board for families to follow their loved ones through the surgery process
- Special preparation for children before surgery
- Five large, well-equipped operating rooms
- Eight beautiful, private preoperative suites
- Advanced laparoscopic equipment
- Specially designed operating tables for specific procedures
- Video systems for laparoscopic and arthroscopic procedures
- The latest orthopedic equipment



Aaron Russell, MD & Michelle McGuirk, MD



SEPTEMBER OVARIAN CANCER

■ AWARENESS MONTH ■

1 in 78
women will
be diagnosed with
ovarian cancer in
their lifetime.

What is Ovarian Cancer?

Ovarian cancer is a disease in which, depending on the type and stage of the disease, malignant (cancerous) cells are found inside, near, or on the outer layer of the ovaries. An ovary is one of two small, almond-shaped organs located on each side of the uterus that store eggs, or germ cells, and produce female hormones estrogen and progesterone.

Cancer Basics

Cancer develops when abnormal cells in a part of the body (in this case, the ovary) begin to grow uncontrollably. This abnormal cell growth is common among all cancer types.

Normally, cells in your body divide and form new cells to replace worn out or dying cells, and to repair injuries. Because cancer cells continue to grow and divide, they are different from normal cells. Instead of dying, they outlive normal cells and continue to create new abnormal cells, thus forming a tumor. Tumors can put pressure on other organs near the ovaries.

Cancer cells can sometimes travel to other parts of the body, where they begin to grow and replace normal tissue. This process, called metastasis, occurs as the cancer cells move into the bloodstream or lymph system of the body. Cancer cells that spread from other organ sites (such as breast or colon) to the ovary are not considered ovarian cancer. Cancer type is determined by the original site of the malignancy.

What is the general outlook for women diagnosed with ovarian cancer?

In women ages 35-74, ovarian cancer is the fifth leading cause of cancer-related deaths. An estimated one woman in 75 will develop ovarian cancer during her lifetime. The American Cancer Society estimates that there will be over 22,280 new cases of ovarian cancer diagnosed this year and more than 14,240 women will die from ovarian cancer this year. When one is diagnosed and treated in the earliest stages, the five-year survival rate is over 90 percent. Due to ovarian cancer's non-specific symptoms and lack of early detection tests, only about 20 percent of all cases are found early,

meaning in stage I or II. Early detection is key because if not diagnosed until stage III the survival rate can be as low as 28 percent. Due to the nature of the disease, each woman diagnosed with ovarian cancer has a different profile, and it is impossible to provide a general prognosis.

Ovarian Cancer Risk Factors

- All women are at risk
 - Symptoms exist - they can be vague, but usually get more intense over time
 - Early detection increases survival rate
 - A Pap test DOES NOT detect ovarian cancer
- Ovarian cancer risk factors include:
- Genetic predisposition
 - Personal or family history of breast, ovarian, or colon cancer
 - Increasing age
 - Infertility

While the presence of one or more risk factors may increase a woman's chance of developing ovarian cancer, it does not necessarily mean that she will get the disease. A woman with one or more risk factors should be extra vigilant in watching for early symptoms.

Source: National Ovarian Cancer Coalition



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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION

CHILDBIRTH PREPARATION

The aim of this class is the preparation of the mother and father (or other support person) emotionally, physically, and intellectually for active participation in the birth process. The course includes: relaxation exercises, what to expect during labor and delivery, practice with breathing and pushing techniques, and care after the birth. Infant care including breastfeeding and infant CPR is also included.

DATES:

Weekend Classes (2019):

January 12th & 13th
February 9th & 10th
May 4th & 5th
June 22nd & 23rd
August 24th & 25th
November 16th & 17th

Tuesdays:

March 5th - April 6th
September 3rd - October 8th

TIMES:

Weekend Classes -

Saturday - 9:00am-4:00pm
Sunday - 1:00pm-5:00pm

Weekday Classes -

Tuesday - 6:30pm-8:30pm

REGISTRATION: 620-252-1589

LOCATION: 4th Floor Conference Center at CRMC

FEE: Free

LACTATION CONSULTANTS

The Geeta Sandhu Women's Health Unit has two Lactation Consultants on staff and are willing to help any mother with questions or concerns about breast feeding. The Lactation Consultants are registered nurses and you can reach them in the unit.

REGISTRATION: Not Required

LOCATION: Women's Health Unit at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center

FEE: Free

NURSES: 620-252-1510



In addition to free classes offered on the Women's Health Unit, tours of our lovely facility can be done at your convenience.

For more information about our Women's Health Unit contact, Director, Jennifer Wintjen at 620-252-1589.

MATERNAL & INFANT (M&I) CLINIC

CRMC Medical Group provides and facilitates access to comprehensive prenatal care and follow-up for mother and infant for up to one year post delivery.

We hold an M&I clinic at our Independence location every Wednesday from 9:00am - 4:00pm. We provide financial assistance and a nutritionist to expecting mothers during their visits. Patients will see Judy Carpenter, APRN for the majority of their appointments, and will be provided a CRMC Medical Group OB/GYN physician. Patients will receive post-op care from CRMC Medical Group.

APPOINTMENT REQUIRED:

620-577-4062

DATES: Every Wednesday

TIME: 9:00am-4:00pm

LOCATION:

CRMC Medical Group
122 W. Myrtle
Independence, KS 67301

FEE: Free for women who qualify

WEE CARE BABY SUPPORT

CRMC helps new mothers in the adjustment period of parenting with all its new responsibilities. We understand many questions and fears may arise in the first weeks and months when a new little one joins the family. Mothers are encouraged to come with baby to the Geeta Sandhu Women's Health Services unit to receive support and encouragement.

REGISTRATION: 620-252-1589

LOCATION: Women's Health Unit at Coffeyville Regional Medical Center

FEE: Free

SUPPORT GROUPS

BARIATRIC SUPPORT GROUP

Open to those who have undergone weight-loss surgery or who are considering the procedure. Friends and family are welcome.

TIME: 1st Thursday of the month, 6:30pm-8:00pm

LOCATION: North Conference Center at CRMC

FEE: Free

MORE INFO: 918-331-8940

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

This group provides educational and spiritual support for families living with cancer.

TIME: 3rd Thursday of every Month, 6:00pm

LOCATION: 4th Floor lobby at CRMC

FEE: Free

MORE INFO: 620-252-1606

EDUCATION CLASSES

DIABETES SELF-MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP (DSME)

If you are living with a diabetes health condition or are a caregiver of someone who has diabetes this workshop is for you. Self-Management Education workshops are interactive learning opportunities that teach techniques to manage common symptoms.

REGISTRATION: 620-251-4210 or kkiser@crmcinc.org

INFORMATION SESSION: August 16th at 1:30pm

WORKSHOP DATE: August 23- Oct 14

TIME: 1:30pm (6 week workshop)

LOCATION: Montgomery County Health Department - 604 S. Union, Coffeyville (Info session and for workshop)

FEE: Free * **MUST REGISTER PRIOR TO ATTENDING**



Pictured are some of the workshop leaders.

CHRONIC DISEASE SELF-MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

If you are living with a chronic condition this Free workshop is for you. What you will learn:

- Decision-making and problem solving skills
- Communicate effectively with family, friends and healthcare professionals
- Deal with anger, depression, and difficult emotions
- Manage fatigue
- Learn new ways to eat healthy
- Control Pain

and much, much more!

REGISTRATION: 620-515-4568 or
kkiser@crmcinc.org

***** Please watch our website and social media for information on dates for upcoming classes. *****

Questions or for more information,
Please contact Kelle Kiser, RN

SMOKING CESSATION

Thinking of quitting smoking or chewing tobacco but not sure where to turn? Have you quit before and started again? We understand that quitting tobacco is difficult. Our cessation program uses materials from the Mayo Clinic Nicotine Dependence Center. This patient-centered, interactive program respects your right to make your own decisions.

REGISTRATION: 620-252-1606
DATE: September 24 - November 26
TIME: Tuesdays 12:00pm-1:00pm
(8 Sessions)
FEE: Free
LOCATION:
CRMC Basement Boardroom

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that you can find health articles on
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The articles located on our website give insight on healthy living by age, making healthier eating choices, skin

cancer awareness and more. Visit our website today, www.crmcinc.org, click on the Wellness Education Tab.



SAFESITTER COURSE

SafeSitter® prepares students in grades 6th - 8th to be safe when they're home alone, watching younger siblings, or babysitting. Students learn life-saving skills such as how to rescue someone who is choking, and helpful information like what to do if there is severe weather. The lessons are filled with fun activities and role-playing exercises. Students even get to use CPR mannequins to practice CPR and choking rescue!

- Safety Skills
- Child Care Skills
- First Aid & Rescue Skills
- Life & Business Skills

REGISTRATION:

Required, 620-252-2201 or email
ashleyt@crmcinc.org

DATE: September 14

TIME: 9:30am-4:30pm

LOCATION: 4th Floor Conference Room at CRMC

FEE: \$35 (includes manual and Safesitter Kit)

**** Please bring a sack lunch to the safesitter course. The class will be going into the lunch hour.****

SAFE @ HOME COURSE

Safe @ Home provides excellent instruction on staying safe inside the house, outside the house, online, and with others. The class is designed for students in grades 4th-6th to equip them to be safe when they are home alone. Safe @ Home is a 90-minute program and requires each child to have a Safe @ Home student booklet. Some of the topics they will learn:

- How to prevent unsafe situations,
- What to do when faced with dangers such as power failures or weather emergencies.
- Students are also introduced to the Safe Sitter® First Aid Chart and learn a system to help them assess and respond to injuries and illnesses.

REGISTRATION:

Required, 620-252-2201 or email
ashleyt@crmcinc.org

DATE: July 27th

TIME: 9:00am-10:30am

LOCATION: 4th Floor Conference Room at CRMC

FEE: \$10 (class and booklet)

FITNESS CLASSES

LOW IMPACT CARDIO CLASS

You can burn serious calories without all that jumping around. We don't have anything against bouncing, but sometimes you want to give your joints a rest, and with this low-impact workout you can do just that.

DATE: Every Tuesday and Thursday

TIME: 10:00am-11:00am

LOCATION: Located in the multipurpose room located across the hall from the CRMC Rehabilitation Department

FEE: Free

EDUCATOR:

Ashley Tatman

ashleyt@crmcinc.org

WALKING CLUB - CRMC Basement Bunch

This is an all year walking program to help you keep fit, and there are prizes along the way. Sign up today down by our Rehabilitation Department on the Walking Track.

REGISTRATION: Sign up at the Walking Track at the designated table outside the Rehabilitation Department

TIME: 5:00am-9:00pm, 7 days a week

LOCATION: Walking Track

FEE: Free

YOGA CLASSES

Do you want to be more relaxed, strengthen your spine, improve your circulation? Come join one of the Yoga classes offered at CRMC.

DATE:

Mon/Wed/Fridays - 9:00am-10:00am
Tues/Thurs - 5:00pm-6:00pm

LOCATION: Class located on the north side of CRMC, in North Auxiliary Classroom- Enter in North Entrance clinic

FEE: \$7 a Class or \$35 a Month

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Physician & Provider Directory by Specialty

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Richard Brown, MD Internal Medicine

"Growing up, I really liked biology and figuring things out. Looking at all medical choices, Internal Medicine seemed to be the field that involved the deepest knowledge base of adult diseases. With new medicines and diagnostics, it's a fascinating field to be involved in today. Mostly, I like to help people. I feel lucky through the grace of God to have a career where I can be there in their time of need."

CRMC is a good fit for me. I looked at the community, the providers, the facilities and the support staff and I have been impressed."

- Richard Brown, MD
Board Certified Internal Medicine Physician

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