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Saint Joseph Health System, Physicians Urgent Care Announce Joint Venture to Serve Michiana

Mishawaka, Ind. (July 22, 2015) — Saint Joseph Health System has created a new joint venture with Physicians Urgent Care. The joint venture will provide urgent care and occupational medicine services to the Michiana community.

Physicians Urgent Care is a Midwest leader in urgent care and occupational health. For more than 25 years, it has provided affordable, convenient care to more than one million patients and is dedicated to building healthy communities by providing care when and where people need it.

“This joint venture demonstrates our commitment to providing a superior patient care experience by investing in people and services that allow us to set the standard for quality care,” said Al Gutierrez, president and CEO, Saint Joseph Health System. Stan Blaylock, President and CEO of Physicians Urgent Care, said “we are very pleased to be partnering with Saint Joseph Health System whose focus upon access to quality and affordable care will enable us to coordinate care for our patients with a leading health system in Michiana.”

The joint venture provides the community with expanded choice and access to physician services at convenient locations in Mishawaka, Elkhart and South Bend with patient-friendly hours, seven days a week. Walk-in services offered include X-rays, lab testing, medical exams, minor procedures and treatments for non-life-threatening illnesses and injuries. Physicians Urgent Care clinics are located at:

Mishawaka

505 W. Cleveland Road
Mishawaka IN, 46545
P: 574.235.3135

South Bend

1245 E. Ireland Road
South Bend IN, 46614
P: 574.312.7022

Elkhart

900 Johnson St.
Elkhart IN, 46514
P: 574.747.8004

Physicians Urgent Care provides employers with important safety and prevention medical services, including employment-related physicals and screenings, as well as treatment for their employees' workplace injuries. The Occupational Health Network, located in Mishawaka at 270 E. Day Road, will continue to see patients until Friday, August 21 before transferring all records to the joint venture. Patients with appointments after August 21 at the Occupational Health Network will be contacted to reschedule.

About Saint Joseph Health System

Saint Joseph Health System (SJHS) is a not-for-profit healthcare system located in North Central Indiana that offers acute-based hospital care and post-acute services including: community wellness, physical rehabilitation, home care, physician clinics, outpatient services, independent and assisted senior living, memory care and affordable senior apartments. SJHS includes: Mishawaka Medical Center; Plymouth Medical Center; Rehabilitation Institute; Outpatient services

of the Elm Road Medical Campus; Health Insurance Services; Saint Joseph Physician Network; VNA Home Care; and the Sanctuary Senior Living Communities at St. Paul's, Holy Cross and Trinity Tower. SJHS serves more than 200,000 members of the Michiana community annually. SJHS is a Regional Health Ministry of Trinity Health in Livonia, Mich.

About Physicians Urgent Care

Physicians Urgent Care, also known as Physicians Immediate Care, is a Midwest leader in urgent care and occupational health. For more than 25 years, it has provided affordable, convenient medical care to more than one million patients. The company is dedicated to building healthy communities by providing remarkable care you can count on, when and where you need it. It has a network of more than 30 clinics, each fully equipped to provide X-rays, lab testing, medical exams, minor procedures and treatments for non-life-threatening illnesses and injuries. For locations and services, go to visitphysicians.com.

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