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PHYSICIANS URGENT CARE EXPANDS TO SERVE WARSAW COMMUNITY

Leading Midwest Urgent Care Provider Offers Convenient Location and Online Tools

Warsaw, IN, March 14, 2014 – Today, Physicians Urgent Care celebrated the grand opening of its state-of-the-art clinic in Warsaw with Mayor Joe Thallemer and members of the Warsaw/Kosciusko County Chamber of Commerce. Providing area residents a convenient solution to their urgent and unexpected health care needs, the new 4,250 square-foot clinic at 2680 Escalade Way (across from Kohl's) is open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on weekends. The walk-in clinic is fully-equipped with X-ray capability, lab testing and six exam rooms -- including a pediatric room and trauma room -- for treating non-life threatening injuries and illnesses and performing minor surgical procedures.

Physicians Urgent Care is helping to alleviate the local shortage of physicians. Compared to the national average, Kosciusko County has half as many primary care physicians to serve its population.* "When someone in Warsaw can't get in to see their doctor or it isn't severe enough for the ER, we're here to help," said Dr. William Schuler, on-site physician who is board certified in family medicine. "At Physicians Urgent Care, we make it easier for primary care doctors to focus on preventive care and chronic condition management by attending to patients' unexpected, urgent care needs."

"While our clinic is equipped to serve patients of all ages, we know that Warsaw has many families with small children," explained Dr. Schuler. With our dedicated pediatric exam rooms, we can treat children quickly and comfortably when they can't get in to see their pediatrician, especially on evenings and weekends."

At visitphysicians.com/warsaw, Warsaw-area patients can see current wait times and check in online before arriving, and they can learn more about the education and certifications of the physicians and physician assistants. Plus, they can see what insurance is accepted. For the one in five Kosciusko County residents who are uninsured, Physicians Urgent Care openly publishes a three-tiered pricing plan online with set rates so patients know what to expect without worrying about billing surprises.

"We're excited to be here in Warsaw, our sixth clinic in Indiana including Fort Wayne and South Bend," said Robert Ratini, Vice President of Operations at Physicians Urgent Care. "In addition to providing urgent care services, we also help thousands of businesses control their health care costs, treating injuries that happen at work and handling drug or alcohol testing and pre-employment physicals." Physicians Urgent Care, the ninth largest private urgent care provider in the nation**, has been serving employers in just about every industry for over 25 years.

Local residents can learn more by visiting the Physicians Urgent Care booth at the Run/Walk for Hunger on Saturday, March 29. Physicians Urgent Care will also be providing any necessary first aid to event participants.

About Physicians Urgent Care

Physicians Urgent Care, also known as Physicians Immediate Care, is a Midwest leader in urgent care and occupational health. For over 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. Its network of more than 25 clinics are each fully-equipped to provide X-rays, lab work, minor surgical procedures, immunizations and drug and alcohol tests. For locations and services, go to visitphysicians.com.

* Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's 2013 County Health Rankings

**Based on number of clinics as reported in The ConvUrgentCare Report, February 2013