

Community Health Center of Franklin County



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THE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER OF FRANKLIN COUNTY EARNS NATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR PATIENT-CENTERED CARE

The Community Health Center of Franklin County (CHCFC) with medical offices in Greenfield and Orange was awarded recognition from the Patient-Centered Medical Home 2011 (PCMH 2011) program as recognized by The National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

PCMH is a model of care emphasizing care coordination and communication to transform primary care into “a whole person approach to continuous family centered, coordinated care.” said Dr. Flora Sadri, Chief Medical Officer. Research shows that medical homes can lead to higher quality and lower costs, and improve patients’ and providers’ reported experiences of care. The PCMH identifies practices that promote partnerships between individual patients and their personal clinicians, instead of treating patient care on an episodic basis.

The PCMH 2011 standards are aligned with the joint principles of the Patient-Centered Medical Home established with the American College of Physicians, the American Academy of Family Physicians, the American Academy of Pediatrics and the American Osteopathic Association.

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