



May is MENTAL HEALTH MONTH

May marks Mental Health Month, a time to champion awareness and support for mental well-being. CareSouth Carolina is home to a nationally recognized Integrated Behavioral Health program, where patients receive quality care by some of the best, most caring professionals in the field of mental health.

At each medical center, licensed behavioral health counselors offer a spectrum of services, from immediate interventions to long-term therapy. Specializing in issues like depression, PTSD, and substance dependency, these counselors provide essential support to individuals and families.

CareSouth Carolina extends its reach beyond medical settings, offering school-based counseling services to address mental health needs in educational environments. Additionally, the program emphasizes diagnostic assessments for conditions such as ADHD and Autism Spectrum disorders, ensuring comprehensive support strategies.

Please call your local CareSouth Carolina office to schedule an appointment or for more information.

ALL-CARESOUTH-CAROLINA OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY Monday, May 27, 2024

MEDICAL LOCATIONS:

Hartsville • Society Hill • Bennettsville • Bishopville • Cheraw • Chesterfield • Dillon • Lake View • Latta • McColl PHARMACY LOCATIONS:

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Dr. Catherine Compton Appointed as Chief Medical Officer at CareSouth Carolina



CareSouth Carolina announces the appointment of Catherine Compton, D.O., as its new Chief Medical Officer (CMO). Dr. Compton will be succeeding Dr. Stephen L. Smith, who is stepping down from the CMO position but will continue to see patients at the Rosa Lee Gerald office in Society Hill.

A native of Wichita, Kansas, Dr. Compton brings a wealth of experience and a passion for holistic medicine to her new role. Graduating from the Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine in Spartanburg, S.C., Dr. Compton has been a dedicated member of the CareSouth Carolina team since 2022. Her commitment to patient care and comprehensive approach to medicine make her an ideal candidate to lead the organization as CMO.

"As we were conducting this search, I was having a hard time finding someone who we felt aligned well with the values and standards we have at CareSouth Carolina," Dr. Smith said. "One day, I was speaking with George General, Site Administrator at Bishopville, and we began talking about Dr. Compton and I'll never forget the words he said to me: 'Dr. Compton is the real deal."

As Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Compton plans to continue to promote CareSouth Carolina's mission to "enhance the health and wellbeing of everyone."

"I love the mission of the organization and the care that we give to patients," Dr. Compton said. "Once I started working at CareSouth Carolina, I knew it was a place that I wanted to make my home. I want to work to promote increased access to care and help continue to grow CareSouth Carolina."

CareSouth Carolina welcomes Courtney Price, FNP-BC, as the Newest Provider in the Dillon Office



CareSouth Carolina is pleased to announce the newest addition to its healthcare team, Courtney Price, FNP-BC. Courtney will be joining the Dillon office, bringing with her a wealth of experience and a deep commitment to serving her hometown community.

Courtney Price's journey to becoming a Family Nurse Practitioner was driven by a desire to make a difference in the lives of underserved individuals in the Dillon area. Having completed her clinical rotations at two CareSouth Carolina sites - Lake View and Latta, Courtney gained valuable insights into the healthcare needs of the community.

"I'm from Dillon, and I know the need. Just being able to give back to my hometown community gives access to care," Price said.

One of Courtney's core values as a healthcare provider is her dedication to preventative care. She firmly believes in the power of early intervention and proactive health management.

"I'm more preventative-focused. I'm pro-screening. If you can prevent something and be proactive," she said. Outside of work, she enjoys fishing, spending quality time with her children, exploring the beautiful mountains, and attending church.

To make an appointment with Courtney Price, contact our Dillon office at 843-774-4337.

CareSouth Carolina Welcomes Jessica Green as the newest provider in the Hartsville Office



CareSouth Carolina is pleased to announce the addition of Jessica Green, LPC (Licensed Professional Counselor), LAC (Licensed Addiction Counselor), AADC (Advanced Alcohol and Drug Counselor), CS (Clinical Supervisor), to its behavioral health team at the Hartsville office located at 1268 South Fourth St.

Jessica brings a wealth of experience and expertise to her role as a behavioral health counselor at CareSouth Carolina. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Psychology and Sociology from the University of South Carolina, and she earned her counseling degree from Webster University.

Jessica Green, LPC, LAC, AADC, CS "I like the way CareSouth Carolina works together as a whole to treat a person," she said. "You have doctors, medical providers, counselors, and community health workers all collaborating together to help a person as a whole. Physical health and mental health work together."

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Outside of her professional endeavors, Jessica enjoys being a dance mom and spending quality time with her two children. She also finds solace in reading.

To make an appointment with Jessica Green, contact our Hartsville office at 843-332-3422.

CareSouth Carolina Now Offering Foot Care Services at Cheraw Office



CareSouth Carolina is pleased to announce the addition of world-class foot care services at its Cheraw office. The organization's expert provider, Dr. Douglas E. Cunningham, DPM, FACFAS, has joined CareSouth Carolina's dedicated team.

Dr. Cunningham specializes in a wide range of foot care services, including Foot Pain Management, Diabetic Foot Issues, Sports Injury Rehabilitation, Surgical Intervention, and more!

Douglas Cunningham, DPM, FACFAS.

Anyone can visit Dr. Cunningham. You do not need to be a Cheraw resident, and you do not need a referral. Just make an appointment by calling the Cheraw office at 843-921-6711.