

People's Health Clinic - Park City, Utah Newsletter & Summer 2022 Updates



Walk & Wine for Women's Health July 31st: Almost sold out!

Join us for our 2022 Walk & Wine event at Stein Eriksen Lodge in Deer Valley on Sunday, July 31st. Beginning at 10:30 am, you will have the choice of yoga or a hike to the top of Deer Valley. At 12:00 pm we will gather for a Luncheon at the Lodge—all in support of women's health services and health care for those most in need in our community. Buy a table, tickets, or sign-up for our online silent auction at:

WALK & WINE TICKETS



"It is to purchase birth control pills for our patients, as well as emergency contraception," Leining said. "So, we can actually give our patients medications directly when they come to clinic. We also use the funding to get IUDs and implants; all forms of birth control, which, again, our patients are uninsured and the costs of birth control, it's very expensive." The number of requests for women's health visits, she says have gone up by about 70% in the last year. "In addition to that," Leining said, "we have a lot of medically complicated patients and

KPCW: People's Health Clinic is leaning in to women's health care

"Dr. Tania Bodnar has joined the People's Health Clinic as its first Women's Health Medical Director - a newly created position. Joining her will be nurse practitioner Elizabeth Jacobsen, a volunteer who will serve as the Women's Health Assistant Medical Director."

to have somebody with her [Dr. Bodnar's] level of training and years of experience is just really meaningful for improving the standard of care we can offer women in our town." Leining says the clinic wants to make sure women have easy access to affordable birth control."

READ MORE OF KPCW's Article by Leslie Thatcher HERE



"Stealing the term "equity" from the investment world, I believe that there is such a thing as "community equity". It is what we take away when we've liquidated all of the hardscape around us. It is the people and relationships around us. When there are groups of people who are not connected or supported, and are overall neglected, we all lose out on this community equity.

People's Health Clinic works to stop that abandonment. The work that is done there is an investment into the future of our community so that we can all benefit. My passion is this mission. We complete it by helping one individual at a time."



"I believe that healthcare is a fundamental human right and like so many other inequalities and disparities in modern society, it is the working poor and marginalized communities that are in the greatest need of our help and compassion. The work of the clinic in providing over 13,000 patient interactions annually, is delivering a tremendous impact locally for those that truly need the most help of anyone.

Sustaining and building upon this work is a vital function of our mission and a huge need in our community, as proven by the continued increase in demand for our services. As Robert F. Kennedy said, it is the work to "make gentle the life of this world" in our community—here, locally. What a powerful thing to be a part of."





People's Health Clinic is honored to announce that is has been selected as the 2022 Organizational Excellence award winner by the Association of Clinicians for the Underserved. This national award recognizes organizations that have implemented innovative and effective strategies to improve health care for underserved populations: and was based on our holistic approach to reducing health disparities among the uninsured residents of Summit & Wasatch Counties. PHC CEO, Dr. Mairi Leining said upon notification that "this honor reflects the exceptional work of our staff and volunteers."



David is a patient of ours, and was unable to walk for the last six years, as a result of a chronic foot condition. After treatment at People's Health Clinic and recent surgery, it was wonderful to see you walking into the clinic.

We were honored to accept these beautiful handmade flowers and fruit basket: thank you David! Patients like David remind us why our work is so important, and we are proud of leaders on our team like Patty who have worked with these patients for years!



GRANT SPOTLIGHT: Epic Promise, Vail Resort's Grant is crucial to People's Health Clinic's Pediatric Vision and Dental Programs!

Vail's Epic Promise has provided vital grants to support our pediatric vision and dental programs. The grants have funded consultations at outside specialty clinics so uninsured patients are able to receive lifechanging vision and dental services. Vail Resort's Epic Promise, and Park City Mountain Resort's support also enabled us to become a local COVID-19 center where any uninsured community members could get vaccinations, boosters, and tests. THANK YOU, Vail, for improving health care access in Park City!



People's Health Clinic raises over 50% of \$150,000 Women's Health Matching Grant

Help us close the remaining gap for emergency contraception, reproductive health and support our new Women's Health Services team

Funding will be used for expansion of our same-day contraception program, emergency contraception and family planning services. Funding also allows us to hire an additional women's health practitioner to expand appointment availability for our patients and to continue our clinic's overall work. Last year alone our patients' need for women's health services grew by 70%. We are now anticipating an even greater need to provide and fund these essential services. Your support toward health equity for women in our community is crucial.

People's Health Clinic Unveils New Lobby Mural & Community Art Piece

Our clinic is thrilled to unveil this beautiful new mural and piece of



community art by Artists William J. Kranstover and his daughter Malia Denali.

This colorful and hopeful work graces our lobby and waiting area and will now welcome our clinic patients and visitors with the inscription, both in English and Spanish: "Building a healthy community together."



PHC would like to congratulate Hope Alliance for receiving the PCCF Women's Giving Fund 2022 award!

We love to see the incredible support by Park City Community Foundation's Women's Giving Fund for local programs that help women and children thrive. This powerful group of women is welcoming new members this year. The group awards high-impact grants to local organizations **including People's Health Clinic**, and members are invited to several events throughout the year. Support has gone to medical services for children experiencing abuse, early childhood education programs, transitional housing for women recovering from domestic violence, youth mentorship programs, caregivers of older adults, and more. Please consider joining PCCF in support of our community.

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