ABOUT US

Community Health Centers of Arkansas (CHCA) is a non-profit organization established in 1985 to expand access to affordable quality care in Arkansas, and to create a unified voice for Community Health Centers (CHCs) and the patients they serve. The services offered by CHCA support CHCs in their provision of effective and efficient care to their patients, furthering goals of improving access to care and reducing health disparities; and improving health outcomes. CHCA has over the years successfully served as a conduit for new programs, projects and funding that supports greater access to comprehensive services for underserved populations throughout Arkansas through facilitating shared resources and collaborative partnerships.

CHCA is governed by a Board of Directors composed of the Chief Executive Officer from each CHC organizational member.

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As known as Federally Qualified Health Centers, Community Health Centers (CHCs) are non-profit, community-based, and patient-centered clinics that serve individuals with limited access to health care in both rural and urban settings.

CHCs have a rich history, beginning in the 1960s, targeting the roots of poverty by combining the resources of local communities with federal support to establish neighborhood health centers to provide quality, affordable, accessible healthcare to vulnerable populations.

Today, CHCs are an essential primary care provider in over 190 clinics throughout Arkansas, providing an array of high quality primary and preventive services where the patient is the center.

**SERVICES**

- Medical
- Patient transportation
- Dental
- Pediatrics to geriatrics
- Behavioral health
- English, Marshallese, and Spanish translation
- Discounted pharmaceuticals
- Conduct and assist with outreach and enrollment:
  - Insurance Exchange Marketplace, ARworks, Medicaid, Medicare Part D, and other needed services
- Health promotion and education:
  - HIV/AIDS, sickle cell disease, tobacco cessation, well child services, nutrition education, hypertension, and stroke
- Chronic disease prevention and management:
  - Diabetes, cardiovascular, obesity, depression, cancer, and asthma
- Cancer screenings:
  - Breast, cervical, prostate, colorectal, and skin

**CHCs ALSO:**

- Accept Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance, and provide a sliding scale fee to uninsured patients based on family size and income
- Governed through volunteer community boards comprised of patients and community leaders
- Serve high need underserved areas
- Recognize the cultural beliefs, values, attitudes, traditions, language preferences, and health practices of patients served
- Offer cost effective delivery of primary and preventive care services reducing the need for more expensive care options
- Serve as economic engines generating job opportunities and resources for local communities
- Offer supports for patients whose health is effected by factors like nutrition, legal, family stability, counseling/support, housing and mobility

**Community Health Centers, Arkansas locations**

Some Community Health Center locations have multiple clinic sites. For a complete list, see www.chc-ar.org/health-center-list

1st Choice Healthcare
Conning ............... 870-857-3334
ARcare ................. 866-550-4719
Boston Mountain Rural Health Center
Marshall ............... 870-448-5733
CABUN Rural Health Services
Hampton ............... 870-798-4299
Community Clinic
Springdale ............ 855-438-2280
East Arkansas Family Health Center
West Memphis ........ 870-735-3842
Healthy Connections
Mena .................. 888-710-8220
Jefferson Comprehensive Care System
Pine Bluff ............. 855-543-2380
Lee County Cooperative Clinic
Marianna .............. 870-295-5225
Mainline Health Systems
Dermott ............... 870-538-5414
Mid-Delta Health Systems
Clarendon ............. 870-747-3381
River Valley Primary Care Services
Ratcliff ............... 479-431-2050