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AFFORDABLE, HIGH-QUALITY, HEALTH CARE COMING TO LEYDEN TOWNSHIP

LEYDEN TOWNSHIP, COOK COUNTY, IL - On Monday, July 25th, Leyden Township welcomes Greater Family Health, the area's premier Federally Qualified Health Center, which will provide affordable, high-quality, primary health care to all residents in the community.

Greater Family Health will open its 11th location at 10225 W. Grand Avenue, Franklin Park, IL on Monday, July 25th, 2022. A Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening celebration is scheduled to occur on August 25th, 2022.

The new Health Center in Franklin Park will offer:

- **Adult and Senior Health:** Including sick care, chronic disease management, work and annual physicals, laboratory and diagnostic testing, gynecology services for women, and free pregnancy testing.
- **Pediatric Care:** Including well child care, sick care, immunizations, school and sports physicals, chronic disease management, and laboratory and diagnostic testing.
- **Behavioral Health Services:** Including mental health counseling/therapy for individuals, families and groups and Medication Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorder.
- **Patient Support Services:** Including translation, health benefits enrollment, care management, Sliding Fee Discount Program and discounted pharmaceuticals for qualifying uninsured patients, transportation assistance/reimbursement, and we welcome the uninsured and most insurances.

"It is my vision as Township Supervisor to create a thriving community for all township residents. I found it prudent to prioritize our community's health care needs and to find a health care partner with a shared vision and proven track-record of delivering positive health outcomes" said Rocco D. Biscaglio, Leyden Township Supervisor.

The Health Center will feature 15 accommodating examination rooms, 2 behavioral health offices, a

full-service laboratory operated by LabCorp, and a CLIA-waived laboratory for point-of-care testing. 3 full-time practitioners, including Medical Director Dr. Engjellush Sadik and 2 Physician Assistants, all of whom are already providing care to Greater Family Health patients at other locations. The location will be open Mondays – Thursdays, 8:00 am – 7:30 pm, and Fridays and Saturdays 8:00 am – 5:00 pm. Call 844-599-3700 or go online <https://greaterfamilyhealth.org/request-an-appointment/> to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins are always welcome.

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ABOUT LEYDEN TOWNSHIP

Founded in 1850, approximately 15 miles from downtown Chicago, Leyden Township is now home to a population of over 90,000 residents. Leyden Township includes the Villages of Elmwood Park, River Grove, Franklin Park, Schiller Park and portions of the Villages of Bensenville, Rosemont, Melrose Park Norridge and the Cities of Northlake and Park Ridge. Also included in Leyden Township is a large unincorporated area. The unincorporated area utilizes the Melrose Park Postal Service and uses the Northlake zip code of 60164. The Leyden Fire Protection District and the Cook County Sheriff's Police protect the unincorporated area.