## Oneida Comprehensive Health Division

Oneida Community Health Center Behavioral Health Services Anna John Resident Centered Care Community Employee Health Nursing



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To the Oneida Community:

It is with regret that I must inform you that effective June 10, 2024, Jay Kennard, MD, will no longer be a part of the Comprehensive Health Division Provider staff. Dr. Kennard will moving closer to family in Michigan. We wish him well on his future endeavors.

Dr. Kennard has expressed the following: "I wish to express my gratitude for your trust in me for your primary care over the last almost 14 years. I have valued the relationships we have built and the hardships and joys we have shared. My patients and clinic staff have become family to me, and I will miss all of you greatly. "

You and your family are the Oneida Comprehensive Health Division's highest priority. The OCHD staff will be contacting his current patients as well as any future appointments that he may have had scheduled to re- appointment with another provider within the Oneida Community Health Center. The nurses will be coordinating the re-appointments and will be working with our patient registration staff for all patients with appointments within the next 30 days. The OCHD Medical clinic staff will be reaching out to all patients over the next few weeks utilizing our electronic Patient Engagement System via email and or text message informing you of the need to reschedule your future appointments. They will do their best to accommodate your health care needs and will offer an appointment with another provider that can meet your needs to establish care with.

Pharmacy will work with you to accommodate any medication refill needs over the next 90 to 180 days as we transition you to different primary care providers. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact either Linda Taylor DON at (920) 869-4906, Connie Vandenberg RN at (920) 869-4849, Katie Hirth RN at (920) 869-4941 or Nina Vang (920) 869-4912.

I appreciate your understanding and assure you that our goal is to continue to provide the highest quality of health care possible and make this a smooth transition for the Oneida community. Yawáko, Thank you!

Sincerely,

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