

**Memorandum of Understanding:**

Between Marion Public Health, 181 S. Main St., Marion, OH 43302, and Galion City Health Department (abbreviated GCHD, through the rest of document).

**Agreement Period:**

April 4, 2023 through December 31, 2023.

**Scope of Services:**

Marion Public Health will provide clinic space for GCHD staff to provide sexually transmitted infection (STI) testing and treatment, HIV testing and prevention (pre-exposure prophylaxis/PrEP), preventive screening exams for women and provision of birth control, as able.

**GCHD will provide the following:**

1. Certified Nurse Practitioner (CNP) once weekly, on Tuesdays, to provide the above-mentioned services. Services will overlap with the already scheduled syringe service program (SSP) at Marion Public Health. On weeks that the CNP is not available to cover in the event of illness or scheduled time off, a certified medical assistant (CMA) will attend and provide "Express STI" testing per established GCHD clinical protocol.
2. Adherence to health information laws and confidentiality.
3. Maintain patient records and billing, under GCHD electronic medical records.
4. Provide all administrative and clerical functions for GCHD, as needed.
5. Provide services on a mutually agreed upon date and time.
6. Provide data of services to evaluate effectiveness and need.

**Marion Public Health will provide the following:**

1. One clinic room to see patients privately.
2. Contact GCHD if for any reason the office is closed due to inclement weather, holiday or training.
3. Referrals for clients to see the provider on day of service.

**Both parties will abide by the following:**

1. Both parties shall comply with all applicable laws of local, state, and federal governments.
2. Both parties shall not discriminate against any client, patient, or use of services because of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, creed, marital status, age, veteran status, or the presence of any sensory, mental or physical handicap.

**Payment:**

There is no payment by either party for this exchange of clinical space.

**Termination of Clause:**

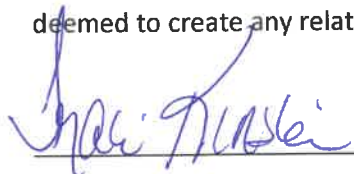
This contract may be terminated by either party with written notice.

**Liability:**

Each party agrees to be responsible and assume liability for its own wrongful and/or negligent acts or omissions of those of its officials, officers, agents or employees to the fullest extent required by law. It is further provided that no liability shall attach Marion Public Health to GCHD by reason of entering into this agreement except as expressly provided herein.

**General:**

This Memorandum of Understanding constitutes the entire understanding and agreement between GCHD and Marion Public Health with regard to the matters herein, and supersedes any and all previous agreements, whether written or oral among the parties hereto. Nothing herein shall create or be deemed to create any relationship of agency or joint venture between Marion Public Health and GCHD.

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Date: 3/13/23

Health Commissioner, Marion Public Health

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Date: 3/13/23

Sarah Nicewaner, Director of Nursing, Marion Public Health

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sarah Miley, APRN WHNP-BC, Reproductive Health & Wellness, GCHD

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Jason McBride, Health Commissioner, GCHD