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## **BMH Opens New Building for BMA Office; Establishes Outpatient Services Site in Chicora**

**Chicora, PA - (February 3, 2006)** - Butler Memorial Hospital will open a new outpatient lab and x-ray facility in Chicora and a new office for its long-standing Butler Medical Associates office on Monday, February 6. The new facility is located at 160 Medical Center Road adjacent to the Chicora Medical Center in Donegal Township.

The brand new building is called the Chicora Medical Center Professional Building. Butler Medical Associates is located in Suite A and Outpatient Services of BMH is located in Suite B. Coming soon to Suite C will be a physical therapy office which is a joint venture between Butler Physical Therapy and Butler Memorial Hospital. Dr. David Evanko with BMA is pleased to move into newly, expanded space that will soon allow for new services for patients in the Chicora area.

“In the coming months we also expect to share our new location with some medical specialties that are needed in this region to provide area residents with access to more services in this area,” says Dr. Evanko.

Chicora Medical Center is also constructing another new building that will house a retail pharmacy.

“This is again our demonstration to the community that we strive to bring high quality health care to people where they live and work,” says Ken DeFurio, Senior Vice President, Operations at Butler Health System. “Great physicians and services close to home is our ongoing commitment to the people we serve.”

The new site of Outpatient Services of BMH, is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. for walk-in lab and x-ray services. Outpatient tests offered in Chicora include blood work, urine collection and x-ray services. Anyone can use the service with a physician’s order for outpatient testing. Outpatient Services of BMH will see that the patient’s physician receives the results, even if the physician is not on staff at BMH. Mammography testing will be added this spring.

For more information about the Chicora location of Outpatient Services call (724) 445-0043 or to reach Dr. David Evanko at BMA Chicora (724) 445-3720.

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