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Community Health Northwest Florida Welcomes New Pediatrician to Staff

Pensacola, FL - Community Health Northwest Florida, formerly Escambia Community Clinics, welcomes local pediatrician Jennifer M. Zimmerman, MD, FAAP, to its provider staff beginning September 4th, 2018. Dr. Zimmerman will practice at Community Health Northwest Florida's new Highway 90 Pediatrics office, 4435 HWY 90 in Pace, inside the Sacred Heart Urgent Care Building. This is the health center's second location in Santa Rosa County.

Dr. Zimmerman, a General Pediatrician, is board certified with the American Board of Pediatrics and a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics. A 1990 graduate of the University of East Manila in the Philippines, she completed her pediatric residency at Schneider Children's Hospital, Long Island Jewish Medical Center in New York.

Dr. Zimmerman will close her individual pediatrics office, Kids Care Pediatrics, where she has practiced since 2001, and join the health center's pediatric staff. Dr. Zimmerman is now accepting new patients from 0 through 18 years of age for well-baby and well-child checkups, sick child visits, immunizations, routine physicals, diagnosis and treatment of illnesses, and management of chronic conditions such as allergies, asthma, and ADHD.

Appointments with Dr. Zimmerman can be made by calling Community Health Northwest Florida's Highway 90 Pediatrics location at 850-304-0390.

Since 1992, Community Health Northwest Florida has served residents of Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties and surrounding areas. Since 2007, it has been the area's only Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC). A Florida Medicaid, Humana and Molina managed care provider, the organization also accepts Alabama Medicaid at some locations and as well as many private health insurances. A sliding fee scale program for those individuals who do not have insurance coverage is also offered to eligible patients. For more information, visit Community Health Northwest Florida's web site at healthcarewithinreach.org.

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