

# ***OMC TO HOST DENTAL OPEN HOUSE***

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*Natchitoches, Louisiana.-*

On Friday, October 20, 2023, Outpatient Medical Center will host a Dental Open House to showcase its newly opened dental services. The open house will be held at OMC’s facility in Natchitoches, located at 1640 Breazeale Springs Street. The event will begin with a presentation at 9:30 A.M., and the open house will run until noon. Visitors will have the chance to meet the OMC front desk staff, administrative team, dental clinic staff, and members of the Board of Directors. Visitors will also tour the dental department and learn about the services that OMC offers the community.

Outpatient Medical Center reopened its dental services on August 3, 2023, and looks forward to continually serving the Natchitoches Area. OMC Board of Directors member Doris Hullaby was the first patient served by the dental clinic. “The care was excellent,” said Hullaby, “I am so glad to see an accessible service like this in Natchitoches.”

Dental services through an FQHC are highly beneficial to the Natchitoches area, because of the low number of people who have dental insurance coverage.

Many people may have insurance but no coverage for dental or very limited coverage. Those without dental insurance may apply for a sliding fee discount. Discounts may range from 20% to 100% of full charges. A patient who is below the federal poverty level is never refused services due to an inability to pay.

“After months of hard work and planning, OMC is proud to offer dental services of this level to the Natchitoches community, and to serve the underserved,” said OMC’s Chief Operations Officer, Richard Bruce.

It is as easy as making one phone call to schedule a dental appointment with OMC, Calling (318)-357-2060 directs to a voicemail box where callers are asked to leave their name, phone number, and address. Patients will be called back in order to schedule an appointment.

OMC is an option for you, because caring for you is what we do! For more information call the nearest OMC Clinic. More information on clinic locations and services can be found at [www.outpatientmedical.org](http://www.outpatientmedical.org).

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From left, Richard Bruce, Dr. Cliff Davis, Doris Hullaby, and Taylor Moran at the opening of the dental clinic. Doris Hullaby, an OMC Board of Director, was the first patient to receive dental care at the new clinic.

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