



Serving the people
on the Waianae Coast
Since 1972

www.wcchc.com

Ka Leo 'O Ke Aloha Me Ka Leo 'O Ke Ola

"The Voice of Aloha, The Voice of Health"

The Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

JUNE 2006

VOLUME 24 • NUMBER 7 • RICHARD BETTINI, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER • DR. RIC CUSTODIO, MEDICAL DIRECTOR • LYLE KALOI, PRESIDENT

National Community Health Center Advocacy Director Visits Health Center



Marc Weatherhorn, National Advocacy Director for the National Association of Community Health Centers, visited the Waianae Comp Health Center recently (pictured 2nd from left). Hosting him on his visit were (left to right) Kauila Clark and Merrie Aipoalani, board members, and Rich Bettini, CEO. In a message to the Center, Marc stated "As I prepare to leave Hawaii, I just wanted to thank you for your time and hospitality during my visit. While I am still relatively new to the Health Center movement, I get to see a lot of health centers as I travel around and I have to say with all honesty that Waianae sets the standard against how I now have to measure every one I see. Not just the care you provide, your amazing facilities and your visionary planning, but the real sense that Waianae is not just in, but is OF the community is amazing. Of course, I know the level of commitment you have to advocacy (I only wish I could clone it!) and I appreciate it very much. Thanks again for your wonderful hospitality."

YOUTH HEALTH CORPS SUMMER PROGRAM



The Youth Health Corps — TeenBEAT program exploded this summer with participants from Kapolei, Nanakuli, and Waianae signing up for this awesome 5 week program. The Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center's Ho'olokahi Department welcomes these new recruits and looks forward to working with them on issues regarding tobacco prevention, laulima (teamwork), kuleana (responsibility), and OHANA. Participants will also shadow a health professional at one of the WCCHC clinics, go on field trips to various colleges, and provide community education. The Ho'olokahi Department is glad that we can provide a safe place for these students to learn and grow.

NO HEALTH INSURANCE?

We can provide you with medical care.
Call and ask for
Patient Assistance Services — 696-7081

JULY 2006 ~ MAIN CLINIC HOURS:

Dental & Medical Clinics:

CLOSED: Independence Day - Monday, June 4

Medical Clinics:

Appointments available Monday - Saturday
Call 696-7081 to schedule an appointment.

Dental Clinic:

Open Monday - Friday and some Saturdays.
Call 696-1496 to schedule an appointment.

Adult Day Care open 365 days a year.

Call 696-4490 for more information.

**Emergency Room
open 24 hours a day!**

WAIANAEO PROFESSIONAL PHARMACY

Open Monday through Thursday
9:00 AM - 5:30 PM
Friday - 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Congratulations to Waianae Health Academy (Ola Loa Ka Na'auao - Life Long Learning) Graduates



Community Health Worker II Graduates: (Front row L-R) Kathleen Eberhart, Diane Phillips, Daphne Kahawai-Tom. (Back row) Corinthia Kapololu, Adriana Guzman. Missing: Charlemagne Adams, Wendy-Ann Lee, Stephen Schmidt.



Dental Assisting Graduates: (L-R) Caulette Kaneao, Jasmine Vierra-Kealoha, Hiolani Wallehua-Boyce, Lori Ann Noa, Janet Joseph, Kau'ionalani Brown.



Nurse Aide (February) Graduates: (Front row L-R) Adriana Guzman, Nafeesha Waioiama and Dawn Moon. (Back row) Barantina Keamo, Shana Kamaka, Amberley Stineman, Helen Alapal, Sheena Bickell, Celeste Respicio Missing: Ashley Vogel.



Nurse Aide (May) Graduates: (Front row L-R) Ashley Jury, Valline Schmidt (Back Row) Alexis Akau, Jamie McCormack, Tanya Keliikipi, Jocelyn Hanawahine, Adele Mier, Kassydy Schwartz.

The Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center

Is offering a

**FREE SCHOOL READINESS
SCREENING and a
FREE School Readiness
Back Pack to all keiki born
in 2002 & 2003**

Parents will receive a
FREE Tamura's gift certificate.

- Know if your child is prepared for school
- See if your child is developing appropriately
- Identify potential learning delays

For more information
or to schedule a
screening
please call Lorna
at 696-11573 or
696-1440



Meet the Waiola Clinic (Waianae Mall) Team



The Waiola Clinic team serves patients Monday through Friday from 8:00am-5:00pm and Saturdays from 8:00am-12:00pm. The clinic is located in the Waianae Mall in back of Blockbusters and the West Coast Community Federal Credit Union. Staff at the clinic include (front row, left to right): Kanani Young, Kanani Kao (Team Office Manager), Dr. Ann Huynh (Behavioral Health Specialist), and Kaehe Rosa. Second row: Eunice Ching, Krysia Abihai, Shirley Abad, and Malepe Toilolo. Third row: Dr. James Best, Bobbie Keli (Nurse Practitioner), and Lisa Moniz. Missing from the picture is Dr. Marie Pescador, Robin Isobe and Rahna Moniz.

Health Center Hosts Leadership Conference for Community Health Center Board Members Statewide



For the past few years, the Health Center's board of directors has made a commitment to coordinate leadership training for community health center board members throughout the State. Last month, 26 board members gathered at the Plaza Hotel near the airport to discuss topics ranging from fund development, conducting effective board meetings, board and staff relationships, support for new start health centers, and resources for health centers. Joseph Gallegos, Vice President of Operations for the National Association of Community Health Centers - Western Region, pictured above, presented an update on national issues impacting community health centers and on the importance of advocacy in supporting the community health center movement.

PARENTING CLASSES

July 15, 2006

Healthy Cooking

August 19, 2006

Caring for Your Child's Smile

WHERE: Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center Admin. Conference Room
When: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

TO REGISTER PLEASE CALL 696-1440 OR 696-1573

Wai'anae Health Academy

IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2006 FALL SEMESTER

Earn college credits from Kapi'olani Community College Right here in Wai'anae ...

- Transition from PN to RN
- Introduction to Health Professions
- Phlebotomy
- Pharmacy Technician
- Community Health Worker in Social Work
- Medical Receptionist

TB clearance, immunization records, and Birth Certificate required

For more information, call the Wai'anae Health Academy at 696-3155 or visit us at 86-088 Farrington Hwy, Suite 202 Next to Leeward Community College - Wai'anae

A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER, LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND KAPI'OLANI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER

The Pavilion



Chef Daniel welcomes you to enjoy THE PAVILION.

Looking for the **PERFECT PLACE** to Celebrate Your **SPECIAL EVENT?**

Call for Site Rental Information
(100 person minimum)

Happy 4th of July!

Open: Monday - Friday
6:30 am to 1:30 pm

Breakfast / Lunch Grill

Breakfast Menu: Coffee and tea bar, fruits, breads and cereals, made to order breakfast items

Lunch Menu: Hot lunch items daily including: soup, sandwiches, salads and desserts.

In addition to our daily lunch items, we have the following weekday specials

Tuesday: Cheeseburger, Hot Dogs & French Fries

Wednesday: BBQ Plates
(Chicken, Short Ribs, Combo)

Thursday: Pasta Bar

Friday: Hawaiian Plate (Kalua pig, laulau)

Join Us Every Sunday for the

"All You Can Eat" Brunch on the Hill!

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Adults (\$17.95) Children 2-10 yrs (\$10.95)

Feast on breakfast and a variety of lunch entrees

Friday Pau Hana Barbecue!

3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Lower campus of the Health Center/Adult Day Car Parking Lot
Enjoy barbecue steak, kal bi and chicken pau hana dinner plates

696-1489