



MercyHealthClinic

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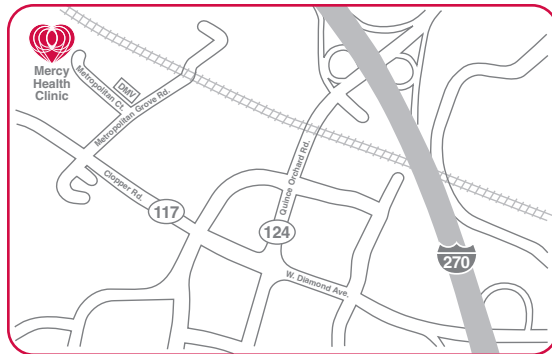
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Quality Health Care from
the Heart for Those in Need

Directions to the Clinic

The Clinic is located at 7-1 Metropolitan Court, a block from the Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA). Driving south on 270 toward Quince Orchard Road, use exit 11 and follow the signs to the MVA. Coming north on 270, use exit 10, turn right on to Rt. 117 West and follow the signs to the MVA.

Metropolitan Court is the first street on the left as you approach the MVA. The Clinic is on the left side near the end of the street.



Bus Service

The following Ride-On buses service Clopper Road:

- 61 (Mon.-Sun.)
- 71 (Mon.-Fri. rush hour only)
- 78 (Mon.-Fri. rush hour only)

During the day, some 61 buses provide service into Metropolitan Court.

**Health Care from
the Heart with
You in Mind**



Mercy Health Clinic is a nonprofit, non-sectarian, volunteer organization that provides quality medical care to the uninsured, low-income residents of Montgomery County.

Clinic Services

In the initial patient visit, volunteer physicians evaluate the patient's physical condition and provide the appropriate medical treatment. Follow-up visits are scheduled as needed.

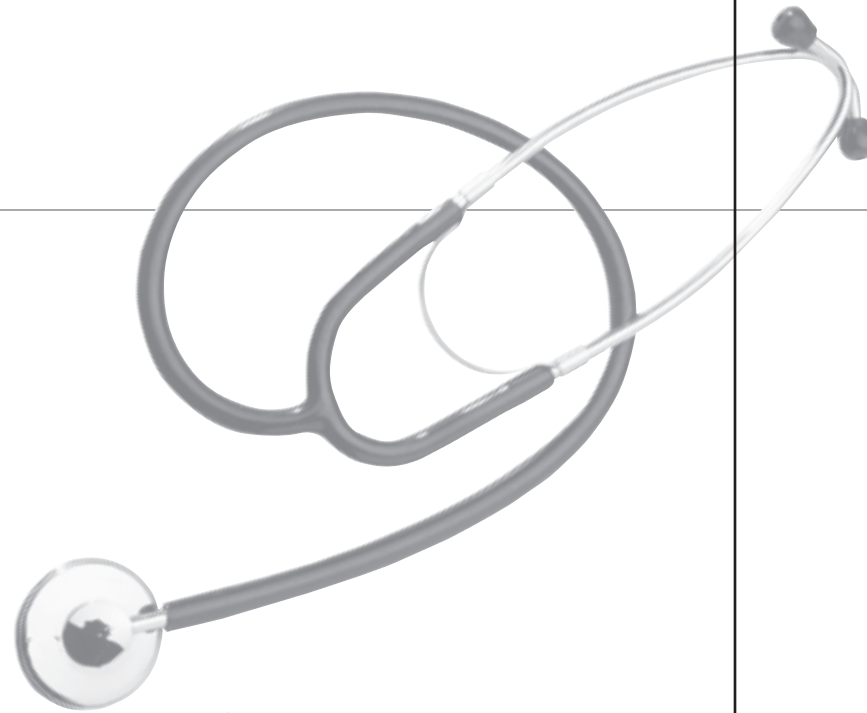
The Clinic also provides:

- laboratory tests
- prescription drugs and medications
- x-rays and imaging studies
- cancer screening, especially for breast, colon, and prostate cancer
- mental health services
- education in lifestyle changes that can improve a patient's overall health

Mercy Health Clinic is not equipped to provide emergency care or perform specialized medical procedures.

Dental Services

In the fall of 2007, the Montgomery County Division of Public Health will begin providing dental care services at the Clinic site. Many Mercy Health Clinic patients will be eligible to participate in this dental program.



Referral Services

Patients, who require health services that are not provided by the Clinic, such as surgery, biopsies, and special procedures, are referred to specialists in private practices who will frequently treat patients at reduced rates.

Interpreters

Many of our volunteer interpreters speak Spanish and interpreters in over 170 other languages are now available to Clinic patients and physicians through a special telephone service.

Eligibility

Everyone wishing to receive medical services at Mercy Health Clinic must be interviewed. Interviews are held on Tuesday and Wednesdays each week from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Appointments are not required for eligibility interviews.



Patient Eligibility Requirements

Patients must be residents of Montgomery County, without health insurance, nineteen years of age or older, and have a total household income of less than 250% of poverty level (established by the Federal Government).

Required Documentation

The following information is required for the eligibility interview:

- the most current tax returns for all members of the household who work
- four of the most recent pay stubs for all members of the household who work
- photo identification
- utilities bills to verify the place of residence
- mortgage papers, lease agreements, or a letter from the landlord verifying the prospective patient's current address and the length of time this person has resided at the address

Fees

Clinic Services are free of charge. However, patients who are financially able are encouraged to contribute \$25.00 at their first visit and \$10.00 at each follow-up visit to help support the expenses of the Clinic.

Making an Appointment

After eligibility is determined, medical visits are by appointment only. Please call 240-773-0300 to schedule a time.