

From The Desk

of CEO Geri Forbes



We are living in times of change with many unknowns. This creates concern and unrest as we all try to anticipate the days ahead. But one certainty is that you can rely on our team at WhidbeyHealth. We treat you like family.

Our providers are dedicated to keeping you feeling safe and cared for as they treat your ailments and become your partner in staying well.

Our new inpatient wing is complete thanks to generous community support. Patients in need of hospital care will now have a modern, high-quality and enhanced comfort experience. Research shows that patients experience shorter hospital stays and improved healing with the support of family or friend. It was our goal to help make this happen, as it also allows for another set of ears when we explain tests, treatment or new medications.

In each patient room of the new wing, you will find a family zone to allow you the companionship of your guests during your stay. Each room includes a couch that converts to an easy pop up table, where guests can eat a meal or get some work done. It also becomes a comfortable sleeper for those who wish to spend the night.

For those giving birth, WhidbeyHealth Family Birthplace offers larger rooms, a comfort jetted tub, adaptable lighting and expanded space for a shared birthing experience, including that comfortable sleeper couch for dads!

Rural Health systems cannot be all things to all people, but we are committed to bringing you the right level of care. For more complex care, we continue to forge strong partnerships. We also continue to expand access at our primary care locations and have new providers joining the team.

Even in these unpredictable times, you can be certain that WhidbeyHealth is here for your lifetime of care.

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