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Doctors Express Expands to Route 20 in Marlborough

Increases urgent care access in Metro West

Marlborough, Mass.—December 5, 2014— Today Doctors Express announced it will open a nearly 4,000 square foot new state-of-the-art urgent care facility in Marlborough, expanding access to high-quality health care for residents in the area. The Marlborough clinic is the twelfth Doctors Express location in Massachusetts. As one of the largest urgent care networks in the United States, Doctors Express is staffed by board-certified physicians and has earned exceptionally high patient satisfaction by providing quality care in a convenient, lower-cost setting.

"We serve patients after hours, on holidays and on weekends, whenever they need it. The care delivered by our board certified doctors and experienced medical team complements care provided by primary care physicians and in emergency rooms," said Dr. Roxanne Latimer, medical director Doctors Express Marlborough. "We provide immediate access to quality care so our patients can get the treatment they need and get back to their routines."

Located on <u>42 Boston Post Road West</u>, Doctors Express will offer urgent care Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and on weekends from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The practice will be open every day of the year except Thanksgiving and Christmas. No appointments or referrals are necessary – all major insurance is accepted with a co-pay that is a fraction of an emergency room and the average door-to-door time is under one hour. On-site services such as an X-ray, sutures, and lab work will be available for non-critical conditions like strep throat, sprains, strains, lacerations and the flu.

"We are excited to offer efficient, affordable and convenient urgent care to Marlborough and its surrounding communities. Doctors Express has a strong record of high patient satisfaction, expanding access to quality care in the communities it serves," said Bing Yeo, Managing Director, Doctors Express Marlborough.

This will be the second Doctors Express Metro West location to open in the past two years. Doctors Express Marlborough will provide nine private exam rooms and is expected to employ more than 20 doctors and staff. The provider also has a location in Natick and has cared for more than 20,000 patients in the Metro West region.

Prior to opening, Doctors Express Marlborough has been engaging with local business leaders and community groups. "Doctors Express is a welcome addition to the Marlborough community. Our residents and employees working throughout the city now have another great option for accessing high quality medical care," said Arthur Vigeant, Mayor of the City of Marlborough.

About Doctors Express

The largest urgent care network in the United States, Doctors Express recently joined with American Family Care (AFC) to further expand its exceptional accessible primary care, urgent care, minor emergency treatment and occupational medicine. Based in Birmingham, Alabama, American Family Care (AFC) enjoys a national reputation for delivering the highest levels of patient satisfaction in a broad range of medical services. Together, AFC Doctors Express is the second largest privately owned urgent care operator in the country and able to extend a greater range of family and urgent care medical services in the most caring, convenient and affordable way possible.

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