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Pictured L to R: Courtney Dill – Director of Nursing, Obstetrics Jerome Morasko – President & CEO Kathy Durflinger – Chief Nursing Officer Kim Winkle – Vice President of Operations

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BREATHING EASIER WEIGHT-LOSS SURGERY THAT WORKS p3



NO MORE KNEE PAIN A JOINT REPLACEMENT JOURNEY **p10**

AVITA HEARTBURN & REFLUX CENTER

Esophagus

Stomach

Sphincter

closed

open

reflux

allowing

Acid reflux is a simple term used to describe gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD). This condition affects millions of Americans daily. The most common symptom is heartburn, which feels like a burning sensation in the chest, neck, or throat and can last for hours. Long-term acid reflux can lead to Barrett's Esophagus, a serious complication that puts you at an increased risk of developing esophageal cancer.

What is acid reflux? It occurs when acid from the stomach flows backward into the esophagus. Over time, stomach acid can damage the tissue lining of the esophagus and cause sores, ulcers, scar tissue, and precancerous changes to the esophagus. It's important to treat frequent acid reflux to reduce your risk of damage and prevent future complications.

YOU MAY HAVE CHRONIC ACID REFLUX IF YOU...

- 1. Experience heartburn 2+ times per week
- 2. Routinely take antacid medications
- 3. Regurgitate (vomit) food or liquid
- 4. Have difficulty swallowing
- 5. Have a chronic sore throat or dry cough

20% OF ADULTS HAVE ACID REFLUX. **ARE YOU ONE OF THEM?**

You don't have to live with symptoms of acid reflux. Avita's heartburn and reflux experts will provide the most advanced medical and surgical treatment options for you.

— Avita Heartburn & Reflux Center Team —

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six years ago. She had to carry around an oxygen tank and take steroids which caused her to gain weight. "I was very depressed, and I felt ugly. Every time I was put on steroids, I'd gain more weight. I didn't want anyone to see me." In January 2021, she decided to meet with bariatric surgeon Dr. Thomas Smith. Now she has kissed that oxygen tank goodbye and is on track to match her high school weight!

April decided to have a Roux-en-Y gastric bypass, which was performed robotically by Dr. Smith in June. Since that first meeting, April has lost 105 pounds with just 50 more to meet her goal. She said that this transformation has been incredible. She can get more air into her lungs, and while she is still medicated for her lung disease, she no longer needs an oxygen tank. "I feel incredible!" April has more energy now and is able to walk without a problem!

April added that she feels welcome at Dr. Smith's office because there is a laid-back atmosphere. She can even give Dr. Smith a hard time about having hard candy in the office. "Dr. Smith is funny, kind, and patient with the people in his care. He's the kind of

doctor you want to make proud."



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more Bariatric Providers



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INFECTIOUS DISEASE services

Infections are common and can affect any part of the body. Dr. Nancy Crum treats all types of infections anywhere in the body. This includes urinary tract infections, skin infections, bone and joint infections, bloodstream infections, and pneumonia to name a few. She also treats Lyme disease, MRSA, hepatitis, and HIV. Dr. Crum said, "If it's an infection, I'll take a look".

Many common infections in our area include skin infections, recurring urinary tract infections, and Hepatitis-C, but new organisms, like COVID-19, are constantly emerging. Dr. Crum specializes in new and unusual infections, keeping up to date on new research for our local area and around the world! She enjoys the detective work of figuring out what type of infection is present and determining the best treatment.

best patient experience.

IF IT'S AN INFECTION, I'LL TAKE A LOOK.

> Gastroenterologists specialize in the health and diseases of the gastrointestinal (GI) tract, also called the digestive system. This includes organs like your stomach, gallbladder, intestines, esophagus, and rectum. In simple terms, the GI tract is the pathway food takes through your body.

Avita is proud to offer local, expert gastroenterology care to our patients at Ontario Hospital. According to our gastroenterologist, William Emlich, Jr., DO, there are several reasons your primary care provider may refer you to a GI specialist. The most common issues Dr. Emlich treats are Irritable Bowel Syndrome and iron deficiencies, but he also treats abdominal pain, ulcers, various viruses and anemias, and so much more.

You can *learn more* about our Gastroenterology services at *avitahealth.org/services/gastroenterology*

> Dr. Emlich also specializes in hepatology which is the study of the liver. He offers expert care for liver diseases and related conditions.

Welcome NANCY CRUM, MD

Avita is excited to welcome Infectious Disease Specialist Nancy Crum, MD to the team! Dr. Crum is board-certified in internal medicine, infectious disease, and tropical medicine and hygiene. She received her medical doctorate from the University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine in Chicago, Illinois. She completed a residency and infectious disease fellowship at the Naval Medical Center in San Diego, California. Dr. Crum has extensive clinical experience in infectious diseases, working in the field for over 20 years. She specializes in HIV/AIDS, soft tissue/joint infections, urinary tract infections, emerging infections, travel-related infections, and antimicrobial stewardship. She is accepting patients at Bucyrus, Galion, and Ontario Hospitals.

Dr. Crum is excited to provide comprehensive care at Avita Health

System and to work closely with the rest of the patients' care

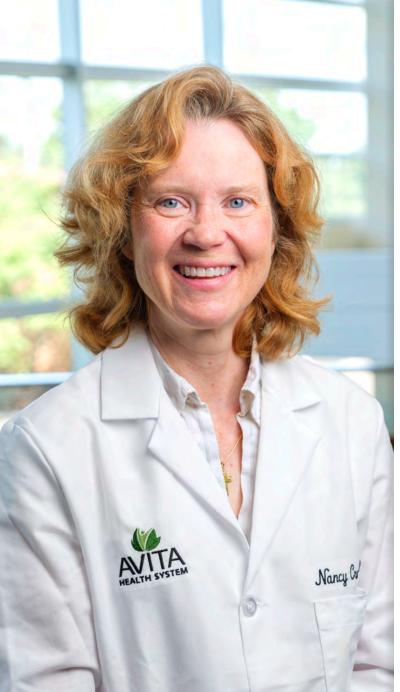
team as part of a multidisciplinary approach to provide the very

Learn more at avitahealth.org/services/infectious-disease.

To request an appointment, call **419-468-0965**

did you know







30+ years of caring for your digestive tract!

William Emlich, Jr., DO

Welcome

Board-certified in Internal Medicine and in Columbus and a gastroenterology He is a Fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Internists (FACOI).

as the president and managing partner at therapy, small bowel pill cam, BRAVO studies,

Mall in Ontario, and he cares for patients of

To request an appointment, call 419-526-4266



Your nervous system is central to the way you experience life and your environment. It controls everything from your senses, balance, and movement to memory and your ability to reason. Your nervous system can experience a wide range of problems, from common issues such as headaches to more complex disorders like seizures and Parkinson's disease. Our board-certified neurologists provide comprehensive, compassionate care allowing you to experience life to the fullest.

Call **419-462-4630** to request an appointment with one of our neurologists.

Welcome Omar Ahmad, MD to the Avita team! Dr. Ahmad earned his Medical Doctorate from Eastern Virginia Medical School. He completed a neurology residency at Henry Ford Hospital and fellowships in movement disorders and neurophysiology at the National Institutes of Health. His special interests include movement disorders, neuromuscular disorders, migraines, epilepsy, dementia, EMG, EEG, and Botox[®].

Accepting patients 18 years and older at Ontario and Galion Hospitals.

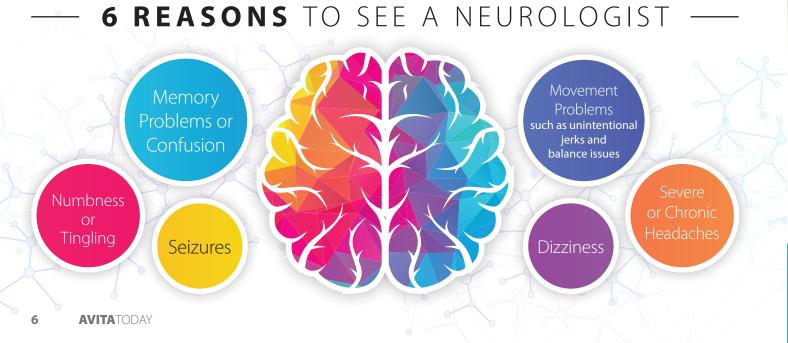
Meet the Rest of the Neurology Team

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labor and delivery

Now at Ontario Hospital

Avita Ontario Hospital has opened a state-of-the art maternity unit featuring the only Labor, Delivery, Recovery, and Postpartum (LDRP) suites in the region. These fully-equipped suites create a safe, comfortable birthing experience for mom and baby. In most maternity units, labor and delivery occur in one room while recovery and postpartum care is in a separate room. With LDRP suites, you labor, deliver, recover, and receive postpartum care all in the same room, and your baby stays with you until you're ready to go home. LDRP suites create a unique birthing experience that combines the comforts of home with the safety of a hospital.



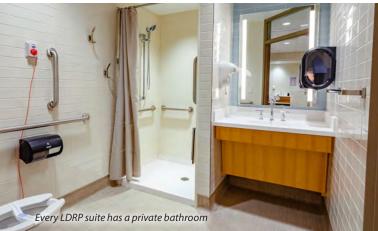
Avita now offers labor and delivery in both Crawford and Richland Counties!

LDRP Unit at Ontario Hospital

Ontario Hospital's LDRP unit has 11 suites, 2 triage rooms, 2 operating rooms, and a nursery. The LDRP suites are spacious with over 400 square feet of brand-new amenities, including private bathrooms and fold-down sleeper sofas. They are designed to feel comfortable, like home, but with the safety and security of a full-service hospital.

Bringing a new life into the world is a special, joyous occasion. At Avita, we want moms to have the best possible birthing experience. We provide expert care and the most advanced technologies so you can focus on what matters the most your new baby!







was completed in January 2022 by Adena Corporation in Mansfield

During your stay, your baby will remain at your bedside. Studies have shown that it's best for moms and babies to stay together after birth.



Each suite has an infant warmer & bassinet available

Women's Care



Elizabeth S. Chung, MD Edroy L. McMillan, MD



Michael J. Subit, MD

physicians from Women's Care



The Birth Place at Galion Hospital

Avita's maternity unit at Galion Hospital has been "The Birth Place" for babies in Crawford County and the surrounding area since 1941. Generations of new moms have trusted us to provide a birthing experience with the highest level of expertise and compassion. Our commitment to safe and healthy deliveries goes beyond the advanced technology, security features, and comforts of home that we provide in our Galion maternity unit. It is our team that makes all the difference!

Knowledgeable, caring, and comforting are words that our patients often use to describe the OB/GYN providers and maternity care team at Galion Hospital. They are so remarkable that three of our OB nurses have won the prestigious Daisy Award for Extraordinary Nurses® since its inception at Avita Health System in 2018. All three nurses were nominated by grateful moms. In 2019,

OB/GYN Dr. Tyler Huggins received the Avita Health Foundation's Esteemed Physician Award for his 30-year dedication to women and babies in Crawford County. Dr. Huggins has delivered more than 9,000 babies at Galion Hospital and counting!



Dr. Huggins is joined by Dr. Gwendoline Fang, Dr. Anne Clark, and Dr. John Bailey,



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bringing 67 years of combined OB/GYN experience to Galion Hospital.

In addition to providing maternity care at Galion Hospital, Dr. Fang will also provide services in the newly completed LDRP unit at Ontario Hospital.

Galion Hospital's maternity care team has a long history of providing exceptional care, which includes a commitment to continuous improvement and the highest standards. In 2018, they earned 5-star recognition as part of the Ohio First Steps for Healthy Babies initiative, which awards hospitals for taking steps to promote, protect, and support breastfeeding. In 2021, Galion Hospital's maternity unit joined Lifeline of Ohio's Placenta Donation program and have received numerous donations from new moms that have helped heal up to 250 people!

Avita's OB/GYN Team



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Same-Day Joint Replacement

Scott Foster, MD offers outpatient total hip and knee replacement surgery at Avita. Patients who meet the criteria for outpatient joint replacement will be able to go home from the hospital on the day of their surgery.

While highly beneficial for certain patients, same-day discharge is not right for everyone. Some joint replacement patients need a little extra care with just 1-2 nights in the hospital.

SCOTT FOSTER, MD 419-709-8650

Debbie put off her knee replacements for many years as she was caring for her aging parents. Her knees were bone-on-bone, painful, and it was difficult for her to walk. On a retirement trip, Debbie felt bad that she couldn't walk far or climb stairs. That's when she decided it was time to seek help.

Debbie remembered hearing a radio commercial for Dr. Scott Foster and recalled him stating he treats his patients like he would his own grandma. Debbie had Dr. Foster's grandmother as a history teacher at Lexington schools, and she was an A+ teacher, so she thought, "this is the surgeon for me."

Debbie made an appointment with Dr. Foster and thought he was very personable,

and his entire staff was welcoming and treated her like family. "The staff are all so friendly, always greeting you with a smile," she said. "Dr. Foster's program and the Joint Camp are amazing. You go and learn all about what is going to happen, and his nurse Jane, who's been with him since he started, demonstrates everything. They explain everything in layman's terms, so it's easy to understand."

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Chad Miley, CNP Joint Replacement Ontario 419-709-8650 In November 2020, Debbie arrived at Ontario Hospital to have her right knee replacement surgery. "When you have your surgery, they insert this thin line into the knee cavity, which is attached to a bag of medicine (an ON-Q ball). It is not an addictive pain medication. It's just a numbing agent, like when you have a tooth filled. You use it for a week and it gets you through the hardest part



after surgery," explained Debbie.

Her experience was top notch and she really appreciated the rose that Dr. Foster and his staff sent to her room after surgery. Debbie was able to walk out of the hospital and go home the same day.

Just five months later, Dr. Foster also replaced her left knee. Debbie currently has zero knee pain. She no longer has trouble walking and can stand up straight without assistance. As an usher at her church, she can

now proudly walk down the aisle without her husband's help.

Based on her experience at Avita Health System, Debbie believes that Dr. Foster's program runs like a well-oiled machine and was happy she could stay close to home. "That was a big thing, the convenience. He's just down the road," said Debbie. "I'd give my experience an A+!"





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$\star \star \star \star Salute to \star \star \star$ ANTHONY MIDKIFF, MD

EMERGENCY MEDICINE PROVIDER

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY AND COMMUNITY



Dr. Anthony Midkiff works in the Emergency Department at Bucyrus and Ontario Hospitals, but shares his time with the U.S. Air National Guard. He told us that he had a calling to join the military and offer his service. He considers it one of the best things he has ever done. In turn, he gets to travel the world and recently returned from deployment.

Q: Where all have you served?

A: I've been to Germany and a few other places.

Q: Do you have a favorite location you've visited?

A: Dead Sea! The Dead Sea was pretty neat. You walk out and just float. As I was leaving, I had 5 days waiting on my rotator to go home, so I got to go to some touristy places. We were in Jordan by the border with the Dead Sea, so I got to go.

Q: What all have you done in your service? Do you have a favorite job?

A: Training. Taking care of people. I worked out in the med clinics keeping everybody ready to go. I'm part of a ground surgical

team. It's a six-man team that is mobile and we can pack in, set up, and be ready for surgery in about an hour and a half to take

> care of people. I deployed with that package and that was probably my favorite job.

Q: Has your service helped you grow as a medical provider?

A: The experience is amazing. It allows you to see and do things that you'd never be able to do. You're just not able to see these things in a community hospital in Ohio. It gives you a different outlook on things that's for

sure. You get to take care of people who have nothing. No healthcare. All just because of where they were born.



Q: A: Do you have any fun stories you'd like to share?

You know, this is one of those questions where on the spot nothing comes to mind, but as soon as we're done, I'll have 30 things come to mind! It's interesting being on a forward base of 200 people. Getting to go over there and talk to these kids and learn who people are. That was enjoyable. I couldn't leave that base for six months

and a lot of people wouldn't think it's fun, but I did.

Dr. Midkiff's **Service History**

Military Branch: USAF Air National Guard Number of Years Served: 5 years Status: Currently Serving **Occupation:** Emergency Physician Highest Rank: Lieutenant Colonel Locations Served: 179th Airlift Wing



ANTHONY MIDKIFF

ON THE FRONTLINE 24/7 ER.

Avita's Emergency Rooms Are Directed By Physicians Who Serve Our **Communities And Our Country**



ANTHONY MIDKIFF, MD Medical Director of Emergency Medicine at Bucyrus and Ontario Hospitals Lieutenant Colonel, USAF Air National Guard (currently serving, 5 years)



JOHN SCHOETTMER, MD Medical Director of Emergency Medicine at Galion Hospital Lieutenant Colonel, USAF, USAF Air National Guard (retired, 27 years)

In an emergency, you want the most knowledgeable and experienced physicians. Avita's ER physicians understand the level of service required to be on the front line of our hospitals. They are skilled at making rapid decisions,

diagnoses, and providing emergency treatment for life-threatening illnesses and injuries. All of our ERs are hospital-based and backed by a team of specialists who provide 24/7 care for emergency heart attacks, stroke, COVID-19, and more.

When you need emergency care, our team of experts are ready 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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