

OUR MISSION IS POWERFUL: WE ARE COMMITTED TO DELIVERING INDIVIDUALIZED, PRECISE, AND CUTTING-EDGE CANCER TREATMENT TO PATIENTS AND COMMUNITIES CLOSE TO HOME.

THE CARE CONNECTION

MARCH 2026



EXECUTIVE LENSE: BOLIVAR MEDICAL ONCOLOGY UPDATE

FOR NEARLY 20 YEARS, CMH AND CENTRAL CARE CANCER CENTER HAVE WORKED TOGETHER TO PROVIDE HIGH-QUALITY CANCER CARE TO THE BOLIVAR COMMUNITY. THIS PARTNERSHIP LED TO THE OPENING OF THE CANCER CENTER IN 2008.

Beginning April 1, 2026, CMH will provide medical oncology and infusion services through the CMH Oncology Clinic and CMH Oncology Infusion Center. The Oral Medication Center will also transition to CMH and become CMH Specialty Pharmacy.

CCCC will continue to provide radiation oncology services at the Carrie J. Babb Cancer Center, ensuring patients continue to receive the same trusted expertise. CMH will contract with CCCC for physician, billing and management services. CMH will also continue to offer nutrition counseling and social services support at the cancer center.

Why this is important for CCCC? Our mission is to provide care to all patients in the community and this enables us to expand our services in coordination with the hospital system as we continue to grow.

- Kim Wallin, Chief Nursing Officer

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY: UPGRADES ON THE WAY



UPGRADES TO INFRASTRUCTURE ARE WHAT HELP COMPANIES GROW. 2025 WAS A STRONG FINISH, 2026 IS JUST BEGINNING.

We are excited to announce we are moving to Microsoft 365 by early 2nd quarter. As we move towards further partnership with larger hospitals, it's apparent the need for us to scale our technology assets. Moving to Microsoft 365 allows for a secure, cloud-based and collaborative environment where employees are now able to share documents, have access to AI with Microsoft Co-Pilot and this better enables us to improve our security front. There will be extensive training and communication to come.

-Chris West, CIO

NEW CHRO JOINS



2026 HAS ARRIVED WITH AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A FRESH START. KASIE COOK JOINS AS CHIEF OF HUMAN RESOURCES.

I am excited to join an organization whose mission states it all: we are committed to delivering individualized, precise, and cutting-edge cancer treatment to patients and communities close to home. Coming in as a leader, I'm committed to getting to know each and every one of you. In the coming weeks, I will be traveling to each location and getting to understand what it is that makes everyone excited to come to work and grow with Central Care.

Over the coming months I look forward to identifying and coming up with ideas and solutions to enhance your work life here.

A little bit about Kasie: she has 2 daughters, Layla (4), Millie (1), her husband Jake of which they will be celebrating 10 years of marriage in October. In her free time she likes to quilt with her family, exercise, and provide custom alterations to wedding dresses.

-Kasie Cook, CHRO

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PEOPLE AND CULTURE

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

SHELBY PONCIN



Shelby Poncin, RN is the Medical Oncology Clinic Director for the Great Bend clinic.

Shelby's favorite thing about being a nurse is caring for her patients and forming lasting relationships with patients and their families.

Fun facts about Shelby

- Loves spending time with her family at the lake and sand dunes
- Watching her daughter (Rosslyn, 5yrs) do dance and gymnastics
- A huge animal lover who has a pug named Carly

CULTURE OF CARES

RECOGNITION PROGRAM IS LAUNCHING IN MARCH

CENTRAL CARE CANCER CENTER HAS EMPLOYEES WHO TRULY ARE TOP-TIER IN ALL FACETS OF THEIR WORK. NOW IT'S TIME TO SPOTLIGHT THOSE WHO EXHIBIT OUR MISSION AND A CULTURES OF CARES:

Communication
Accountability
Responsibility
Excellence in
Service

Culture of CARES recognition program is based upon the concept of employees exhibiting our mission and upholding our culture of CARES.

Criteria

Nominated employees must be classified as having good standing with attendance and performance. Good standing is defined as no disciplinary documents within the prior 6 months. Employees nominated must be classified as full-time; full-time is defined as working 30 hours or more on average per week.

Nominations

To nominate a teammate, the nomination form (see HR) must be completed and submitted to the human resources (HR) department. In the event that there is more than one nomination for that month, all nominees will be put in a hat and a name will be drawn. The remainder of the names will be kept for the next drawing.

Rewards

One award will be given each month. The nominated teammate will receive a \$25 gift card alongside a formal plaque. The employee who took the time to nominate their teammate will receive a \$25 gift card.

Program Rules

In order to be eligible for an award, all nominees must be employed at the time the award is given. Winners cannot be nominated again within 6 months of receiving the award. All nomination forms must be received by the 25th of the month. The winner will be announced first to their manager for presentation of the award and secondly to all staff via the company's newsletter the month following.

Email: kasie.cook@cccancer.com for the nomination form and program details.



Bailey Conway, 2nd
Madison Wolf, 6th
Chris West, 8th
Cindy Unruh, 9th
Ariana Jimenez, 10th
Geethika Gummadi, 15th
Dylan Derr, 20th
Chelsi Shivers, 24th
Nicholas Venning, 27th
Aleighcea Kuntz, 27th
Michelle Hindman, 31st

WORK ANNIVERSARIES

Madelynn Redeker, 2 years
Josephine Pugh, 3 years
Amber Lindars, 3 years
Azucena Cintora, 3 years
Bryan Kruleski, 12 years

Joke of the month
Why did the mattress go to
the doctor?
It had spring fever

