## Halifax Health to Open Three Halifax Health ExpressCare Locations

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Halifax Health will open three locations of its walk-in clinic care offering, ExpressCare in July. ExpressCare, Halifax Health Walk-In Clinic locations will open in Ormond Beach, Daytona Beach Shores and Deltona during the month of July. An additional location is being built in the new Belvedere Park in Port Orange and will open this fall.

The Halifax Health offering is representing a brand new partnership with Noon Development of Chattanooga, Tennessee who will manage the care centers. ExpressCare will offer care for patients age two and older for a wide variety of non-life-threatening medical conditions, including:

Colds and flu
Sore throats and strep throat
Ear infections
Pink eye (conjunctivitis)
Urinary tract infections (UTIs)
Nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea
Back pain
Minor burns
Broken bones
Sprains and strains

Wounds and lacerations that need stitches

According to Jeff Feasel, President and CEO of Halifax Health, "ExpressCare is just another way of increasing access to medical care for non-life-threatening conditions in the area we serve. In addition, because we have access to digital X-ray technology at each location, we can provide a speedy diagnosis for many sports-related injuries and other ailments. Our walk-in clinic is also equipped with a clinical lab, allowing us to provide a broad array of diagnostic services, including flu testing, rapid strep, Monospot, and urinalyses, on the spot. What's more, we offer flu shots, tetanus boosters, and physical exams—all on a walk-in basis for the ultimate in patient convenience."

Another important healthcare offering will be a complete occupational medicine practice at each location to provide drug testing, eye testing, physicals and more to serve the business community. At final build-out the ExpressCares will offer 40 healthcare jobs.

Locations and hours of ExpressCare locations are below. Please watch the web site for the most accurate opening by location.

775 West Granada Blvd. Suite 102 Ormond Beach, FL 32174

3048 South Atlantic Ave.

Daytona Beach Shores, FL 32118

2090 Saxon Blvd.

Deltona, FL 32725

8a - 8p Monday - Thursday

8a - 6p Friday

9a - 4p Saturday & Sunday

Emergency Department or Urgent Care - How to Make the Right Choice

It's Saturday afternoon and you sprain your ankle playing ball with the kids. Or maybe your child has a rash that's spreading. Do you visit urgent care or the hospital emergency department? Urgent Care and Emergency Department both imply there is a medical situation that needs to be addressed quickly, which can be confusing about where and when to go.

Making the right choice on where to receive care can save your life, save time and is cost effective.

## REASONS TO GO TO THE EMERGENCY DEPT.

Signs of a heart attack, including chest pain

Signs of a stroke, onset of numbness in the arms or legs, slurred speech or facial drooping Severe shortness of breath

Poisoning

Major life or limb threatening injuries

Coughing up or vomiting blood

Suicidal or homicidal feelings

Emergency departments specialize in managing catastrophic illnesses and trauma injuries.

## **REASONS TO GO TO URGENT CARE**

Fever without rash

Ear pain

Painful urination/UTI

Persistent diarrhea

Sore throat
Vomiting
Minor injury such as a common sprain or shallow cut
Minor burns
Broken bones

An urgent care is a convenient option if your regular physician is unavailable or unable to offer a timely appointment. Or, when illness strikes outside of regular office hours.

## When to call 9.1.1.

Stomach pain

If symptoms arise suddenly and you believe that a life is in jeopardy, call 9.1.1. Calling 9.1.1. allows emergency medical services to begin lifesaving treatment upon arrival and to continue while en route to the hospital.

https://halifaxhealth.org/emergency-department-of-daytona-beach/

https://halifaxhealth.org/services-treatments/our-services/urgent-care/