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Dear Community Partners and Area Schools,

I want to make sure you have this information and can share it with counselors, coaches, parents and students that might benefit from these services.

The DeBonis Clinic will start our summer hours on June 3, 2026, being open on Wednesdays (9 a.m. – 5 p.m.) for the months of June and July. **We especially want to make sure you are aware of the free sports physical offering for students in the Cedar Valley being offered on Thursday, July 23, 2026, from 12 - 6 p.m.** The DeBonis Clinic offers a sports physical day each summer for students needing physical exams. This is a walk-in clinic and there are no associated costs. The clinic is staffed with Allen College nurse practitioner students (experienced Registered Nurses) and licensed nurse practitioner faculty and is the only free medical clinic in Iowa that is nurse administered.

Enclosed is a copy of the new clinic brochure for your additional information on the services we offer as well as a summer clinic schedule for June and July 2026. You may also find information and schedules on the Allen College web site at <https://www.allencollege.edu/about-us/community/debonis-clinic>. We encourage you to share this information with any individuals and/or families you feel may benefit from this information, especially those without medical insurance, unable to afford co-pays, without a medical home and/or have difficulty with scheduling. The DeBonis Clinic is located at the Salvation Army in Waterloo. Please direct patients to the Logan Avenue entrance as the main entrance closes at 3:30 p.m.

The Allen College DeBonis Free Medical Clinic is not intended to replace a medical home for individuals who have this established, but rather to help support individuals and families in the community who are uninsured or under insured. For children less than 18 years of age, we do require that a parent/legal guardian either be present and/or available by telephone to give permission for us to perform the exam and any associated medical treatment or referral if necessary. If you have any questions or concerns related to the services offered at the DeBonis Clinic and/or the sports physical clinic day, please contact me at Suzanne.gettman@allencollege.edu or at (319) 226-2022. Thank you for your service and assistance in promoting this offering to our most vulnerable citizens.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Suzanne Gettman".

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