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County Administrator Announces Hire of Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner for County's Employee Living Well Clinic

Woodbine, Ga. (December 3, 2014) - A good thing just got better. County Administrator Steve Howard is pleased to announce the hiring of Janet Garvey, an Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner, to join the team at the Living Well employee wellness clinic. The Living Well program is open to all employees of Camden County, the Public Service Authority (PSA), the City of Kingsland and the City of St. Marys.

Garvey comes to the Living Well Clinic with over 29 years of professional nursing experience including working as a family nurse practitioner for the past 13 years. She obtained her Nurse Practitioner Certification from the University of North Florida (MSN, 2002) and she just completed her Doctorate in Nursing Practice (DNP) from Jacksonville University (2014) where she is an adjunct professor for the Baccalaureate nursing program.

Obtaining her DNP after completing additional course work and practice hours helped Garvey to prepare to handle the varied medical issues that arise in the Living Well Clinic. Prior to coming to Camden County she was employed full time for United Health performing yearly physical exams and providing disease management and education to a variety of patients diagnosed with diabetes, obesity, hypertension, and cholesterol as well as other issues. Garvey's Nurse Practitioner career includes extensive experience in urgent care, which will be an asset to the employees and dependents of Camden County.

Garvey is a native of Jacksonville, Fla. She has a passion for students and serves as a preceptor for other nurse practitioner students. Garvey is excited to share her passion for learning with the patients at the Living Well Clinic and help them achieve their best possible state of wellness through education, which will allow them to enjoy a healthy lifestyle.

County Administrator Steve Howard said that all those participating in the program will benefit from Garvey's many years of working in the health care field.

"We are very fortunate to bring a health care professional of this caliber to the Living Well program. All the employees who utilize the clinic and participate in the program will benefit from her years of experience and her extensive training and education."

Garvey will begin working at the clinic on December 8, 2014.

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