Advocare Pediatric Urgent Care Opens at Nemours duPont Pediatrics, Cherry Hill

New affiliation brings together the best in pediatric specialty and urgent care.

Cherry Hill, NJ – Advocare Pediatric Urgent Care, in affiliation with Nemours duPont Pediatrics, has opened at Nemours' Cherry Hill location, 325 Marlton Pike East. To commemorate the opening, Advocare and Nemours held a "ribbon cutting" reception in celebration of this new affiliation.

On June 19, 2018, Nemours duPont Pediatrics opened its Cherry Hill location. The 10,000 square foot facility provides southern New Jersey families more convenient access to 16 pediatric specialties as well as therapy services and x-ray services. With the addition of Advocare Pediatric Urgent Care, we can offer families access to care on nights and weekends, including on-site x-rays, EKGs and some lab testing, for injuries and conditions that do not require a trip to an emergency department. Everything from asthma flare-ups, colds, rashes, and flu to fever, pinkeye, burns and minor broken bones. Same-day reports to a child's primary care physician will optimize continuity of care.

"This Cherry Hill location, coupled with our location in Deptford, gives South Jersey families access to comprehensive services including outpatient surgery and MRI," said Pauline Corso, Operational Vice President of Nemours Children's Health System and Chief Operating Officer of the Physician Network in the Delaware Valley. "Now, with the addition of Advocare Pediatric Urgent Care, these same families are afforded an even greater complement of services. Parents will find comfort in knowing that they have access to pediatric care on nights, weekends and holidays for injuries and other conditions that don't require a trip to a hospital Emergency Department."

"Advocare started as a pediatric group, and it's important to us to that families who entrust their children's care with us get the best possible care," said Howard Orel, MD, CEO, President of Advocare, LLC. "We could not have hoped for a better partner than Nemours, as they share that same vision every day."

Urgent care hours will be Monday through Friday 2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. and weekends 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; all walk-in, no appointment needed.

Staffing will include Advocare board-certified pediatricians and Nemours nurses and medical assistants. Clinical oversight for Advocare Pediatric Urgent Care will be provided by Nemours physician, Magdy Attia, MD, Division Chief of Urgent Care, Emergency Services.

About Nemours Children's Health System

Nemours is an internationally recognized children's health system that owns and operates two free-standing children's hospitals: Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children in Wilmington, Del., and Nemours Children's Hospital in Orlando, Fla., along with outpatient facilities in five states, delivering pediatric primary, specialty and urgent care. Nemours also powers the world's most-visited website for information on the health of children and teens, KidsHealth.org, and offers on-demand, online video patient visits through Nemours CareConnect. Nemours ReadingBrightstart.org is a program dedicated to preventing reading failure in young children, grounded in Nemours' understanding that child health and learning are inextricably linked, and that reading level is a strong predictor of adult health.Established as The Nemours Foundation through the legacy and philanthropy of Alfred I. duPont, Nemours provides pediatric clinical care, research, education, advocacy and prevention programs to families in the communities it serves.

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