

Employee of the Quarter

The Employee of the Quarter Program recognizes SouthCoast team members for outstanding accomplishments and/or contributions to SouthCoast and its mission statement. Eligible employees must display superior performance, innovative improvements, excel in his/her quality of work, and contribute to the SouthCoast core values. Nominations are submitted by the SouthCoast management team and then reviewed by the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee recognizes three employees from the following categories: clinical, administrative support, and clerical staff. Employee of the Quarter winners are eligible for Employee of the Year.



LaTangi Craddock—Certified Medical Asst./RH Peds

Tangi is always very compassionate and caring to our patients needs. She makes herself available to help her co-workers, she keeps a positive attitude and always wears a smile. Tangi is always 100% with her procedures and labs. She assists with ways to increase quality of care and satisfaction for our patients. Tangi sets a very good example for her co-workers to follow.



Lanecia Givens—Licensed Practical Nurse/Bldg. 1

Lanecia is a very compassionate person. She goes above and beyond to make sure her patients needs are met, making them feel like part of the SCH family. Lanecia is patient, thorough and timely. She willingly takes on heavier loads without complaining. She works well with her co-workers to get the job done. Lanecia goes out of her way to make sure continuity of care is ensured.



Jamila Joshua—Scheduler/Imaging Dept.

Jamila takes the time to listen and do what is needed to ensure the patients or physicians get the appropriate imaging studies done. She works diligently to ensure problems with orders or schedules are addressed. Jamila is always willing to work extra hours to get the job done. She works with her peers to assist them to stay on track and still manages to complete her work without any complaints.

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Welcome To SouthCoast Health-March New Hires



Brandi Anderson Licensed Practical Nurse. **RH Peds**



Juan Hughes Health Informatics Trainer, Certified Medical Asst., Patient Representative, Patient Representative, Admin



Antionette Moore RH 89



Cathryn Gordon RH 89



Toshiba Cooper Hinesville 203



Ebbony Murphy Certified Medical Asst., PRN Pool



Joanne Wu Patient Representative, PRN Pool



Page Edwards Patient Representative, Eisenhower, Bldg. 1



Lakesia Passmore Certified Medical Asst., Eisenhower, Bldg. 1



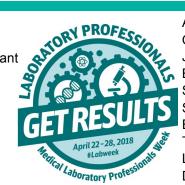
Nancy Riner Wellness Nurse, Pooler



Julita Wright Certified Medical Asst., Eisenhower, Bldg. 1

Medical Technologist

Lennette Griner Director Leah Lab Supervisor Fumicello **Phyllis** Greene Lead Lab Assistant Katrina Adkins Lab Assistant Brandice Bankston Lab Assistant Kelly **Brickey** Lab Assistant Rodean Brown Lab Assistant Shelley Deer Lab Assistant Jessica Dunham Lab Assistant Jacquelene Gales Lab Assistant Kenya Gloyd Lab Assistant Griffin Mary Lab Assistant **Jasmine** Hazel Lab Assistant Chris Kimble-Hall Lab Assistant Jenifer Malloy Lab Assistant



Mikell Lab Assistant Angel Quinlin Moore Lab Assistant Jordan Murphy Lab Assistant Britney Murray Lab Assistant Sanonia Rufus Lab Assistant Stephanie Singleton Lab Assistant Evonne Smith Lab Assistant Tanya Smith Lab Assistant Liana Winstanley Lab Assistant Dawn Calaway Medical Lab Technician Esteves-Foreman Medical Lab Technician Treasure Kathrin Kimmons Medical Lab Technician Jordan Dickerson Medical Technologist Cara Medical Technologist Martin

HR CORNER

Looking to move up without moving out???

... check out some of the job openings available right here at SCH!

Scott

- Practice Manager-Bldg. 1
- Self-Pay Rep.
- **Medical Office Asst.**
- **Telecommunications Engineer**
- **Patient Care Coordinator-Pooler**
- PTE Mammographer

PRN Lab Asst.

Snyder

- Physical Therapy Asst.
- LPN-RH 89/ID
- Medical Assistant-OB/Bldg. 1
- PTE Nurse Practitioner-RH Walk-In Clinic
- Triage Nurse-Peds/Cardio

SCH Extras...

Supplemental benefit plans through Colonial Life (disability, life, accident, cancer, identity theft, etc.)

Did you miss open enrollment or want to make a change in your plan?

You may now enroll, cancel or change your supplemental policies with Colonial Life on a quarterly basis.

Changes will take effect on the first payroll of each quarter (January, April, July, October).

Meet with a Colonial Life representative (912-443-0181) or contact HR.

SCH Employee Spotlight...



Congratulations to Stacy Donovan, who is now the Practice Manger for our Main Campus, Bldg. 2 location.

Stacy has been a part of the SCH family since 2000, where she started out as a Receptionist, then promoted to Administrative Assistant in 2007.

We look forward to watching Stacy grow in her new position.

SCH Health In The Know...

In order to continue to help our employees to save for retirement, SouthCoast will use the auto-escalation feature of the plan and increase deferrals each July 1st starting in 2018 by 1% up to a maximum of 7%. You will have the option to keep at your current deferment, lower it or increase it. Anyone currently contributing below 7% to their retirement plan, will automatically be auto escalated in increments of 1%. Anyone contributing above 7% will not be affected.

Please remember, you may always change your deferral amount to increase it, lower it or cease contributing to the plan.

Forms can be found on the SCH website under Human Resources Information/Employee Benefits/401k/ Change Contribution Form.

7 Daily Habits That Keep You Calm

Between meeting deadlines, navigating traffic, and getting food on the table, your stress levels are at an all-time high. But chronic tension has been shown to wreak havoc on your health. Follow these measures to create calm and boost your well-being:

Get moving!

Do some jumping jacks, go for a run, or race up a flight of stairs. You can't feel stressed when you exercise. In fact a study in the European Journal of Public Health showed that participating in a fitness program lowered levels of the stress hormones cortisol and epinephrine in a group of women.

Take a deep breath

Abdominal breathing increases the amount of oxygen in your blood, triggering the brain to decrease the concentration of stress hormones. Inhale deeply and let your abdomen rise as you fill your lungs with air. Now slowly let the air out as you feel your stomach fall.

Get your z's

It's tempting to skimp on sleep when you have a long to-do list. But sleep deprivation puts the body into a state of high alert, revving the production of stress hormones and raising blood pressure.

Be your own best friend

People often blame themselves when things don't go their way. But that can aggravate feelings of stress. The next time you hear your inner critic, find something positive to tell yourself.

Be grateful

People who are thankful are healthier and happier. Adopting an attitude of gratitude is as simple as jotting down several things you feel thankful for in a journal or telling others you appreciate them.

CUSTOMER SERVICE 101



For the months of April –July, we will present a different Focus word each month to display towards our co-workers and patients. We encourage each location to be creative with displaying each Focus word.

April Compassion Smiling, Help Others, Listening, Caring

May **Empathy** Understanding, Consideration

June Health & Wellness Promote Health, Exercising, Eating well

July Respect Admiration, Encouragement, Please & Thank you







Kudos to Pooler for their excellent team spirit, in the display of the Focus Words.

SouthCoast Health Biggest Loser Challenge

Join in on the competition against your coworkers for a healthy lifestyle and weight loss!

Start Date: April 13th **End Date:** June 29th

- Individual with highest total percentage of weight lost, wins!
- 3 month (12 weeks) challenge
- Office leaders need to collect and record weights
 - o Must weigh in on an electronic scale
- Participants privately weigh in every Friday morning
- Visits with Dietitian are covered by most health insurance
 - All questions for the dietitian need to be directed to Carla Parker's EMR and the dietitian will answer them in a Munch and Learn. (Munch and Learn to be scheduled at a later date)
- All active participants will receive 100 Healthtrax Points

Prizes will be awarded to winners---see office manager for details



Khadijah Dunham

Mary Ellen Griffin

Eugenie Charles

Cynthia Driggers

Kinjal Patel

2 Year

Marla Miller

Tiffani Cook

Dawn Mace

Rachel Schwartz

Michelle Williams

Tahpenes Bradley

Jennifer Price

Chiquita Kelley

Tonya Spikes

Dr. Wasil Khan

Amanda Hardee

Lakia Roseman

Cynthia Saunders Hannah Russell

Anslee Teique

Cody Deese

4 Years

5 Years Letha Brown

6 Years

7 Years **Brittany Horton** Christine Swords

Aaron Keith

Paige Youmans

Adi Berry

3 Year

April 2018



9 Years

Michael Wilson Leah Stanley

10 Years

Kena Richardson Rose Smith

11 Years

Latarsha Jefferson

13 Years

Dr. David Mozer

14 Years

Reina Mike 15 Years

Kimberly McFarlin Darlene Jasper

16 Years

Glynis Thompson Phyllis Greene

18 Years

Shari Dyal

20 Years

Carla Johnson

21 Years

Gary Davis

Miller 1 April 1 Rebecca Wells 2 Kimberly King Murphy 2 Ebbony Mascunana 3 Amy 4 Gale Brantley Walthour 5 Quanya 5 Tiah Frazier 6 Diana Garcia 8 Tasha Pinkney 9 Tiffany McGowan 9 Colleen Brown **Phillips** 10 Katina 10 Antonece Singleton 10 Leah Fumicello 11 Dr. Jules Victor, III 11 Stefany Lightcap 13 Dr. Joe Griffin 13 Dr. Adam Novack 14 Tonva Spikes 14 Ashlev McBride 14 Rolanda Smith

14 Carole-Ann Hughes 15 Bonnie Fargason 15 Sakina Edwards 15 Helen Racz 16 Hannah Russell 18 Kim Velasquez 19 Takara Lewis 19 Dolores Omspacker 19 Liana Winstanley 21 Hollye McAdams 22 Mary Cook 22 Renata Yeager 22 Dr. Edward Hoffman 22 Jordan Dickerson 23 Chris Carithers 24 Lakisha **Passmore** 24 Michelle Henderson 25 Shanice Crawford 26 Thandeka Carros Wilds 27 Dionne Will 28 Tracev

Floyd



30 Wendy

***Apologies goes out to Kenya Gloyd, whose name was misspelled in the February newsletter for her one year anniversary!

A big thanks to all who participated in Leukemia & Lymphoma Dress Down Day...we collected over \$450.00! Way to go SCH...you guys Rock!







As part of SouthCoast's new employee recognition program, the HR department has been sending out work anniversary certificates along with service year pins showing the milestone the employee has hit. Certificates and pins are sent during the month of the employee's anniversary.





We have 5, 10, 15 and 20 year service pins. You will receive a certificate along with a service year pin that is the closest milestone the employee has already hit. (Ex. If the employee has been employed by SouthCoast for 12 years, the employee will receive a 10 year service pin and a certificate.)



We look forward to building onto our recognition program in the future.