

# **Free medical clinic receives grant from Mary Washington Hospital Foundation**



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COLONIAL BEACH, Va. - The Guadalupe Free Clinic of Colonial Beach is very pleased to announce the receipt of a generous grant from the Joe and Mary Wilson Community Benefit Fund of Mary Washington Hospital Foundation on January 1, 2019. The grant will be used to defray operating costs, purchase medications, and medical supplies for clinic patients for the period of January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019. This grant represents a continuance of the generous support by Mary Washington Hospital dating back to the clinic's establishment in 2005.

The clinic recently celebrated 13 years of providing free medical care for the poor and uninsured residents of Colonial Beach and Westmoreland County. The Guadalupe Free Clinic is an outreach effort of the Catholic Diocese of Arlington, Virginia, and originally opened its doors in May 2005. The Clinic is operated by a small staff and many volunteers who give of their time and talents to provide medical care and prescription medications free of charge to those in need. The Clinic operates on the grounds of St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church in Colonial Beach and is supported solely by grants and donations from private individuals.

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