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Six outstanding Nursing Services staff members have been selected throughout the hospital to represent Clinical Excellence and Jane Phillips Medical Center's Values in Action: Service, Presence, Human Dignity, and Wisdom.



Kori Coast



Vickie Young



Sara Foote

Peers nominated CNAs, RNs and LPNs who are outstanding examples in their profession and demonstrate excellence in their nursing practice. Final decisions were made by a selection committee.

Winners of the Excellence in Nursing awards are:

Tony Davis, CNA, Resource Pool; Kori Coast, RN, BSN, Resource Pool; Kelly Shipley, RN, BSN, Resource Pool and Employee Health Services; Vickie Young, RN, Resource Pool; Sara Foote, RN, BSN, One-Day Surgery; and Cassie Nagel, RN, Emergency Services.

The following criteria was used:

**CLINICAL EXCELLENCE:**

Meeting or exceeding established standards and expectations. Being an example of the JPMC philosophy, responsible not just for the care of assigned patients, but also for the well-being of all patients. Always looking for how we can be building on our strengths to make improvements.

**SERVICE:** Our attitudes show we value the opportunity to serve the sick and one another. A friendly attitude is part of making the human touch (compassion) a vital component in

the healing process.

**PRESENCE:** Our responsiveness and professionalism show we value total attentiveness to each person and to each individual situation.

**HUMAN DIGNITY:** Our sensitivity shows we value the dignity of each human being, respecting the uniqueness of everyone with whom we have contact.

**WISDOM:** Our respect for privacy and commitment to conserve resources shows we value acting ethically, with integrity, honesty, and confidentiality in all our dealings

and that we are responsible for our resources and ourselves.

A selection committee tallied the nominations and nursing unit managers added selection criteria to peer nominations including: attendance, performance evaluation, leadership, years of nursing experience, and competency.

The top nominees are featured in this month's publication of *Health Connection*, JPMC's employee newsletter, and will be posted on a billboard in Bartlesville and used in recruitment for the hospital. **JP**



Tony Davis

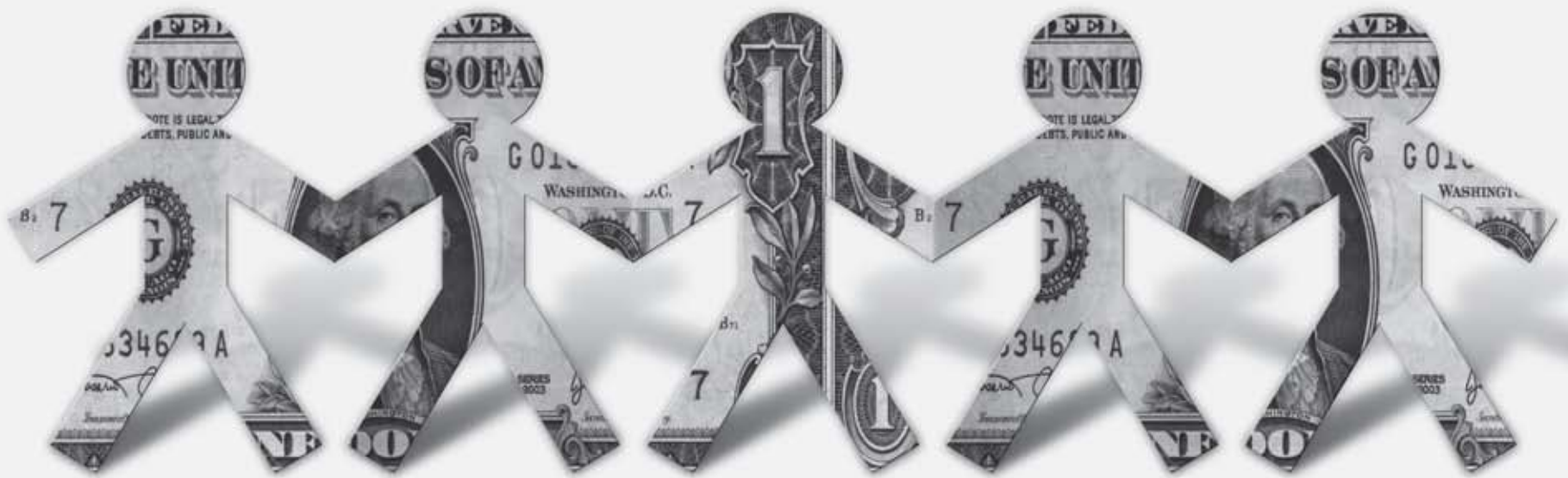


Kelly Shipley



Cassie Nagel

*“Our nursing staff is devoted to improving healthcare.”*



## JPMC Eases ER Payment Handling

Managing payment for medical care has become much easier for those visiting the Emergency Room at Jane Phillips Medical Center. Insurance and co-payment information is now obtained from patients to determine their financial responsibility for treatment. Patients who are treated and released without being admitted to the hospital and who render full payment prior to discharge will be mailed a notice informing them that insurance has been filed. These patients should not receive a balance due statement following payment by insurance.

For those who have private

insurance, settling the account will be similar to rendering payment to a physician's office or for many other medical services that are offered.

"Improved technology provides real-time information to calculate payment amounts covered by insurance and payment amounts due by individuals," said Mike Moore, Chief Financial Officer.

Patients who do not know their exact co-payment amount or those who have a non-commercial insurance plan will receive a statement after insurance settlement.

For those without insurance, information will be obtained to


determine payment options or qualifications for assistance.

"We have a financial aid policy that is consistent with the mission and values of our hospital," Moore said. "It takes into account each individual's ability to contribute to the cost of care as well as the hospital's financial ability to provide the care. JPMC is committed to helping our patients address any financial responsibilities they may have in a way that is fair and sensitive to their circumstances."

A Patient Financial Advocate is available Monday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. to assist patients and to determine options for which

they may qualify. For patients who are seen in the ER after hours, a Patient Advocate will contact them during regular business hours following discharge.

Patients visiting Jane Phillips Medical Center's ER may receive separate bills from the ER physician or from other physicians for additional services.

"JPMC is committed to providing critical emergency services to all," said David R. Stire, President/CEO. "And we are focused on compassionate care at a vulnerable time." 

## Free Wireless Internet Comes to JPMC

Patients, families, and visitors are now able to access the world wide web at Jane Phillips Medical Center. Free wireless internet is available to anyone with a laptop computer or a properly equipped hand-held device.

The internet can be accessed from just about any area of the hospital including patient rooms, waiting areas, and the newly renovated Redbud Café.

"This is yet another example of being responsive to the needs


of those we serve," said Chief Information Officer Rob Poole. "The advances in technology combined with people's interests have generated many requests for wireless internet service on our hospital campus. We are proud to be able to fulfill those requests."

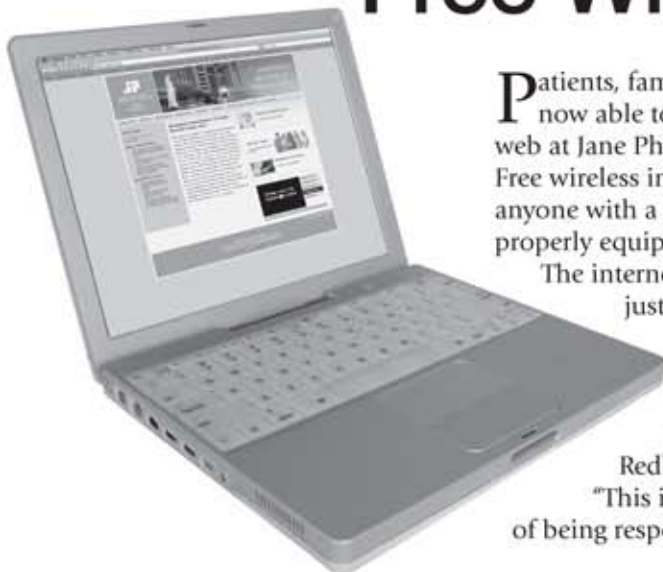
Poole said that while many stated they like to surf the internet for news and sports, many more said they wanted to access websites devoted to health and medical issues and be able to e-mail family and friends.

"We found that there was

significant interest in communicating with others via e-mail especially concerning the loved ones who have come to us for care," Poole said.

Like workers in most businesses today, employees of Jane Phillips Medical Center have certain restrictions when it comes to internet access. JPMC visitors will have the same restrictions as hospital employees.

"However, we are confident that people will be quite pleased with the access that is available," Poole said. 



# JP SLEEP DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES OFFERS DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT OF SLEEP-RELATED DISORDERS



Since sleep accounts for about a third of your life, at JP Sleep Diagnostics Center, we think it is very important. As a matter of fact, barring any other medical conditions, it is the third that determines the energy you have to put into the other two-thirds. And, when you don't get a good night's sleep, you can feel its effects the next day. If night after night, you find it hard to get a good night's sleep, you may have a sleep disorder.

The JP Sleep Diagnostic Center is an outpatient medical facility for diagnosing and treating sleep-related disorders in a setting designed for the convenience, personalized service, and care of each patient.

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services offers comfortable, private, homelike rooms where patients are carefully evaluated and monitored by highly-trained sleep technicians and respiratory therapists. State-of-the-art technology

is used to monitor, record, and evaluate brain wave activity, eye and limb movements, heart rate, oxygen levels, and breathing to provide a comprehensive and thorough evaluation for each patient.

Specially-trained and registered staff includes a board certified pulmonologist, a neurophysiologist accredited in sleep medicine, sleep technologists, and respiratory therapists.

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services treats patients for a number of disorders, including:

- Excessive somnolence
- Insomnia
- Snoring
- Sleep apnea
- Narcolepsy
- Parasomnias
- Periodic leg movement disorder
- Restless leg syndrome
- Sleep-related breathing disorders

- Problems with nighttime behaviors, such as sleepwalking, night terrors, or bed-wetting
- Hypopnea

#### Services Offered:

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services offers the following procedures:

- Polysomnograms (PSG)
- Multiple Sleep Latency Testing (MSLT)
- C-PAP
- BiPAP
- Desaturations
- Durable Medical Equipment—including face masks and C-PAP and V-PAP equipment, oxygen concentrators and heated humidifiers.

#### Test Results:

After each study is completed, a trained sleep technologist will review and score the recorded information.

## JP Sleep Diagnostic Services is now carrying Durable Medical Equipment.



### Available Products

#### Variety of masks and accessories



- **Personalized fit and comfort**  
Proven seal  
A range of sizes



- **Quiet, sleek, and stylish**  
Quiet performance  
Clear field of vision  
Designed for patient's lifestyle



- **Intuitively easy**  
First-time fit  
Ready to wear  
One-handed adjustment  
Easy to care for



- **Heated Humidifiers**
- **Oxygen Concentrators**

#### C-PAP™ and V-PAP™ Available



#### V-PAP™ Auto with Easy-Breathe

Compact auto-adjusting bi-level combines algorithm and Easy-Breathe comfort technology to deliver bi-level therapy that is naturally comfortable, quiet, and easy to use.

#### C-PAP™

- **Compact and comfortable**  
Compact system  
Quiet-Easy-Breathe motor  
Comfortable  
Proven-Gold standard AutoSet technology  
Easy-Simple set

The study is then sent to one of our physicians who specializes in sleep medicine for final interpretation. If the interpreting physician determines that the patient has a sleep disorder, a course of treatment will be recommended to the patient's referring physician.

#### Location:

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services is conveniently located at 2661 S.E. Washington Boulevard in Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and offers plenty of parking close to the entrance.

#### Hours of Operation:

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Patients who are scheduled for overnight sleep studies will check in at 7 p.m.


#### Payment Accepted:

JP Sleep Diagnostic Services accepts Medicare, Medicaid, and most health insurance plans. As a courtesy to our valued patients, JP Sleep Diagnostic Services files all primary and secondary insurance claims.

#### Guest Room:

A guest room is available upon request.

#### Contact Us:

918/331-3026 

**Payment:** JP Sleep Diagnostic Services accepts Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance, cash, check, credit and debit cards.

**Hours:** Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For after hour emergencies, please call 918/331-3026.

**Staff:** Registered polysomnographers and respiratory therapists.

**Follow-up Program:** JP Sleep Diagnostics Center provides a follow-up program for all patients to ensure that the mask fits and the patient is operating the equipment properly. After initial visit for equipment and fitting, staff will provide 24 and 72 hours, 1 week, and every 90 days follow-up as needed.



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Call JP Sleep Diagnostic Services at 918/331-3026 for more information. Physician referral required.



## Offering After Hours Clinic

**G**emini Medical Group is offering an after hours Clinic. The clinic treats common illnesses and minor emergencies including: flu and colds, sore throats, fevers, earaches, sprains and strains, bumps and bruises, burns, lacerations/stitches, x-rays, and more.

The following doctors and physician assistants are staffing the clinic:

- Dr. Mike Bumpus
- Dr. Helen Bumpus
- Dr. Sheri Reinhard
- Dr. Gerald Pribil
- Michelene Jackson, PA-C
- John Kelley, PA-C
- Dr. Joe Carter
- Dr. William Fesler
- Dr. Kerri Williams
- Dr. Kyle Craig

The Clinic accepts the following payment:

- Most insurance
- Medicare
- Medicaid (except SoonerCare)
- Cash, checks, and credit cards

**Gemini After Hours Clinic provides immediate walk-in access to healthcare so appointments are not necessary.**

**Monday–Friday—5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

**Saturday—9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

**Sunday—1 p.m. to 4 p.m.**

**918/338-3730**


**3450 SE Frank Phillips Blvd. • Bartlesville, OK**

(Directly across from Osage Federal Bank)



## POKER RUN

**B**luestem Foundation hosted a benefit poker run to fight diabetes on April 26. All proceeds will be used to defray expenses for qualified persons who wish to attend the Outpatient Diabetes Education program at Jane Phillips Medical Center.

Winners of the poker run were (left to right) Tim Collins, 1st Place; Tom Swearingin, 2nd Place; Chuck King, 3rd Place; and Mike Hall, Worst Hand. 



## Quality Care Close to Home

- Critical Care Services
- Renal Dialysis
- Family-Centered Maternity Care
- Surgical Services—inpatient and outpatient units
- Diagnostic Services, including CT, MRI, nuclear medicine, angio-interventional radiology, needle biopsy, digital mammography, ultrasound, X-ray, and fluoroscopy
- Home Health Services—Offices in Bartlesville, OK and Caney, KS
- Physical Medicine Center, including physical therapy, occupational therapy, sports medicine, communication disorders, aquatic therapy, and work performance
- Rehabilitation Services—16-bed inpatient unit
- Behavioral Services
- Pain Management Clinic
- Long-Term Acute Care
- Physician Information Line 918/331-1297
- Licensed for 144 beds
- Cancer Center, fully accredited as a comprehensive cancer center by the American College of Surgeons, offering both radiation therapy and chemotherapy
- Heart & Vascular Center
  - Diagnostic Services—including heart catheterization lab, echocardiography, nuclear SPECT studies, noninvasive vascular lab, and pulmonary function testing lab
  - Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation and Wellness Facilities
  - Cardiac Unit—16-bed inpatient unit
- Emergency Services

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# Community Invited to Relay for Life

*saving lives has never been so entertaining*

You can help the American Cancer Society and its lifesaving mission to prevent cancer, diminish suffering and eliminate cancer as a major health issue by taking part in the Washington County Relay For Life on Friday, June 27 at Bulldogger Stadium in Dewey.

Relay for Life, an overnight fundraiser event for the American Cancer Society, is designed to spread awareness about cancer prevention, treatments and cures, to celebrate survivorship and to raise money for research to find more cures for cancer.

Teams of 8–15 participants form and raise money before the event, then come to camp out, enjoy the activities and participate by keeping at least one member of the team on the track at all times.

Much more than a walk around a track, Relay is a time to celebrate those who have battled cancer, remember those lost and get inspired to fight back. Those who have shared the same experience find common ground, hope and healing at Relay. "By participating, you have the power to continue the American Cancer Society's progress toward a future where cancer doesn't take the lives of our friends and family," said Lee Ann McDougan, Relay for Life Chair.

"At Relay For Life you'll find lots of

fun-loving, dedicated and talented people teaming up for a cancer-free tomorrow," said McDougan. "They are your friends, neighbors, co-workers and loved ones. And they need your help in the fight against cancer. Come out and support Relay For Life." Children's activities and survivors check-in is from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and a basket auction will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Opening Ceremonies will begin at 8 p.m. Presentation of Colors will be performed by Boy Scout Troop #6 and the National Anthem will be sung by Tricia Moses. Immediately following,

there will be announcements of the Relay of Life rules, coloring contest winners, and plaque presentations and fundraising club awards. Shelley Purdom, guest survivor, will

present a message of hope, and then the participating survivors will be introduced and the survivor victory lap will begin.

One of the highlights of the event will be the luminaria ceremony at approximately 9:30 p.m. Individuals or companies make contributions in memory of those who have lost their fight with cancer and to those who have survived or still are fighting the disease. Each will be recognized by a glow stick candle in sacks lined around the track.



Jane Phillips Medical Center's Patient Access and West Campus Business Office Relay team, "Sweet Divas," and the Medical/Surgical Nursing Team, "Celebrities for a Cure," will join with 40 business and family teams and more than 200 survivors signed up for the 2008 Relay For Life event. "Survivors who haven't signed up yet are welcome to call us at 918/331-1760 to register," said Barbara Hiatt, Survivors' Co-Chair.

"Cancer has had a large effect on my life as every year, it seems like I know more and more people who are affected by cancer," said Kathy Iron, RN, Jane Phillips Medical Center Medical/Surgical nurses team member. "I know both people who are survivors and those who passed away fighting. I Relay because it is one of the few ways I can directly show that I care."

"My first relay, the emotion from the survivors and the glow from the luminarias burning through the night made for an unforgettable event," said Ladona Harrison, Bartlesville Cancer Care team member. "It is this hope light that I wish to give every survivor and the families of everyone who has, is, or will fight cancer. I hope everyone will join me in this incredible event."

"Relay was and continues to be a

bonding experience for all of us. It has touched us in ways we cannot describe. Everyone knows someone who has been affected by cancer, and it is time for us all to put a stop, once and for all," said Harrison.

The public is invited to come out and enjoy the activities that will continue to take place throughout the 12-hour, overnight relay. The reason the event is held overnight is to represent the fact that cancer never sleeps.

This year's goal is to raise \$200,000. Washington County Relay ranked number one in the state in the amount raised last year with over \$177,100.

Throughout the relay event there will be games and other activities for Relay participants such as "The Dust Bowl," Washington County Relay for Life's version of the Olympics; frozen T-shirt contest; "It's in the Bag" contest; and Relay Idol.

Early Saturday morning, participants can stretch their muscles with a jazzercise workout. Closing Ceremonies will take place Saturday, June 28 at 6 a.m. where participants will celebrate their efforts. Awards will be presented to winning teams and individuals, and the grand total of money raised will be announced. **JPM**



## Relay for Life Rummage Sale

Jane Phillips Medical Center's Medical/Surgical nurses, "Celebrities for a Cure," Relay for Life team is hosting a rummage and bake sale on Friday, June 6 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday, June 7 from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. James Catholic Church, 5500 Douglas Lane.

They will also hold a blood pressure clinic from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on both days.

The public is invited to attend. All proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society.

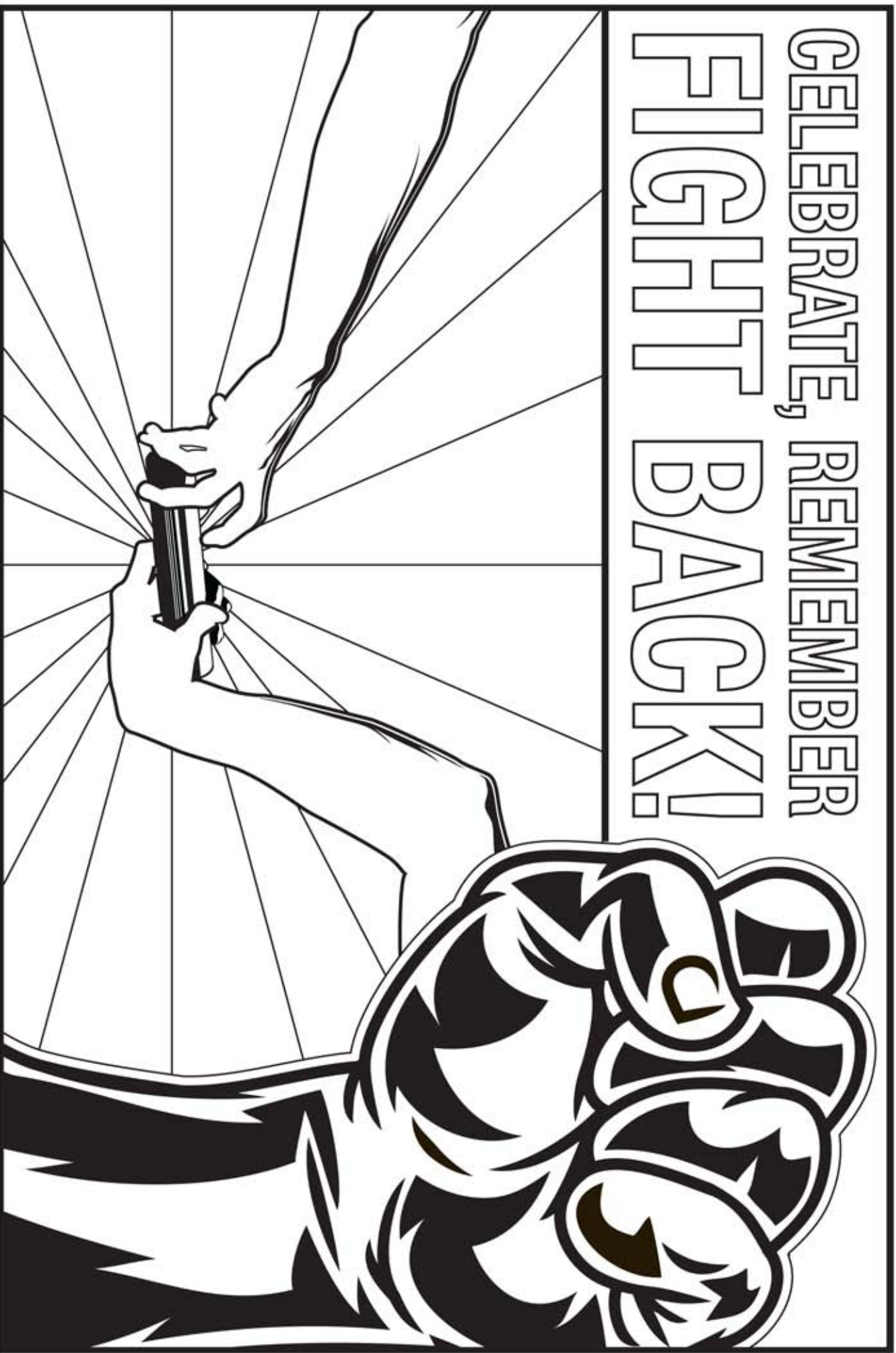


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- About JPMC
- Employment Opportunities
- Patient Information
- Health News and Happenings
- Physician Directory
- Classes Offered

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FLIGHT BACK!



American Cancer Society

## Relay For Life Coloring Contest

Enter the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life coloring contest and show off your skills. Color this picture and send to P.O. Box 1094, Bartlesville, OK 74005 by June 20, 2008 or bring to Dewey High School Stadium June 27 by 6:00 p.m.

Contest is open to children ages 1 through 9. The community is invited to free children games at Relay from 6-7:30 p.m.

For questions about contest or games, call Cathy at BancFirst 338-4390.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_