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Canton City Public Health Announces Changes to STI Clinic

Canton, Ohio – Effective August 3, 2020, Canton City Public Health's Sexually Transmitted Infection (STI) clinic is changing from a historical walk-in clinic to an appointment only clinic. Hours for the clinic will continue to be Tuesdays and Fridays from 8:00AM – 11:00AM.

"As we begin to re-open services to the public, we will be implementing practices not previously used in order to keep our clients and staff safe. By changing the STI clinic to appointments only, we are able to limit the number of patients in our waiting room area and more readily maintain the 6 foot physical distancing recommendation." states Diane Thompson, RN, MSN, Director of Nursing. "Additionally, anyone entering our building is required to wear a face covering."

The STI clinic offers testing, diagnosis and treatment for sexually transmitted infections for ages 13 years and up. Appointments can be made by calling (330) 489-3322.

Questions should be directed to Amanda Morningstar, FNP-C, Nursing Supervisor at (330) 489-3322.

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