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### **Community Health Northwest Florida Welcomes New Dentists to Staff**

**Pensacola, FL** - Community Health Northwest Florida, formerly Escambia Community Clinics, welcomes dentists Gabriel Hernandez, DDS and Gregory Digby, DDS, PhD to its provider staff.

Dr. Hernandez is a 2009 graduate of New York University College of Dentistry with a Doctorate in Dental Surgery. He completed a general practice residency program at Louisiana State University School of Dentistry in New Orleans in 2010. Dr. Hernandez was an Assistant Professor/Program Director of the General Practice Residency Program and Director of the UMC Dental Clinic in New Orleans prior to joining the Community Health dental program.

Dr. Digby is a 2018 graduate of University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Dentistry with a Doctorate in Dental Surgery. He received his Ph.D. in Neuroscience in 2008 at the Georgia Health Sciences University and was a postdoctoral fellow at Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Pharmacology from 2008-2013. Dr. Digby also is an associate dentist with Spanish Trail Dentistry in Pensacola.

Dr. Hernandez and Dr. Digby join the staff at Community Health Northwest Florida's Fairfield dental location at 1295 W. Fairfield Drive in Pensacola. Dr. Hernandez will also provide dental care for children at the health center's Cantonment Pediatric Dental Clinic at 470 Hwy 29 South in Cantonment. Community Health provides dental care for children and adults including dental exams and x-rays, routine dental cleanings and preventive dental care, dental extractions, dental fillings and restorations and oral health education.

Since 1992, Community Health Northwest Florida has served residents of Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties and surrounding areas. Since 2007, it has been the area's only Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) as designated by the Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). Community Health's dental program accepts DentaQuest and many private dental plans. A sliding fee scale program for those individuals who do not have insurance coverage is offered to eligible patients. For more information, visit Community Health Northwest Florida's web site at [healthcarewithinreach.org](http://healthcarewithinreach.org).

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