

With Attached Photo: Mary Beth Dixon, PA-C; Lori Ann Wright, FNP-C; and Elizabeth Bulatao, ANP-C

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## Southeast Georgia Physician Associates Welcomes Three New Primary Care Providers

BRUNSWICK, Georgia: March 29, 2023 –Southeast Georgia Health System is pleased to announce that Mary Beth Dixon, PA-C, and Lori Ann Wright, FNP-C have joined Southeast Georgia Physician Associates-Primary Care, located at 3222 Shrine Road in Brunswick. In addition, Elizabeth Bulatao, ANP-C, will relocate from Primary Care in the Health System's Outpatient Care Center to the Primary Care practice on Shrine Road.



Mary Beth Dixon, PA-C joins the practice as a board-certified physician assistant. After graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Georgia Southern University in Statesboro, Georgia, Dixon pursued a Master of Medical Science Physician Assistant from Nova Southeastern University in Jacksonville, Florida. She has received multiple American Heart Association certifications, volunteered on an emergency medical team, and joined several physician assistant organizations. Prior to joining the Health System, Dixon was a physician assistant at Waycross Internal Medicine in Waycross, Georgia.



Board-certified family nurse practitioner, Lori Ann Wright, FNP-C, joins the Primary Care practice after four years at Glynn Immediate Care and Summit Sports Medicine & Orthopaedics Surgery, and two years at Coastal Medical Access Project and College of Coastal Georgia Health Services. Prior to joining the Health System, Wright spent 22 years at Island Medical, PC, following patients from the office to the hospital after becoming the first nurse practitioner to be given privileges on the Allied Health staff. Wright retired as a Lieutenant Colonel from the USAF after 28 years. She began her service as a 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant at Keesler Medical Center in Biloxi, Mississippi, which took her through Desert Storm. She was as a Flight Nurse with the 31<sup>st</sup> AES in Charleston, South Carolina, while obtaining her Masters of Nursing. She finished her military service as a provider with the Georgia Air National Guard's 165<sup>th</sup> Medical Group in Savannah.



A primary care provider with Southeast Georgia Physician Associates since 2006, board-certified adult nurse practitioner, Elizabeth Bulatao, ANP-C, will transfer to the Shrine practice effective Monday, April 15, 2024. Bulatao previously provided primary care services in Woodbine and is currently at SGPA-Primary Care located at 2500 Starling Street, Suite 401, on the Brunswick Campus. Bulatao graduated from Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Georgia, and is a member of the Nurse Practitioner Council of Coastal Georgia.

Southeast Georgia Physician Associates-Primary Care is located at 3222 Shrine Road in Brunswick. To learn more, or to schedule an appointment, visit [sghs.org/primary-care](http://sghs.org/primary-care) or call 912-466-5480.

**ABOUT SOUTHEAST GEORGIA HEALTH SYSTEM**

Southeast Georgia Health System is a not-for-profit health system comprised of two acute care hospitals, two long term care facilities, two Cancer Care Centers and multiple specialty care centers, including orthopaedic and spine care, joint replacement, breast care, maternity, outpatient rehabilitation, sleep management and wound care. The Brunswick Campus Cancer Care Center is accredited by the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer and is one of the few centers in Georgia to offer CyberKnife® M6 with MLC.

Additionally, the Brunswick Campus is accredited by The Joint Commission as an Advanced Primary Stroke Center and the Camden Campus is accredited as an Acute Stroke Ready Hospital. The Southeast Georgia Physician Associates medical group includes more than 160 providers working in 20 different medical specialties at more than 50 locations. The Health System is part of Coastal Community Health, a regional affiliation between Baptist Health and Southeast Georgia Health System, a highly integrated hospital network focused on significant initiatives designed to enhance the quality and value of care provided to our contiguous communities. For more information, visit [sghs.org](http://sghs.org).

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