



You're Gonna *Love* LANE



Message from CEO

We are excited about the future of Lane as we continue to expand our services. We are pleased to announce that FASTLane After Hours Urgent Care Clinic now offers Respirator Fit testing for those who are required to wear a respirator mask to protect against airborne hazards. This new test is in addition

to physicals and other occupational medicine services, such as pulmonary function, hair, oral fluid, breath alcohol, and audiogram tests.

Our new general surgeon Dr. Jamie Bohanon with Lane Surgery Group provides a free Stop the Bleed education class to businesses and organizations. Participants will learn how to stop uncontrollable bleeding and potentially save lives following a traumatic injury.

As we move forward with our vision for the future of Lane, we thank you for your continued support and trust.

Kindest Regards,

Larry Meese

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Lane Regional
Medical Center

Care You Can Count On



WELCOME TO LANE

Lane's Board of Commissioners 2020

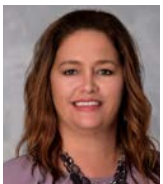


Nakeisha Robertson Cleveland

*Board of Commissioners
Lane Regional Medical Center*

Zachary resident Nakeisha Robertson Cleveland is deputy director of the Louisiana Primary Care Association where she serves as a technical resource for the state's federally qualified health centers, manages day-to-day operations, and represents the association and its members on state, regional and national committees.

"I believe it is important to give back to the community where we receive so much," says Mrs. Cleveland. "I am excited to serve on the board at Lane and contribute to its future growth and expansion."

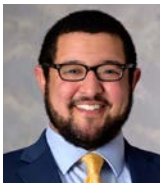


Tina Fletcher

*Materials Management Director
Lane Regional Medical Center*

Tina is responsible for procuring merchandise and managing inventory to maximize pricing discounts and ensure appropriate stock levels for the hospital. Fletcher has more than 20 years of materials management experience.

"I am very excited about my future with Lane," says Tina. "I pride myself in being flexible and adaptable, and I look forward to this opportunity."



Dr. Alexander Peacock, Pharm D

*Pharmacy Director
Lane Regional Medical Center*

Dr. Alexander Peacock, Pharm D, has been named Pharmacy Director at Lane Regional Medical Center and is responsible for operation and management of the Pharmacy Department to ensure quality pharmaceutical services are provided according to accreditation and professional standards.

"I am incredibly grateful for the opportunity I've been given here at Lane," says Dr. Peacock. "I hope to build upon the already strong foundation of care and quality laid by those who came before me, while helping to modernize our practices to help take us well into the future. I feel like I've joined a new family, and I hope to make them proud!"



Gaynell Young
Chair



Jordan Charlet



Donna Kline



Nakeisha Cleveland



Debby Brian



Darnell Waites



Reagan Elkins, MD



David Bowman



Thomas Scott

Join



If you or a loved one has been a patient at Lane, we'd like your feedback and input on our patient care programs, projects, and initiatives.

As an Advisory Council volunteer, you will share your passion, provide valuable insight from a consumer's point of view, and work with administration and staff to create new processes and endeavors.

Consider joining the Patient and Family Advisory Council - and help us make the overall patient/family experience at Lane even better!

Lane Patient & Family Advisory Council

APPLY TODAY

Complete an online application today to become a member of the Lane Patient and Family Advisory Council at LaneRMC.org/pfac or email/call Courtney Travis at ctravis@lanermc.org or 225-658-6612.

Renee Miley Named 2019 MVP

Renee Miley, RN, BSN, was named Lane's 2019 Most Valuable Player of the Year. Renee is a charge nurse in the Emergency Department and has worked at Lane for 4 years.

Renee was recognized for her dedication and outstanding work. She is a member of Lane's Nursing Shared Governance Council and served as the Emergency Department's project lead for the development and implementation of the new electronic health record system.

"I am incredibly honored to receive MVP of the Year," says Renee; "I love Lane, I love my patients, and I feel very blessed to work with such incredible people."



L-R: The 2019 Lane MVPs of the Month: Kim Watson, Billie Pace, Steve Yeh, Renee Miley, Bernadette Ellis, Adrienne Richardson, Pennie Bozeman and Shaneka Johnson. Not pictured: Jackie Loyd

At Lane, we take care of our Nurses



**BEGIN YOUR CAREER
AT LANE TODAY,**

APPLY NOW!

RN/LPN Benefits

**Competitive Nurse/Patient Ratios
Competitive Benefits & Wages**

Differentials:

Weekend.....+ \$5.00/hr
 11-7.....+ \$5.00/hr
 3-11.....+ \$4.00/hr
 House Supervisor.....+ \$2.50/hr
 Charge Nurse.....+ \$1.25/hr
 National Certification....+\$0.50/hr
 Clinical Ladder - RN.....+\$1.50/hr
 Clinical Ladder - LPN.....+0.75/hr
 National Certification.....+0.50hr

Shift Premium Pay: Incentives paid for specific shift openings

Nursing PRN Incentives: Increase of 20% to base pay, requires a minimum of 48 hours worked in a 4 week period with at least 12 hours on a weekend

Weekend Option Program: Fri, Sat & Sun, day or night/12 hour shifts, minimum of 46 weekends per year. FT benefits apply, PTO is accrued.

Education Loan Reimbursements: \$8,000 for Associate Degree or Bachelor of Science Nursing; \$12,000 for Master of Science Nursing (upon approval)

Commitment Buyouts from Another Facility: Up to \$5,000 (upon approval)

Tuition Reimbursements: (After 12 months of continuous service)
 • **Full time** - Up to 6 credit hours of coursework per semester or 18 credit hours per year, at \$100 per credit hour for Bachelors and \$200 per credit hour for Masters

• **Part time** – Up to 3 credit hours of coursework per semester or 9 credit hours per year, at \$100 per credit hour for Bachelors and \$200 per credit hour for Masters

Internal & External Education Opportunities, and Free CEU Credits:

Attendance at nursing conferences is supported, as well as payment for successful completion of approved national certifications. Free onsite classes and online CEU credits available.

Clinical Ladder Program: Designed to recognize and reward nurses for the knowledge, performance and experience in their chosen field of practice, beyond routine job performance.

Service Awards/Recognition

Part time CNA, Unit Clerk & Nurse Tech Positions Available

Nurse Tech Internship Program for Students: Must be within 12 hours of graduation to participate



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**To apply for a nursing position visit,
www.lanermc.org/careers**

Respirator Fit Testing Now Available at FASTLane

FASTLane After Hours Urgent Care and Occupational Medicine Clinic now offers both OSHA approved Qualitative and Quantitative fit testing for employees who are required to wear a respirator to protect against airborne hazards.

This new test is in addition to physicals and other occupational medicine services such as pulmonary function, hair, oral fluid, breath alcohol, and audiogram tests.

Qualitative tests are pass/fail, are mostly used for half-mask respirators such as N95 face masks, and the subject uses his/her sense of smell, taste, or reaction to an irritant to detect leakages. FASTLane performs two types of tests: Saccharin – tastes sweet, and Bitrex – tastes bitter.

Quantitative tests use a machine to measure actual amounts of leakage into the face piece and are mostly used for full face, tight fitting respirators. FASTLane performs the Ambient Aerosol test.



Standing L-R: Christi Miller, Jennifer Hopwood, Amber Trahan, Liz Sagely, Liz Jarreau, and Michelle Brummel. Sitting L to R: Whitney Leblanc and Tenisha Murray

A respirator fit test will show if a tight-fitting respirator can be worn without any leaks. OSHA Respirator Fit Test Requirements:

- Employees taking the respirator fit test must wear the exact make, model and size respirator that they will be wearing while working.
- If an employee wears corrective glasses or goggles or other equipment on the job, it must be worn during the test.
- Fit tests must be taken before a worker wears a mask for the first time, and every year after that.
- Fit tests must also be taken if there are changes to a person's face that could change the fit of the respirator, including weight change, dental work, face surgery, or facial scarring.

Respirator Fit Tests

**Monday – Friday
7:30 am – 1:30 pm**
(by appointment only)

FASTLane

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**Call 888-977-3319
to schedule an appointment.**

Form Fox Now Available

In addition to eScreen, FASTLane now has the capability to perform collections through FormFox. FormFox is a free ordering service that allows employers to order drug tests, breath alcohol tests, and DOT physical exams online for their employees.

Contact Liz Pardi Sagely to get set up with FormFox today! 225-270-5821.

formfox
Smarter Workflows

eScreen

Celebrating **35** Years
of Quality Healthcare
1984-2019



Lane Home Health

Care You Can Count On

Since 1984 Lane Home Health has provided in-home care to more than 20,000 patients. Physicians agree that care provided by licensed home health nurses and therapists is the best alternative to lengthy hospital stays or emergency room visits.

"We have seen a lot of changes in the past 35 years," says director Claudia Cantwell, RN. "Regulations have changed, services have expanded, technology has improved, and our team has grown. Throughout it all, our one constant has been to always keep the needs of our patients first and foremost as quality care is the cornerstone of our agency."

For more information or physician referral assistance, please call 225-658-4150 or visit LaneRMC.org/home-health

Lane Home Health provides quality care, seven days a week, for patients confined to the home and recovering from injury or illness. Services include:

- Pre and Post-Operative Care
- Diabetic Management
- Cardiac Home Care
- IV Antibiotic Therapy
- Pain Management
- Wound Care/Wound Vac
- Physical/Speech/Occupational Therapy
- Peripheral Vascular Disease
- Total Parenteral Nutrition
- Hydration Therapy
- Enteral Therapy
- PT/INR In-home Testing
- Medical Social Services
- Medical Nutrition
- Intermittent Personal Care
- Catheter/Ostomy Care



*Through the years,
we've celebrated
many milestones.*

We've celebrated our patients' successes following strokes, illnesses, and surgeries.

We've celebrated friendships that span the years as our patients become like family.

We've celebrated being a team and making a difference.

And now, we are pleased to celebrate our **35th year of service** to our amazing community.

A special thanks to all of our patients who have warmly welcomed us into their homes and their lives.

Providing Zachary and surrounding areas with home health services including nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, wound care, speech therapy, medical nutrition and more.



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Lane's Home Health Team



Melissa Aitken, RN



Kathy Barbay, RN



Sara Campuzano, RN



Claudia Cantwell, RN,
Administrator



Kaleigh Carroll,
Social Worker



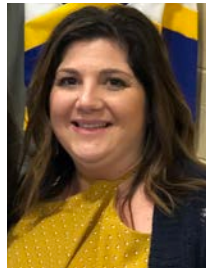
Valerie Cathy, RN,
Clinical Manager



Kristin David, RN



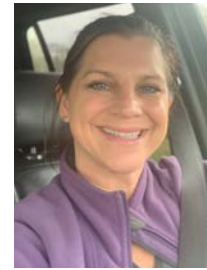
Mary Dunaway, RN



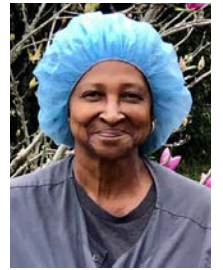
Michelle Duos, RN



Susan Frebis, RN



Jessicca Hunt, RN



Brenda James, CNA



Georgette
Johnson, RN



Bobi Kilcrease, RN,
Oasis Coding Specialist



Lethetia LeDuff,
Billing Specialist



Joshua Lewis, RN



Jenny Lipscomb, RN



Barbara McCurley,
LPN, Intake Nurse



Kelly McDonald,
Data Support



Jessica Millet, RN,
Team Leader



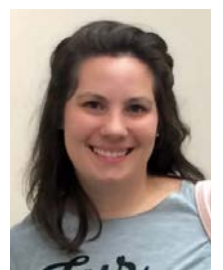
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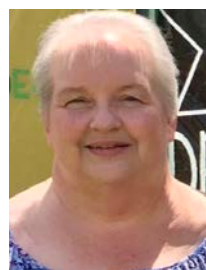
Tiffany Perkins, RN



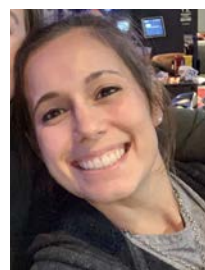
Lori Shaw, RN,
Nurse Liaison



Jo Lynn Smith, RN,
WCC, OMS



Sabrina Treloar, RN,
Case Manager



Casey Watts, RN



GOOD HEALTH CLASSES

Support Groups

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

A monthly support group offering emotional support and understanding to those experiencing a close personal loss.

1st Friday of every month:

March 6 • April 3 • May 1 • June 5

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Lane Regional Medical Center • West Wing Conference Room
FREE • Call Dianne Miller at 225-975-1636 for more details.

ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

A monthly support group offering caregivers, family and friends of persons with Alzheimer's an opportunity to connect with others who truly understand what you are going through.

4th Friday of every month:

March 27 • April 24 • May 22 • June 26

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Lane Regional Medical Center • West Wing Conference Room
FREE • Call Dianne Miller at 225-975-1636 for more details.

Upcoming Events

BLOOD DRIVE

Coordinated by Our Lady of the Lake Blood Donor Center, the sole provider of blood to Lane Regional Medical Center.

Friday, April 24 • 6:45 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Lane Regional Medical Center • Staff Development Classroom
Donors are encouraged to schedule appointments.
Walk-ins welcome. Call 225-658-4574 for more details.

MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY

The Regional Veterans Park Association's annual Memorial Day Wreath Laying Ceremony to honor the service and sacrifice of our local veterans.

Monday, May 25 • 7:30 a.m.

Regional Veterans Park
Located at the entrance to Lane's fitness trail behind the hospital.

Health Seminars & Classes

STOP THE BLEED BYSTANDER TRAINING

A national awareness campaign designed to train people to save lives in an emergency situation involving serious bleeding until professional help arrives.

Wednesday, May 6 • 12:00 p.m.

Lane Cardiovascular Center
FREE. Registration required. Call 225-658-4587.

HANDS-ONLY CPR TRAINING & AED DEMONSTRATION

If you would like to be able to help someone increase their chance of survival if they experience a cardiac event, this training is for you! *(Please note: this is NOT a CPR Certification Class)*

Wednesday, May 6 • 1:00 p.m.

Lane Cardiovascular Center
FREE. Registration required. Call 225-658-4587.

THE PREGNANCY WORKSHOP & BABY CARE BASICS

An overview of what to expect for expecting parents, and all you need to know to care for your infant in the first weeks of life.

Saturday, March 28 • Saturday, May 16 • 10:00 a.m.

Lane Regional Medical Center • Staff Development Classroom
FREE. Registration required.
Call 225-658-4587 to register or for more information.

SAFE SITTER BABYSITTER TRAINING

A high-quality program that gives young adolescents the skills to be safe, nurturing babysitters. The program is offered to girls and boys ages 11-13. Participants learn the fundamentals of quality child care, how to handle crises, how to nurture and guide a young child, and how to keep children safe while their parents are away.

Thursday, June 4 • 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Lane Regional Medical Center • Staff Development Classroom
Registration required. Seating is limited.
Fee: \$25.00 • Call 225-658-4587 to register or for more information.

**View calendar of events and classes on our website at
LaneRMC.org**

Scrapbook

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital



Lane HERO Club (Hospital Employees Reaching Out) members presented a check for \$6,000 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Aaryn Olivia Chase and Emma Rogillio (pictured center) accepted the donation on behalf of St. Jude.



CIS and Lane First to use Longer Balloons for PAD

Dr. Nayan Agarwal, interventional cardiologist at Cardiovascular Institute of the South, is the first in Louisiana to use the new, longer Stellarex drug-coated angioplasty balloon to treat peripheral artery disease (PAD) in the legs. The first procedure took place in the catheterization lab at Lane Regional Medical Center.

Members of the Cath Lab team at Lane are pictured L-R: Bennett Templet, Tyler Perritt, Walter Kipp, Dr. Nayan Agarwal, and Joe Pierce.

American Heart Association

On behalf of The American Heart Association, Adrianna King (pictured center) accepted a donation of \$1,000 from the Lane HERO Club.



Zachary Food Pantry



Lane's Employee Leadership Council recently coordinated a food drive and members of the HERO Club presented a check for \$600 to benefit the Zachary Food Pantry. Executive Director Eelin Golan, Board President Mike Amrhein, and volunteers Roma Prejean and JC Russell accepted the donation.

Sickle Cell Association of South Louisiana

Kathy Williams (pictured center) with the Sickle Cell Association of South Louisiana accepted a donation of \$1,300 from Lane's HERO Club members.



LHA Pelican Award Winners

The Lane Marketing team took home three Pelican Awards at the annual event hosted by the Louisiana Hospital Association for its Hospital Public Relations and Marketing Constituency Group in Baton Rouge. Lane's awards were in the categories of print advertising, direct mail, and return-on-investment.



Become a Lane...



Since we opened our doors in 1960, volunteers at Lane have played a vital role in caring for our community and supporting the hospital's mission to provide exceptional healthcare services to every patient, every time.

By assisting patients, visitors, and staff in many ways, volunteers give back and help us maintain high standards of excellence in patient care.

We offer a variety of volunteer opportunities, both in clinical and non-clinical areas, and work to match your interests, availability, and skills where needed most. Assignments include distributing coffee, water, and ice to patients; assisting in the Gift Shop, and more.

Benefits of Volunteering at Lane include:

- Rewarding experience helping others
- Flexible schedules
- Sense of satisfaction from serving your community
- Opportunities to network, build your resume, and learn more about healthcare careers
- Meet new people and make new friends
- Opportunities to learn new things and keep your skills current
- Enjoy employee perks, such as cafeteria discounts, free flu shots, and participation in health and wellness screenings, hospital celebrations and recognition events

Simply complete an online application at LaneRMC.org/volunteer or pick up a copy in Human Resources. Volunteers must be 18 years of age or older. Upon acceptance, volunteers will attend a hospital orientation class and begin training. A hospital identification badge and uniform will be provided.

Join Today!



For more information, please email volunteer@lanermc.org or call 225-658-6699.

Jennifer Johnson,
President of Volunteer Services

COMMIT TO QUIT



A smoking and tobacco cessation program provided by funds made available from The Louisiana Smoking Cessation Trust. Most services are FREE, including physician evaluations, individual/group counseling, and prescription/over-the-counter medications.

Find out if you meet the criteria and enroll by calling 877-288-0011 or visit Cardio.com/smoking-cessation.

Cardiovascular Institute of the South • 6550 Main Street, Zachary

FREE  **STOP THE BLEED[®]**

TRAINING

Traumatic injuries are often sudden and unexpected. They can occur due to falls, accidents and intentional violence. The #1 cause of preventable death after injury is uncontrollable bleeding. Learning how to "Stop the Bleed" can help increase the chances of survival following traumatic injury.

Lane is offering free Stop the Bleed bystander training to businesses and organizations to teach individuals how to save lives in a bleeding emergency until professional help arrives.

Taught by Dr. Jamie Bohanon, a general surgeon with Lane Surgery Group, this free course teaches basic bleeding control techniques including how to correctly apply pressure, dress a wound, and apply a tourniquet.

To schedule a FREE STOP THE BLEED TRAINING course, call 225-270-5821

Dr. Jamie Bohanon with Lane Surgery Group demonstrates how to "Stop the Bleed" and save lives in a bleeding emergency.



Lane Nursing Home Receives Deficiency-Free Survey



"Deficiency-free surveys are very rare in the nursing home industry," says Patsy Lofstrom, RN, Unit Director of Lane Nursing Home. **"We are proud of the work we do and the care provided to our residents every day. I congratulate the entire team who contributed to this success."**

Lane Nursing Home achieved one of the highest designations of quality care and services - a deficiency-free rating in this year's survey by the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals.

The rigorous survey was conducted over four days to ensure that the nursing home is meeting all requirements to maintain quality care. The visits are unannounced and a thorough review of quality, safety, and performance issues is conducted as well as a review of clinical documentation, administrative and clinical procedures, patient medication management, and employee personnel files. In addition, surveyors interview residents and clinicians and carefully observe all operations of the facility.



FOUNDATION NEWS

Join us for the 6th Annual

CODE RED CHILI COOK-OFF

Saturday, March 28, 2020

11 AM – 6 PM

Zachary Historic Village • Zachary

Don't miss a chance to be a part of one of the best family-friendly events in the area, the 6th annual Code Red Chili Cook-off! The cook-off and activities will take place in a new location this year, and we could not be more excited!

Visitors to the event will sample some of the best chili and salsa around while cooking teams compete for cash prizes.

TONS OF FUN DURING THE DAY:

Live music from Big River Express and Curley Taylor & The Zydeco Trouble
Face Painting

Show Off Your Talents with Karaoke Hour
Cake & Sweets Walk

Grow Your Own Pepper Plant
3-on-3 Hoops Contest
Pie in The Face Game

Enjoy Chili, Salsa, Hot dogs, Cokes, Adult Beverages,
and MUCH, MUCH MORE!

PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE LANE FOUNDATION AND STAY IN YOUR COMMUNITY! Chairs and blankets welcome.

This family-friendly event is open to the public. Admission and parking are **FREE**.

Registration information and complete event details are available online at LaneRMCFoundation.org. For more information contact Theresa Payment at tpayment@lanermc.org or 225-658-6699.

SERVICES AT LANE

Acupuncture
Audiology
Baby Lane
Cardiology
Dermatology
Ear, Nose & Throat (ENT)
Emergency Care
Family Medicine
Gastroenterology
General Surgery
Home Health
Hyperbarics
Imaging
Infusion
Internal Medicine
Labor & Delivery
Laboratory
Nursing Home
Obstetrics & Gynecology
Occupational Medicine
Oncology
Orthopedics
Outpatient Therapy
Pediatrics
Pharmacy
Primary Care
Rehabilitation Care
Rheumatology
Sleep Studies
Smoking Cessation
Support Groups
Surgical Care
Urgent Care
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