



ELLWOOD CITY MEDICAL CENTER

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We, the majority of employees at the Ellwood City Medical Center, want our voices to be heard also. We don't want the voices of a few disgruntled staff to be the only thing that the community hears. We want our patients and the folks of this community to know that we stand by our hospital and by doing so are here for them. We got into the field of medicine because we strive to provide outstanding care and support to those in need of help. We leave our families to come to work to provide excellent care to our patients, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. We make sacrifices to be here for the community, at night, on weekends, on holidays. Nothing has changed, **we are still here!**

If not for Americore Health stepping in last year to purchase the hospital we know—and we want everyone else to know—that our hospital would not be here today, serving patients like we are right now. We would not have our jobs and we would not be here to assist this community. We also want the community to know that we have received our paychecks. Yes, they may have been late, but we were paid every penny that we earned and we continue to have health insurance benefits to cover our families. The negative press about the financial status of our hospital is distressing to continually hear and makes a bad situation worse because people believe that we are not here or are not able to provide outstanding service. Nothing could be further from the truth!

We are dedicated and remain here because we love what we do and we want to see our hospital succeed and be here for another 100+ years in this community. Our hospital not only serves our community for emergency care, testing services and hospital admissions, but it also has an important economic benefit to the community by the tax dollars we bring to the community. Our hospital contributes employment – all types, not just medical to this community. We ask the community and our physicians to not turn their backs on us—we need you to support us NOW, not when it is too late! Please don't believe everything you hear—come in and talk to us; most importantly, continue to embrace us as your community hospital by choosing us as your healthcare provider.

Sincerely Signed,
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