

Speaker 1:

Welcome to the Ephraim McDowell Bariatric Center. We are located at 102 Citation Drive in Danville, Kentucky, which is less than one hour from Lexington, two hours from Louisville, and approximately three hours from Cincinnati and Knoxville. I am Robin Grant, the clinical intake coordinator and clinical reviewer for the bariatric center. Upon entering the parking lot, to the left on Citation Drive, you will be on our new pavement with an abundance of close parking. Electronic doors have been installed at the entrance for our patient's convenience.

Our first team member to greet you is our receptionist, Margaret Bailey. Margaret has been working in the medical field for greater than 25 years and a very valuable asset to our program.

As you progress through the back door, you will be joined by Tia Naijer. Tia has 13 years of experience here to provide assessments with our program. Immediately on the right is Dr. Tin Tran's office. Dr. Tin Tran is the director of the bariatric program and a board certified surgeon. We hope to exude an atmosphere of comfort, calm, and confidence, as well as welcome to all that enter our doors.

Next, we have four exam rooms, all of which have been newly renovated and dedicated specifically to our bariatric patients. Exam room number four, being our largest, has been designed to be utilized as our in-office procedure room. We are fortunate to provide some additional services required of a bariatrics program right here in our building.

We have Joe Noel, an advanced practice registered nurse, and Crystal Dyshawn, a registered dietician, as part of our service team. Both Joe and Crystal will meet with the patients to perform psychiatric and dietary evaluations, respectively, required of the program.

As we move through the building, we want to share with you a small sample of bariatric supplements that we will have on hand and be available for sale here. We will be able to provide chewable vitamins, protein water, and protein meal replacement shakes, as well as other supplements.

On the right, and our largest room, aside from the lobby here, is the multi-purpose and education room. We plan to have support group meetings once COVID restrictions are lifted. Making the last move out into the hall, we will finish and check out, where you could be assisted by Margaret, Tia, or myself.

Thank you for taking the time to tour our new facility. We are proud to be a valuable part of the bariatrics program with Ephraim McDowell Health and hope to see you here at our new location starting Monday, November 16th, 2020, with hours being 8:00 AM- 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday.