



A message to Friends, Partners and Patients:

The Joseph P. Addabbo Family Health Center's (JPA) Chief Executive Officer, Miriam Y. Vega, PhD, the senior management team and staff want you to know that we are back to a full schedule while remaining aware of the concerns you may still have.

We have come through some of the most difficult times we have ever experienced but now, we are very slowly emerging from the challenges COVID has brought to all of us. We believe that we are now in a "season of hope" brought by the availability of highly effective, safe vaccines, more convenient testing methods and new medicines to treat Covid-19 and its variants.

As an organization founded to respond, address and protect the health and wellbeing of our community, we have taken the necessary steps to help make you feel secure enough to return to your regular, routine healthcare. We are immensely proud of the fact that we were able to continue providing healthcare services throughout the pandemic and are continuing to maintain the strict safety measures we put in place: enhanced air filtration systems, enhanced cleaning protocols for lobbies and exam rooms, fiberglass barriers where appropriate, dividers, PPE, temperature checks, masks and social distancing. We do this so you can feel safe visiting in person with your providers, but we will continue to provide telephonic and televideo services. Our commitment to serving your needs is a core part of the healthcare we provide.

There may be more challenging times ahead, but we will get through them – together. Please know that we are here for you and encourage you to resume your routine, all-important healthcare.

We wish you all good health.

The Joseph P. Addabbo Family Health Center