



PCH STRATEGIC/IMPLEMENTATION PLAN UPDATE

- The development and utilization of daily “walk-in” appts has seemed to greatly help. PT has gotten educated and instituted new modalities—A-Stem and dry needling. PCH will continue to look at ways to be more efficient/effective associated with patient flow
- New infectious disease grant received and work being done by Infection Control Committee related on viral vs bacterial infections as well as an Antibiotic Stewardship program
- PCH being involved with the AHECs and HealthCARE MT—
<http://healthcaremontnana.org/>
- PCH looking at scheduler options as well as electronic notification options as well as potential KIOSK for registration and use of Pt Portal
- Looking at implementation of signature pads and investigating home monitoring
- Looking to partner/collaborate more with Regional facilities
- As appropriate and needed PCH to be involved in community conversations about new or current services viability and sustainability



Health & Wellness For the Month

- American Diabetes
www.diabetes.org
- Alzheimer’s Awareness
www.alz.org
- Pancreatic Cancer
www.pancan.org
- Suicide prevention
www.suicidology.org

Quote for the Month

“You give more so that you will have more to give”

PCH Holds Annual Meeting

On 10/26/16 at the GN Lodge room the PCH Assn. held its’ annual meeting. Where the past year was discussed as well as the following future trends in healthcare that will be impacting PCH and healthcare

- R/R of professionals

- Quality care and outcomes
- Managing and reporting data
- Changing landscape of healthcare
- Financial sustainability
- Impacts of elections

KUDSO to the PCH Staff

- For their award/recognition by the PIN for their work on ER Transfer communications
- For their award/recognition by LifeCenter Northwest for Tissue Donation Achievement