

## *Córdoba Healthcare Free Clinic*

The UICOMP Student Clinic would like to welcome you to volunteer with our first major project! We have teamed up with Dr. Wasim Elahi, a gastroenterologist with the Illinois Gastroenterology Institute, and his newly opened Córdoba Healthcare, a free specialty clinic. UICOMP students make up a significant part of their workforce and we hope to continue to help them. Medical students are given rotating tasks as receptionists, with completing patient documentation, taking H&Ps, taking vitals, performing lab blood-draws, and even dictating physician notes (similar to medical scribes). It is a great place to learn about medicine from a practical standpoint and also from a logistics standpoint; and everyone is very appreciative of our help and excited to teach!

Córdoba Healthcare is a free specialty clinic aimed at serving the uninsured, under-insured, and most vulnerable members of Greater Peoria. It is partnered with Heartland Community Clinic as a referral site for specialty services like gastroenterology, cardiology, and nephrology. HCC is a primary care system of clinics focusing on similar populations that charges on a sliding scale basis according to income and insurance. Córdoba Healthcare opened this summer 2016 and continues to grow as it establishes itself in the community and joins the network of healthcare providers focusing on underserved populations.

The clinic is open every Sunday from 1-4pm and is located near the medical school at:

Córdoba Healthcare

711 West John Gwynn Jr

Peoria, IL

If you are interested, please follow the link below to access the Google Sheets document. We are looking for about 5 volunteers per clinic day from 1-4 pm:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1CSk2zg3GVghqSfQbnmOjd6fxlh7-rA\\_mGHCU5m4BX0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1CSk2zg3GVghqSfQbnmOjd6fxlh7-rA_mGHCU5m4BX0/edit?usp=sharing)