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Frederick Health Awarded International Accreditation

Frederick, MD – August 11, 2023, The College of American Pathologists (CAP) has awarded a prestigious accreditation to Frederick Health Laboratory Services based on results of a recent on-site inspection as part of the CAP's Accreditation Programs. This is Frederick Health's second time earning this accreditation. During the CAP accreditation process, designed to ensure the highest standard of care for all laboratory patients, inspectors examine the laboratory's records and quality control of procedures for the preceding two years. CAP inspectors also examine laboratory staff qualifications, equipment, facilities, safety program and record, and overall management.

Bruce Williams, Director, Laboratory Services, Frederick Health, recently learned of this national recognition and congratulated the entire team for their excellence.

"Frederick Health Laboratory Services is proud to serve Frederick County, and we are dedicated to providing timely and accurate results for our patients," said Williams.

Frederick Health labs are one of more than 8,000 CAP-accredited facilities worldwide.

"Whether it's routine bloodwork or administering some of the most complex tests in the industry, our lab team provides an excellent, professional service to the residents of Frederick County and beyond," said Tom Kleinhanzl, President & CEO, Frederick Health. "Their dedication is yet another way of Frederick Health positively impacting the well-being of every individual in our community."

About the College of American Pathologists

As the world's largest organization of board-certified pathologists and leading provider of laboratory accreditation and proficiency testing programs, the College of American Pathologists (CAP) serves patients, pathologists, and the public by fostering and advocating excellence in the practice of pathology and laboratory medicine worldwide. For more information, read the CAP Annual Report at cap.org.

About Frederick Health

Frederick Health provides comprehensive healthcare services to the residents of Frederick County. The system includes Frederick Health Hospital, Frederick Health Medical Group, Frederick Health Employer Solutions, Frederick Health Home Care, and Frederick Health Hospice. Frederick Health Medical Group is a multi-specialty practice with more than 100 providers, 22 specialties and multiple locations across the county. The system has several ambulatory care locations, the freestanding James M Stockman Cancer Institute, three urgent care locations, and the Frederick Health Village. With 4,000 team members, Frederick Health provides a full spectrum of healthcare and wellness services to support its mission to positively impact the well-being of every individual in our community.

For more information on Frederick Health labs or to schedule an appointment, please visit www.frederickhealth.org/laboratory.