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Dr. Genoveva Tenorio Announces Retirement from Northwest Medical Center



Dr. Genoveva (Genny) Tenorio, a pediatrician well known and respected in northwest Missouri, has announced she will retire from Northwest Medical Center and Stanberry Rural Health Clinic on December 30, 2014, after 35 years of service.

Dr. Genny graduated from medical school in Lima, Peru, and completed her Pediatrics residency in New York. She and her husband, Dr. Arturo Tenorio, began working for Northwest Medical Center in 1979. “We thought working in a rural community would be a good experience for a short time,” says Dr. Genny. “Our plan was to stay a couple of years.”

The Tenorio’s set up a private practice in Albany while also working with Northwest Medical Center. “People welcomed us with open arms and we began to feel like we had a second family here,” states Dr. Genny. “We almost signed offers to work in larger towns, but people were so friendly and welcoming that we decided to stay a little longer.”

Indeed they stayed longer, as the Tenorio family has called the area home for over 3 decades.

“It has been my pleasure to serve our communities for the past 35 years,” says Dr. Genny. “I have had the privilege of meeting great people and developing lifelong friendships with many patients. I am pleased to know that I leave our patients’ healthcare needs in the capable hands of the other skilled and accomplished providers at Northwest Medical Center.”

“Dr. Genny is a great asset to our medical staff,” says Jon Doolittle, President and CEO of Northwest Medical Center. “We are grateful for her vision and commitment to rural health care and want to wish her the best in her retirement. Along with her husband Arturo, she has been part of an incredible care team that would be the envy of any rural organization.”

With Dr. Genny’s departure from Stanberry Rural Health Clinic, Northwest Medical Center continues to be focused on serving as the ideal health partner for children and their families. Stanberry Rural Health Clinic is proud to announce expanded hours to 7:00 p.m., on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In addition, Ronda Damgar, Nurse Practitioner, has joined Board Certified Family Medicine Provider Dr. Katie Dias and Dr. Arturo Tenorio in Stanberry to provide primary care services to patients of all ages. Ronda comes from Mosaic Life Care at St. Joseph, and is excited to join the excellent team of physicians in Stanberry.



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Dr. Genny is looking forward to spending more time traveling and visiting her children and grandchildren.

“The hardest part of retiring is my relationship with my patients,” Dr. Genny concluded. “When you know people for 35 years, it’s like saying good bye to members of my family.”

About- Northwest Medical Center has provided high-quality health services to residents in Northwest Missouri since 1957. Along with five satellite clinics and a full-service home-health agency, Northwest Medical Center continues its tradition of community healthcare utilizing leading-edge diagnostic equipment and boasting one of the top emergency room facilities in the region.

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