

2019 HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Digestive Health Specialists, PA will be closed on the following days in 2019.

Good Friday
April 19, 2019

Memorial Day
May 27, 2019

Independence Day
July 4, 2019

Labor Day
September 2, 2019

Thanksgiving
November 28, 2019
November 29, 2019

Christmas Day
December 25, 2019

New Year's Day
January 1, 2020

Serving the areas of:

- Winston-Salem
- Kernersville
- Advance
- Thomasville
- King

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I WILL Survive Colon Cancer Campaign

It is an established fact that colon cancer is one of the most treatable and even curable of the cancers. Unfortunately, 33% of adults are not screened as recommended.* Because of this, Digestive Health Specialists, PA has dedicated their campaign for Colon Cancer Awareness to raise attention to the benefits of screening. As of March 1st, 2019 we will launch our campaign **9 out of 10 SURVIVE COLON CANCER**. This campaign will include billboards across Winston-Salem and in Kernersville and social media engagement.

Colon Cancer Awareness is at the essence of who we are and what we do. That is why Justine Unruh, PA-C dedicated her blog in March to focus on Colon Cancer Awareness.

She answers 4 important questions regarding colon cancer.

- What are the different signs and symptoms of colorectal cancer?
- Who should get screened

We also want to encourage you and your team to participate in our



Digestive Health Specialists, PA's way to show how the medical community is supporting Colon Cancer Awareness.

I WILL Survive Colon Cancer because _____ initiative. You can send us pictures of you and/or your

team stating the steps you are taking to prevent colon cancer. Send us your pictures through Facebook Messenger or email at marketing@digestivehealth.ws and we will share them on our Facebook page to show how the entire medical community is supporting colon cancer awareness.

A last initiative in our campaign is our pledge. We want everyone to pledge that they will get screened and fight against colon cancer.

You can pledge as well.

Visit the following link: <https://digestivehealth.ws/pledge/>

Colon Cancer Awareness Continues...

and why?

- What are the different types of screening methods? And lastly,
- Why make an appointment with Digestive Health Specialists, PA?

Her blog points out the latest statistics on colon cancer, such as: *"Interestingly, colorectal cancer incidents and deaths among adults 55+ have declined since 2000; however the cancer incidents and deaths*

among adults younger than age 55 have increased. Rectal cancer has doubled in incidence in individuals age 20-49 years old since 1994."

To read all the important facts on colon cancer, visit the blog article "Colon Cancer Screening" at the following link: <https://digestivehealth.ws/colon-cancer-screening/>

* <https://fightcolorectalcancer.org/prevent/about-colorectal-cancer/facts-stats/>

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 Colon Cancer Prevention Center

We see clinic patients and perform procedures in all our locations – all GI services in one place, no traveling needed for our patients!

We perform the following procedures in our procedure centers:

- Colonoscopy
- Endoscopy
- Flexible Sigmoidoscopy
- Push Enteroscopy
- Wireless Capsule Endoscopy

Our clinics treat the following conditions

- Acid Reflux
- Barrett's Esophagus
- Celiac Disease
- Colorectal Cancer
- Constipation
- Crohn's Disease
- Diarrhea
- GERD
- Hemorrhoid/Hemorrhoid Bandings
- Hepatitis
- Irritable Bowel Syndrome
- Liver Cirrhosis
- Ulcerative Colitis
- And More

GET TO KNOW

At Digestive Health Specialists, PA we have providers and physician's assistants available to help your patients with their digestive needs. To feel more at home with who we are, we want to introduce you to each of them.



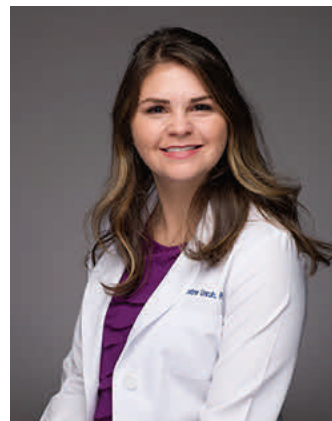
William Bray, MD, AGAF
Kernersville & Winston-Salem

Dr. Bray is one of our more seasoned providers at Digestive Health Specialists,

PA. He has been practicing medicine for more than 20 years. His experience includes treating GERD, IBD, colorectal cancer prevention, and Biliary/Pancreatic diseases.

He was born in Pennsylvania and received his medical degree from Hahnemann University. He has been practicing since 1991.

In 2010, he was named a Fellow by the American Gastroenterological Association.



Justine Unruh, PA-C
Thomasville & Winston-Salem

Justine Unruh, PA-C is one of our physician's assistants at Digestive Health Specialists,

PA. She joined our practice in September 2017. She has a particular interest in Irritable Bowl Syndrome.

She is a member of the Texas Academy of Physician Assistants, the American Academy of Physician Assistants, and the North Carolina Academy of Physician Assistants.

To learn more about Dr. Bray, Justine, or any of our other providers, visit our website <http://digestivehealth.ws> under "Meet Our Providers."