

## Mayor Lukes Commemorates the Opening of PMA, Inc.'s Neuropsychopharmacological Clinic

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*Worcester clinic offers patients unique state-of-the-art services at Henry Lee Willis Center*

Worcester Mayor Konstantina B. Lukes commemorated the opening of Preventive Medicine Associates, Inc.'s (PMA) Neuropsychopharmacological Clinic at the Henry Lee Willis Center in Worcester on Wednesday, December 23rd, 2009. PMA, which operates the Worcester Family Practice, is a group of family practices located throughout Massachusetts that are focused on bringing the best care to their patients and community.

PMA's Neuropsychopharmacological Clinic, located at 44 Front Street in Worcester, offers a unique service by providing pharmacological consultations to both residents of the Willis Center and other individuals in need. The clinic will allow patients to have their health histories and medication lists reviewed by an experienced psychopharmacologist and will also enable them to receive education about their medications, their overall wellness and the resources needed to adapt to a healthy lifestyle.

"The Neuropsychopharmacological Clinic expands the quality of care that Preventive Medicine Associates provides by adding a complexity that no other addiction treatment or sobriety maintenance center can claim," said PMA President Dr. Punyamurtula S. Kishore. "We are honored that Mayor Lukes supports the quality of service that our clinic will provide and recognizes the need for such treatment in the community."

The Henry Lee Willis Center – which is comprised of traditional outpatient counseling services and residential treatment for both men and women - has a collaborative relationship with Dr. Kishore, an American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) certified Physician, who has provided quality primary health care to Willis Center patients for over 6 years.

About Preventive Medicine Associates

Preventive Medicine Associates is a group of family practices located through Massachusetts, focused on bringing the best care to their patients and community. Their doctors and staff are trained in the diagnosis and treatment of numerous diseases and conditions, and manage both common and complex problems. They are also trained to prevent, diagnose and treat a wide variety of ailments affecting patients of all ages. Preventive Medicine Associates doctors work in the science of protecting and improving the health of communities through education, promotion of healthy lifestyles and research for disease and injury prevention.

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**AFFILIATION AGREEMENT**  
**BETWEEN**  
**PREVENTIVE MEDICINE ASSOCIATES**  
**AND**  
**MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY**  
**AND HEALTH SCIENCES**

This Agreement is entered as of the February 1, 2011, by and between Preventive Medicine Associates (hereinafter referred to as the "Site") and Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences (hereinafter referred to as the "College").

WHEREAS, the College desires to affiliate with the Site for the purpose of providing an Experiential Education Program for practical learning and clinical experiences for baccalaureate and doctor of pharmacy students as part of their professional education (the "Experiential Education Program"); and

WHEREAS, the Site has the facilities, equipment and personnel to provide the necessary educational experience and desires to affiliate with the College for the purpose of providing the Experiential Education Program;

THEREFORE, the parties hereby agree as follows:

**1. Responsibilities of the College.**

**1.1. Accreditation.** The College is fully accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges and the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education and shall use reasonable efforts to retain such accreditation during the term of this Agreement.

**1.2. Development of Experiential Education Program.** The College will coordinate with the site in developing the details of the Experiential Education Program including, but not limited to, each student's previous clinical and academic experience, course and program outlines and objectives, dates of clinical rotations and number of students on assignment. The College shall designate college-employed faculty to coordinate the Experiential Education Program at the Site.

**1.3. Insurance.** The College shall provide for each student, faculty member or other personnel of the College participating in the Program and engaging in any activities at the Site pursuant to this Agreement, group professional liability and comprehensive general liability insurance, which shall be primary insurance on an occurrence basis, in the amount of at least \$1,000,000 covering claims arising out of (i) injury to any person resulting from rendering or