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Martinsburg VA Observes Federal Holiday

The Martinsburg VA Medical Center will observe George Washington federal holiday on Monday, February 15th. As with all federal holidays and weekends, the Medical Center's Emergency Department remains open and fully staffed every day, 24 hours a day. The Community Based Outpatient Clinics in Cumberland and Hagerstown, Maryland; Stephens City and Harrisonburg, Virginia; and Petersburg WV will also be closed for the federal holiday. **The Community Based Outpatient Clinic in Franklin, WV will be open on January 18th.**

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The Martinsburg VA Medical Center mission is to honor America's Veterans by providing exceptional health care that improves their health and well-being. Located in West Virginia, the Medical Center offers a comprehensive range of services, including internal medicine, ambulatory surgery, audiology and speech pathology, dental, nursing home, nutrition, podiatry, prosthetics, women's health, mental health, and rehabilitation medicine. With a service area of nearly 130,000 veterans in West Virginia, Maryland, Virginia, and Pennsylvania, the Medical Center operates three VA-staffed Outpatient Clinics in Cumberland and Hagerstown, Md., and Stephens City, Va., and three contract clinics in Franklin and Petersburg, W.Va. and Harrisonburg, Va. Construction for a new clinic in Fort Detrick, Md. has started with an opening tentatively scheduled in Fall 2010.