

# Quick Care Medical eyes Chiefland; *Urgent care facility may come here*

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**CHIEFLAND** -- Quick Care Medical had representatives at the regular twice-monthly Chiefland City Commission meeting Monday night (April 22), announcing that this urgent care patient walk-in facility is planning to open next to Complete Sleep & Furnishings, which is just west of Walmart on the site U.S. Highway 19 in Chiefland.

Jason Kennedy, owner of Complete Sleep & Furnishings, said some renovations are happening now at his store, which will continue to be a retail outlet for mattresses, chairs, couches, recliners, tables, desks and other furniture.

The new medical facility is **not** expected to begin operating within the next six months, according to what was said of the City Commission meeting Monday night. No timeline has been set for opening yet.

Days and hours of operation are yet to be scheduled as well for the potential Quick Care Medical facility that may open in Chiefland.

Quick Care Medical has facilities already in Newberry and Williston. Other Florida locations for this urgent care patient walk-in service include two in Ocala, and one in each of the following cities Dunnellon, Beverly Hills, Crystal River, Homosassa and Inverness.

The proposed facility in Chiefland will be almost within walking distance of the Chiefland Medical Center.

**Palms Medical Group** also has a downtown Chiefland location at **410 N. Main St. (U.S. Highway 19)**, in the **medical plaza, which includes offices for orthodontics (Dr. Bill Martin), dental care (Dr. Jennifer Brown-Jackson), chiropractic care (Chiefland Chiropractic Center with Dr. Floyd K. Richeson) and eye care at North Florida Eye Center.**

Patients who use Palms Medical Group enjoy making same day appointments.

[\*\*Palms Medical Group\*\*](#) has facilities in Bell, Branford, Chiefland, Gainesville, High Springs, Lake City, Live Oak, Orange Park, Starke, Trenton and Williston.

In Williston, [\*\*Regional General Hospital\*\*](#) (RGH) has an active, full-service rural health clinic. RGH also has X-ray machines, and a CT Scan that is the state-of-the-art, as well as a complete laboratory facility, and an operating room that is primarily used for kidney stone treatment currently.

Regional General Hospital of Williston is the only hospital in Levy, Dixie and Gilchrist counties.