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**Whitman General Surgery and Whitman Gastroenterology
NEW CLINIC LOCATION**

COLFAX – Whitman Hospital & Medical Clinics (WHMC) has relocated General Surgery and Gastroenterology to better serve patients on the Palouse. Both clinics are now open for business at our new location at 1055 W. Fairview St, Ste B in Colfax, across the street from the hospital campus.

As Colfax and surrounding communities grow, WHMC is expanding to meet patients' needs. "The clinics are part of WHMC's continued work to make excellent medical care accessible to the region's small towns and rural communities" says Hank Hanigan, WHMC's CEO.

Dr. Juan Parra leads Whitman General Surgery. Parra has been treating patients on the Palouse since 2011, specializing in procedures such as Hernia Repair, Rectal, breast and endocrine surgeries and varicose vein surgery.

Dr. Jeffrey Jones leads Whitman Gastroenterology, continuing to treating patients with issues such as irritable bowel syndrome, reflux disease and Crohn's disease. Jones has been treating people on the Palouse for over 20 years.

Patients will meet with Parra or Jones at the clinics for consultation and pre and post-surgical appointments. For procedures, patients will continue to be scheduled at the main WHMC campus.

For appointments, call (509) 397-2675 for Whitman General Surgery, or (509) 397-5700 for Whitman Gastroenterology. For more information visit WHMC's website at www.whmc.org.

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