



# CHIPPEWA VALLEY FREE CLINIC

*"From The Community, For The Community"*

The Chippewa Valley Free Clinic provides health services and advocacy for the people of the Chippewa Valley who have no reasonable health care alternative.

***Walk-In Clinics:***

*Every Tuesday*

*4:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.*

*(registration for walk-ins ends at 6 p.m.)*

*1st and 3rd Thursday of every month*

*9 a.m. to 1 p.m.*

*(registration for walk-ins ends at 10 a.m.)*

***Dental Clinic:***

*Every Tuesday*

*5 p.m. to 8 p.m. By Appointment Only*

***Mental Health Clinic:***

*Every Tuesday*

*4:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.*

*2nd and 4th Thursday of every month*

*5 p.m. to 8 p.m. By Appointment Only*

***Vision Clinic:***

*4th Thursday of every month*

*5:15 p.m. to 8 p.m. By Appointment Only*

***Location:***

*1030 Oak Ridge Drive*

*Eau Claire, WI 54701*

***Phone:***

*715-839-8477*

***Website:***

*[cvfreeclinic.org](http://cvfreeclinic.org)*

## **Eligibility Guidelines**

- Household income must be at or below 200% of federal poverty level guidelines.
- Individual does not have reasonable health insurance or access to government programs such as Medicaid/Badgercare, VA benefits, Medicare A or B, or Disability.

The following services are provided at no charge to eligible patients. The Clinic retains the right to stop services to any patient misrepresenting their need, not following clinic rules, or not using services as they were intended.

## Clinics

CVFC provides basic primary care for common chronic diseases - such as high blood pressure, diabetes, and asthma, as well as minor acute illnesses, such as colds, rashes, and flu. The clinic can provide simple labs at all Walk-In clinics. Dental Services such as exams, extractions, and cleanings will be available during Walk-In Clinics. Mental health care is available including medication management and counseling. Vision care with vouchers for eyeglasses is also available.

## Additional Patient Services

When ordered through the clinic, x-rays, ultrasounds, breathing and cardiac tests may be provided at area health systems. Immunizations are available for patients 18 and older.

## Medications

CVFC will provide medications ordered by the volunteer providers staffing the clinics. Requests made by outside providers may not be supported by CVFC as not all types of medications are available. Quantity dispensed depends upon availability and provider orders. Medication refills should be picked up on Tuesdays between 5:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., or during clinics, the first and third Thursdays of the month from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## Referral Services

CVFC has some referral options. The referrals are dependent upon availability of specialists and clinic resources.

### Services Not Covered:

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- Worker's Compensation cases, Social Security Disability, and Commercial Driver's License evaluations
  - STD and HIV/AIDS testing
  - Prescribing or dispensing controlled substances (none are kept on the Clinic property)
  - Specialty care - such as OB/GYN, oncology, and chronic pain
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Patients are seen based upon need and appointment schedule. Occasionally patients may need to be appointed to future clinics due to volunteer provider availability.