

# ELMIRA COLLEGE

OFFICE OF CAMPUS LIFE

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Dear Students,

We are excited to see you on campus soon! As you make your final preparations, I wanted to share a couple of campus updates.

First, I'm pleased to share that Elmira College and regional health care system, Guthrie, are partnering for on-campus health services in the Clarke Health Center, beginning Tuesday, September 3.

A Guthrie medical team, including a nurse practitioner, a licensed practical nurse, and a patient service specialist, will be available at the CHC from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Monday-Friday. Based on historical usage reports, these are the most common hours students use the facility, but depending on demand, the CHC hours may be expanded.

**Students should call the CHC at 607-735-1750 or stop by to schedule an appointment.**

**[Updated 8/22/24]** Based on availability, the Guthrie team will provide walk-in treatment for minor illnesses or injuries and some medical screenings. As always, students needing emergency services should leverage off-campus urgent care facilities and the local emergency room.

Second, as part of the College's Capital Plan, work has begun on upgrades to EC's wireless network infrastructure. This means faster, more reliable wireless service with extended coverage areas. This project will be completed in two phases with the first phase taking place in late August/early September 2024. The Information Technology team is in the process of replacing network access points in residence halls, the Gannett-Tripp Library, and the Campus Center. IT will coordinate access to residence halls with Residence Life. This work should be complete by mid-September. The second phase will take place during the summer of 2025, and will focus on replacing wireless access points in the remaining campus buildings and outdoor gathering spaces.

Finally, a reminder that this message and other important updates can always be accessed on the homepage of [MyEC](#).

See you soon!

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