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## **HSHS St. Joseph's Highland Hospital Welcomes New Physicians and Advanced Practice Providers**

(HIGHLAND, IL) – HSHS St. Joseph's Hospital Highland continues to expand their Medical Staff and advanced practice providers to meet the health care needs of area residents, both now and in the future. St. Joseph's Hospital has seen growth in the patients served in the emergency department and Prime Care clinic, thus the increase in emergency medicine providers to efficiently care for the influx of patients.

From July 2019 through November 2019, St. Joseph's Hospital is proud to have welcomed the following new health care providers:

### **Cardiology**

Dana Baugher, APRN

### **Emergency Medicine**

Kyle Bonar, MD

Ameet Brahmavar, MD

Huzefa Chinwala, MD

Kyle Derouen, DO

Eric Foster, MD

Maddelynn Hawkins, MD

Ashleigh Kennedy, MD

Adam Kincaid, MD

Adrienne Kinney, APRN

Thomas Kramer, MD

Richard McCollum, MD

Corinne O'Brien, MD

Damon Vincent, MD

### **Hospitalist**

Jennifer Jones, APRN

Adebunmi Ojulari, MD

Isaac Tran, MD

### **Neurology Telemedicine**

Junaid Kalia, MD

Rehan Sajjad, MD

Varoon Thavapalan, MD

**Pediatrics Telemedicine**

Khang Nguyen, MD

**Podiatric Medicine and Surgery**

Mia Thouvenot, DPM

To find more information or to search for physicians on HSHS St. Joseph's Medical Staff, visit the hospital's web site at [stjosephshighland.org](http://stjosephshighland.org), and click on "Find a Doctor."

HSHS St. Joseph's Hospital Highland is part of the Southern Illinois Division of Hospital Sisters Health System, which includes HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital in O'Fallon, HSHS St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital in Effingham, HSHS St. Joseph's Hospital in Breese, and HSHS Holy Family Hospital in Greenville.

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Hospital Sisters Health System's (HSHS) mission is to reveal and embody Christ's healing love for all people through our high quality, Franciscan health care ministry. HSHS provides state-of-the-art health care to our patients and is dedicated to serving all people, especially the most vulnerable, at each of our 15 Local Systems and physician practices in Illinois (Breese, Decatur, Effingham, Greenville, Highland, Litchfield, O'Fallon, Shelbyville, and Springfield) and Wisconsin (Chippewa Falls, Eau Claire, Oconto Falls, Sheboygan, and two in Green Bay). HSHS is sponsored by Hospital Sisters Ministries, and Hospital Sisters of St. Francis is the founding institute. For more information about HSHS, visit [www.hshs.org](http://www.hshs.org). For more information about Hospital Sisters of St. Francis, visit [www.hospitalsisters.org](http://www.hospitalsisters.org).