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**HCMC Medical Clinics Hosting Pop-Up Drive Thru Events on Friday to Distribute COVID-19 Test Kits and Back to School Items**

**PARIS, TN** – HCMC Medical Clinics will be hosting free pop-up Drive Thru events at two of its Rural Health Clinics on Friday, July 15 to distribute COVID-19 rapid at home test kits, N95 masks, as well as educational and back to school items.

From 7 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., the community is invited to stop by Paris Pediatrics to pick up bags, meet with Bella the Bee, get a free breakfast treat, and more. Each family can pick up one bag of goodies as well as a host of other give-away items.

From 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., those near the lake area can stop by Eagle Creek Clinic to pick up bags, receive a free lunch treat and more. Each family can also pick up one bag at this location along with give-way items as well.

We’ve come a long way since COVID-19 threatened our health and disrupted our lives, but we continue to see increases of cases with this new variant of the virus. As we move forward and look towards back to school, now is the time to get the tools and information you need to ensure your family’s health.

The kits, education, and events are grant funded by the Rural Health Clinic COVID-19 Programs including Testing and Mitigation as well as Vaccine Confidence programs.  Additionally, they are funded by the Delta COVID-19 supplemental funding.

For more information, call our HCMC Find Line at 731-644-3463 or go online at [www.hcmc-tn.org](http://www.hcmc-tn.org).

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