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Lovell FHCC Joins Joint Commission's Healing Healthcare Partnership

NORTH CHICAGO, Ill. – The Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center has joined the Joint Commission Center for Transforming Healthcare's Healing Healthcare Partnership™, a campaign that brings together health care organizations and industry to improve patient safety and lower the cost of health care.

“The Lovell FHCC is honored to be partnering with key healthcare organizations with a common goal,” said Patrick L. Sullivan, Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center Director. “Patient safety and good stewardship of taxpayer dollars is a key focus of our patient-centered environment, and joining the Joint Commission's Healing Healthcare Partnership is another method we can use to share this focus with other partners.”

As part of the partnership, the Lovell FHCC joins 7 additional healthcare facilities in Illinois who are listed on the Center for Transforming Healthcare website:

<http://www.centerfortransforminghealthcare.org>.



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About the Lovell FHCC: The Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center is the nation's first fully integrated medical facility between the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense. Established on Oct. 1, 2010, the facility integrates all medical care into a federal health care center with a single combined VA and Navy mission, serving military members, Veterans, military family members and retirees.