Whereas: For over 50 years, Community Health Centers have provided high-quality, affordable, comprehensive primary and preventive health care in our nation's medically underserved communities.

Connections

Whereas: Community Health Centers are a critical element of the health system, serving rural populations, often providing the only accessible and dependable source of primary care in their communities. Nationwide, Community Health Centers serve one in every five residents of rural areas.

Whereas: Every day, Community Health Centers develop new approaches to integrate a wide range of services beyond primary care, including oral health, vision, behavioral health, and pharmacy services to meet the challenges of their communities.

Whereas: Community Health Centers are locally owned and operated small businesses that help power local economies by generating \$85 billion in economic activity.

Whereas: During National Health Center Week, we celebrate the legacy of America's Community Health Centers, and their vital role in shaping the past, present, and future of America's health care system.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Hunt County Commissioners Court, do hereby proclaim August 3-9, 2025, as National Health Center Week. We encourage all Americans to take part in this week by visiting their local Health Center and celebrating the important partnership between America's Community Health Centers and the communities they serve.

PROCLAIMED this 22nd day of July 2025.

Judge Bobby W. Stovall

Commissioner Mark Hutchins

Attest:

County Clerk Becky Landrum

Commissioner David Monroe

Commissioner Garry Smith

Commissioner Steven Harrison