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Welcome to the June issue of *PlusNotes for Members*, your source for news on your health plan and healthy living information.

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Green & Gold Training Camp is July 17

Mark your calendars for July 17 and don't miss the third annual [Green & Gold Training Camp](#) at Madison's [Henry Vilas Zoo](#), presented by Physicians Plus and Meriter. This fun and active mini training camp will once again be led by Green Bay's Donald Driver and Edgar Bennett! Kids ages 5–12 are welcome to “work out” and have fun with the pros; and 10 lucky kids will win a football personally autographed by each player. Please note: this event *is not* an autograph-signing.

For quick and easy registration, complete the [registration form](#) in advance and bring it to the event. Save the date and join us for this FREE, fun, family event!

Meriter Adds Madison Pediatric Clinic Location; Offers Sports Physicals

Beginning in July, Meriter will offer pediatric primary care services at the [Meriter-McKee clinic](#) in Madison. [Dr. George Idárraga](#) and [Dr. Dana Johnson](#) will relocate from their current location on Deming Way in Middleton in an effort to best serve patients across a larger area. Same-day appointments and extended hours will remain available for all pediatric patients. [Dr. Viren Bavishi](#) and [Dr. Sumita Ram](#) will continue to provide pediatric primary care at [Meriter Middleton Pediatrics](#) on Deming Way. To make an appointment at either clinic location, call (608) 417-8388.

Also of note, this summer Meriter Middleton Pediatrics will offer \$25 [comprehensive sports physicals](#) specifically for WIAA student athletes. This physical meets WIAA and school requirements, and the special rate is available only to WIAA student athletes and only on July 13, August 4 and August 10, so call to schedule an appointment today. (*Standard sports physical exams can also be scheduled at any time and are subject to regular office visit charges.*)

P+ keeps you Covered during Summer Vacations

Vacation season is finally here! And whether you and your family travel near or far this summer, you can rest assured that your Physicians Plus health plan keeps you covered in case of emergency. Please take time to review what to do if you need care outside the P+ service area.

If there's a serious emergency, please go to the nearest Emergency Department immediately and call us at (800) 545-5015 within 48 hours. If a less-serious medical problem (sprain, minor cut, etc.) occurs, call your doctor or [NursePlus](#) (866-PPLUSRN) for advice, if possible. For more details, check out the [ER-Urgent Care reference guide](#) and out-of-area coverage guidelines in your [member handbook](#).

Correction in *The Plus Report*

Phone numbers for Meriter's [Orthopedic Clinic](#) and [Pediatric Center](#) were incorrectly listed in the recent Plus Report member newsletter. You can contact Meriter's Orthopedic Clinic at (608) 417-8500 and the Pediatric Center at (608) 417-6202.

Tell Us What You Think

Physicians Plus wants feedback, suggestions and ideas for improvement from you! All ideas are reviewed, so if you have a suggestion, please let us [know](#).