



Oregon's largest multi-specialty, physician-owned medical clinic.

Media contact:
Bela Friedman / 503-848-3640
Elizabeth Lindenmuth/503-963-2893

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Oregon Clinic Welcomes New Physician Assistant, Kevin Dennis, to the Northwest Surgical Division

Portland, Ore., Oct. 12, 2011 – The Oregon Clinic's Northwest Surgical division is pleased to welcome Kevin Dennis, PA-C. Dennis is a physician assistant specializing in cardiothoracic surgery. He will be based at Northwest Surgical's Salem office at 875 Oak St.

Originally from Eugene, Ore., Dennis graduated from the University of Oregon in 1998, where he majored in general science and later did post graduate study in microbiology. He received his masters of science in physician assistant studies this past August from Pacific University in Hillsboro. Formerly an aero-medical technician in the US Air Force Reserve, Dennis worked for several years in pharmaceutical sales with Pfizer prior to beginning his master's program.

Dennis now lives in Salem and enjoys volunteering at community clinics, hiking, mountain biking, snowboarding and photography.

"We are excited to have Kevin Dennis join our practice. His experience will be a wonderful asset to our cardiac surgery team," said Michelle McIntosh, director of Operations.

"The Oregon Clinic provides a wonderful opportunity to provide excellent healthcare for patients with a very wide and diverse range of disease. I appreciate the team-oriented approach to healthcare that is experienced in the hospital and in surgery," said Dennis.

About The Oregon Clinic

The Oregon Clinic is the largest private specialty physician practice in Oregon, with more than 140 providers practicing over 30 different medical and surgical specialties and sub-specialties. We use a team approach to address health

conditions at more than 15 locations from Vancouver to Salem, and from Hood River to Astoria. Founded in Portland in 1994, our physicians and staff are committed to delivering the highest quality patient care, practicing evidence-based medicine, and providing leadership for the healthcare community. Visit www.orclinic.com or call 503-935-8000 for more information.

###