Happy Monday. Last week. Way to go Blue Healers. You are a beacon of light and hope. We want to wish you all a blessed holiday season and a great start to the new year.

Reminders:

From Dr. Anderson:

As we look toward spring semester, we continue to be hopeful because the COVID-19 vaccine will soon be distributed! We are also mindful of sending students home for the holidays and the challenge that presents in bringing everyone back safely. With that in mind, we have decided to start the spring semester much like we have been doing since Thanksgiving. We will send another update on 1/4/21 to confirm or amend the plan as follows:

- BCHS will remain open to students including the availability of all student services.
- All labs and clinicals will continue to meet in their current format.
- All face-to-face theory courses will be delivered in the remote format. Please look for communication from your faculty about how remote delivery will work for each of your face-to-face theory courses.
- Faculty will be available to students during currently scheduled class time even if delivering asynchronous remote content.
- For lecture classes with less than 20 students, faculty may request an exception to their Dean and Provost. You will receive communication from your instructor if your class will still be meeting face-to-face.
- All exams for current face to face courses will be administered in classrooms (not remote). Students are expected to come to campus to take their exams.
- All sections of BNA and Phlebotomy will remain in the face to face format.
- Should you need to borrow a college laptop or webcam for the beginning of the semester, please contact Jawad Qudus.
- If you would like to request a non-medical accommodation for remote learning for the entire semester, please fill out the following form: https://forms.gle/qVeNftmthZ4LX3B79

If you should exhibit any COVID19 symptoms over the holiday break, get tested at your local Test Nebraska site, Urgent Care facility, or Primary Care Physician. Please also contact Student Health at studenthealth@bryanhealthcollege.edu as this email will be monitored daily.

**Covid Response Team report:** Running totals, covering Monday-Sunday.

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Be Safe. Be Well. Be Healers and Helpers.

Rich Lloyd, President