

INTEGRIS

Keri Keeble

Clinical Nurse Manager - Burn, Wound, PICC, Hyperbarics, Enterostomal Therapy & Ambulatory Infusion Center

Keri is a 2000 graduate from Minco High School. Currently lives in Minco with her daughter, Briley, and works at INTEGRIS Baptist Medical Center.

Keri Keeble is a Clinical Nurse Manager at INTEGRIS Baptist.

Misty Rhea

Misty Rhea, of Mustang, is a full-time RN at INTEGRIS Canadian Valley Hospital in Yukon as a Labor and Delivery nurse and working the frontline. Her passion is always wanting to help people. She attends Empowered Church in Mustang and is the EKIDZ Director for Wednesday nights. Misty and her husband Joseph have been married 12 years. She is a full-time mom to a beautiful 6-year-old daughter while also in school full time. She will graduate with her BSN from Oklahoma City University in May.

Misty Rhea is a fulltime RN at INTEGRIS in Yukon.

Felicia Epp

Felicia Epp is a mother of three young, beautiful children and married to her best friend, Brock Epp. She has been a nurse for seven years and currently a lead nurse on what is normally an Ortho/Neuro unit. However, it has recently been transformed into a cohort unit for COVID patients. These past few weeks have presented challenges for her team, but they adapt and conquer. She said the support they have been shown from their own co-workers, hospital administration, community, and state leaders are felt daily and appreciated.

"In such times of uncertainty, it is so nice to see how well we all come together. Stay strong Mustang."

Georgia Kirkwood

Georgia Kirkwood is a CNA at INTEGRIS Baptist.

Common terminology associated with illness outbreaks

Community spread: The spread of a disease among a certain area in which there is no direct knowledge of how or when someone caught the disease.

Epidemiology: This is a branch of medicine that deals with the incidence, distribution and possible control of disease, as well as patterns and determinants of illnesses. An epidemic is a situation when a disease spreads rapidly among many people and in higher concentrations than normal.

Pandemic: This relates to the geo-

graphical spread of a disease that affects a whole country or the entire world, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Pandemic does not refer to the severity or mortality of an illness, just how far it has traveled.

PPE: This stands for personal protective equipment. The Occupational Safety and Health Administration says this is gear worn to minimize exposure to hazards that cause serious workplace injuries and illnesses. PPE may

include gloves, safety glasses, masks, and gowns in healthcare settings.

Presumptive case: A presumptive case or presumptive positive case is one in which symptoms seemingly match the illness but a diagnosis has not yet been confirmed. A presumptive case is not a definitive case.

Quarantine: This is a restriction on the movement of people and goods, which is intended to prevent the spread of pests or diseases. Quarantines may be mandated or voluntary.

Social distancing: Social distancing refers to limiting contact or other interactions with people in an effort to help reduce the likelihood of disease contraction and spread. This largely involves modifying operations so that large crowds do not congregate at places like universities and colleges, sporting events, meetings, and conferences.

Symptomatic: One who is symptomatic shows symptoms of a particular illness or disease.