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COMPUNET CLINICAL LABORATORIES OFFERS COMPREHENSIVE, STATE-OF-THE-ART DIAGNOSTIC TESTING

With over 70% of all medical decisions based on the results of laboratory tests, CompuNet Clinical Laboratories understands the crucial role it plays in the quality of life for Miami Valley residents.

Founded on January 1, 1986, CompuNet grew rapidly, requiring a move within just one year to a larger facility in Moraine. Today, CompuNet Clinical Laboratories' over 500 employees work at several locations including its 54,000 square foot Moraine headquarters and reference laboratory, twenty-seven patient services centers, Miami Valley Hospital laboratories, Middletown Laboratory Services, and a satellite facility in Troy.

In serving the medical community, CompuNet Clinical Laboratories operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. With its state-of-the-art facilities and highly advanced testing equipment, CompuNet offers most available FDA-approved laboratory tests and, on a typical day will run approximately 10,000 diagnostic tests.

Widely known for performing routine tests to detect high cholesterol, diabetes, and cervical cancer, CompuNet Clinical Laboratories has also built a reputation among physicians for being at the forefront in providing thousands of different diagnostic tests, including those that are rare or highly complex. "CompuNet's scientists and technical staff regularly attend conferences held throughout the country to gain an understanding of the latest diagnostic technologies being developed and to stay informed of all the latest FDA-approved testing," said Ed Doucette, CEO. "Indeed, many of our staff members have been invited to address the various regional, national, and international laboratory symposiums and conferences."

Aside from routine lab tests, CompuNet has experienced growth in specialized areas of laboratory medicine. "We believe that we are the only laboratory in the area that offers Special Coagulation testing," said Doucette. Typically, tests in this area of the lab are performed to detect bleeding disorders, however at least one-third of the department's work is devoted to testing for a condition called Phospholipid Antibody Syndrome, known to cause fetal loss and repeated miscarriage.

Molecular Diagnostics is another CompuNet department that has expanded in recent years. Molecular Diagnostics provides DNA-based testing for a growing number of disease conditions. The DNA-based technology produces very rapid, yet extremely accurate results, giving physicians the ability to start a patient's treatment regimen much sooner.

CompuNet Clinical Laboratories greatly values its 12-year relationship with the Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce. As a member, CompuNet has benefited from a host of services offered through the Chamber including discounted services and programs, networking opportunities, and educational forums. Thanks to CompuNet's participation in the Chamber's safety program, the

company receives discounts for their Workers' Compensation premiums and the Chamber's monthly Safety Breakfasts with the Experts has been an excellent resource for information about the latest safety topics affecting businesses today.

The Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce is an important link for information about legislative issues that affect area employers. Being affiliated with the Chamber means that as a member, the needs of the local business community are well represented at both the state and national level.

With over 3,000 members, the Chamber offers CompuNet an abundance of networking opportunities. "I enjoy the contact and professional interaction with other member companies and chamber staff," said Al Turnbull, Vice-President, Human Resources. "Membership is a learning and sharing opportunity and is always personally fulfilling whenever I've attended a Dayton Chamber of Commerce event."

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