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**PAT SPRUCE, M.D. JOINS PRIMARY HEALTH MEDICAL GROUP  
URGENT CARE**

Boise, February 23, 2009-- Primary Health Medical Group is pleased to announce the addition of Pat Spruce, M.D. to the Urgent Care practice. Dr. Spruce is a graduate of Northwestern State University in Natchitoches, Louisiana and the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences. He completed his internship at the Area Health Education Center-Northwest in Fayetteville, Arkansas as well as training at the Naval Aviation Medical Institute in Pensacola, Florida. With over 15 years Urgent Care experience, Dr. Spruce joins Primary Health Medical Group's other providers dedicated to providing quality and convenient care in an Urgent Care setting. Dr. Spruce will begin seeing patients in Canyon County at the Caldwell and Nampa Urgent Care clinics in early March.

Boise-based Primary Health Medical Group is a multi-specialty medical group that was created by physicians who have practiced in Idaho for more than twenty years. The group sees over 200,000 patient visits a year through 13 clinics located in Boise, Meridian, Eagle, Nampa, and Caldwell. The majority of the clinics offer appointment family practice and urgent care services and are staffed by family practitioners, physician assistants and nurse practitioners. The group also has physicians in pediatrics, obstetrics and gynecology, dermatology, occupational medicine, and ear, nose, and throat. Find more information about Primary Health Medical Group at [www.phmgidaho.com](http://www.phmgidaho.com).

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