



EndoEconomics Update

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Laredo Digestive Health Center Commencement of Development

The physicians of Gastroenterology Consultants of Laredo are pleased to announce the commencement of construction activities in their Laredo, Texas location.

The two-room facility will be centrally located in the Laredo area adjacent to the physicians' new professional practice. The center is anticipated to begin treating patients in late 2008.

"For some time our practice has considered developing an endoscopic ambulatory surgery center to better serve our patients and the surrounding community. We feel that with our new center, we will be able to provide the highest possible care to our patients.

"Additionally, we are excited to partner with Physicians Endoscopy. They really pay attention

to and work for the success of the doctors. They look at your situation and do what is necessary to make your endo-



Physicians to be credentialed at Laredo Digestive Health Center (Left to Right) Monte Allen, DO; Elsa Canales, MD; Anthony Galan, MD

scopy center successful," stated Monte Allen, DO, who will serve as the facility's Medical Director as well as a member of the Board of Directors.

"We are tremendously excited about our partnership with Gastroenterology Consultants of Laredo to develop a center in the Laredo area. This represents our second project in the state of Texas, and upon opening, will become the 16th partnered facility to join the PE family.

"The PE Team is completely committed to helping the physicians deliver the best possible facility services to their patients. Working with the physicians and learning about their commitment to their community has been very rewarding," stated Carol Stopa, Vice President of Physicians Endoscopy.



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Laredo Digestive Health Center is conveniently located in Laredo, Texas immediately off McPherson Blvd. The facility will provide gastroenterology-focused ambulatory surgery services to patients throughout the Laredo area. For more information, please contact Monte Allen, DO, Medical Director, at Gastroenterology Consultants of Laredo at (956) 795-4776 or gastroconsultants@stx.rr.com.

Physicians Endoscopy is a nationally recognized development and management partner for single-specialty EASCs. The company currently operates 14 partnered facilities and will open five additional facilities in the next twelve months. For more information, please contact Carol Stopa, Vice President of Partnership Development at cstopa@endocenters.com or (215) 589-9018.