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**Barrett Hospital & HealthCare Announces Community Lab Fair
with Reduced Pricing**

Dillon, Montana, March 27, 2024 – Barrett Hospital & HealthCare is excited to announce the launch of its Community Lab Fair every Thursday and Friday throughout the month of April. This initiative is part of Barrett's ongoing commitment to support the health and wellbeing of our community by offering an array of laboratory services at significantly reduced prices.

Understanding the financial challenges that routine and preventative health screenings can present to individuals and families, Barrett Hospital & HealthCare has taken a proactive step to ensure these essential services are accessible to all, including uninsured individuals.

EVENT DETAILS:

What: Community Lab Fair

When: Every Thursday and Friday, April 2024

Time: 8:00am – 11:00am

Where: Barrett Hospital & HealthCare, Hospital location only at: 600 MT HWY 91 S.

During the Lab Fair, community members will have the opportunity to benefit from a range of laboratory tests at reduced fees. These tests are crucial for early detection and management of various health conditions. The selection includes, but is not limited to:

- Complete Blood Count (CBC)
- Comprehensive Metabolic Panel (CMP)
- C-Reactive Protein (CRP)
- Lipid Panel
- Thyroid-Stimulating Hormone (TSH) Test
- Hemoglobin A1C levels
- Prostate-Specific Antigen (PSA) Test
- Vitamin D levels
- Insulin

Barrett Hospital & HealthCare's skilled laboratory technicians will be on hand to provide professional, confidential, and compassionate service. Please note that a doctor's orders are not required for the tests offered during the fair, and all results will be sent directly to participants.

Reid Watkins, Manager of Laboratory Services at Barrett Hospital & HealthCare, stated, "Our lab fair is designed to encourage our community members to take charge of their health. By offering these tests at a reduced cost, we hope to reduce any financial barriers that may prevent individuals from getting the care they need."

No appointment is necessary, and services will be provided on a first-come-first-serve basis. It is advised to fast for 12 hours before participating in the blood draw, although water and medications can be taken as usual.

Barrett Hospital & HealthCare is proud to be a beacon of health and wellness in the community. We invite all community members to take advantage of this opportunity to better their health at reduced costs.

For more information about the Community Lab Fair and the services offered, please visit www.barrethospital.org.

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About Barrett Hospital & HealthCare:

Barrett Hospital & HealthCare is a nationally recognized healthcare institution in Dillon, Montana, committed to providing exceptional patient-centered care across various medical specialties. With a state-of-the-art facility, along with primary care and specialty care clinics, and a dedicated team of medical professionals, Barrett Hospital & HealthCare delivers comprehensive healthcare services to the local community.