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PRESS RELEASE

NON-INJURY VEHICULAR ACCIDENT AT GRHC HHKMH CAMPUS – LIFE CENTER BUILDING

Sacaton, Arizona (April 20, 2018) According to GRHC Security Department, at approximately 10:11 am, while attempting to park at the Life Center, the driver of a full-size truck jumped the curb and drove into the easterly exterior wall near the entrance to the Life Center. The driver had minor injuries and was transported by EMS to Chandler Regional Medical Center.

“We are very thankful injuries were minimal and that no patients were in that section of the building when the collision took place,” said GRHC Chief Operating Officer, Derrick Glum. GRHC will assess the damages to the exterior wall and interior storage room and restroom of the Life Center. This incident did not damage patient areas or employee work space and will not cause a closure of Life Center program/services.

“We are also extremely appreciative of the tremendous rapid response and team work of GRIC Police, Fire and Facilities & Maintenance Departments and GRICUA that worked seamlessly with GRHC’s EMS and Security Department.” See pictures below.

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About Gila River Health Care

Located thirty-five miles south of Phoenix, Arizona, in the Community of Sacaton, Arizona, Gila River Health Care is a not-for-profit corporation chartered under the auspices of the Gila River Indian Community Tribal government to serve American Indian communities. Today, the organization is comprised of **Hu Hu Kam Memorial Hospital Campus**, a 15-bed critical access hospital designation located in Sacaton, Arizona. This facility provides a wide range of primary health care services to its populations including a state-of-the-art dialysis unit and comprehensive behavioral health services. The **Komatke Health Center Campus**, located in Laveen, Arizona, opened in January of 2009 to replace the Gila Cross Clinic and to expand its services to the area. It provides a number of comprehensive primary health services, a state-of-the-art dialysis unit and extensive behavioral health services. **The Ak-Chin Clinic** is located within the Ak-chin Indian Community to provide this population with primary health care services. Behavioral Health Services at **Hau’pal (Red Tail Hawk) Health Center** opened in March of 2018 with all ambulatory services lines opening in August 2018.









