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Meidl Named Diplomat

For immediate release

Hannibal, MO –Hannibal Clinic is pleased to announce that Dr. Erik J. Meidl, internal medicine and obesity medicine specialist at the Hannibal Clinic has been named to the American Board of Obesity Medicine Test Item Writing Committee. Dr. Meidl recently completed his certification requirements for the American Board of Obesity Medicine (ABOM). ABOM diplomates are physicians who undergo rigorous training and an extensive examination process to achieve this designation. His score in the certification exam was in the top 1% of all the physicians taking the exam. The American Board of Obesity Medicine has reached out to Dr. Meidl as one of the nation's top scorers to help write new questions for future board examinations. The American Board of Obesity Medicine serves the public and the field of obesity medicine by maintaining standards for assessment and credentialing physicians. Certification as an ABOM diplomate signifies specialized knowledge in the practice of obesity medicine and distinguishes a physician as having achieved competency in obesity care. The ABOM collaborates with the National Board of Medical Examiners to administer the annual credentialing exam. Dr. Meidl will begin his work with the test item writing committee this fall.

Dr. Meidl is seeing patients at the Hannibal Clinic Healthy Weight and Wellness Clinic along American Board of Obesity Medicine Certified Priscilla Long, M.D. and Kristin Bradshaw, N.P. To make an appointment call 573-231-3738.

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