

Pat Stark



East Adams Rural Hospital and District Clinics would like to introduce Patricia Stark, our highlighted employee this week.

Pat Stark is the receptionist for the Lind and Washtucna clinics. Her responsibilities include answering phones, scheduling appointments, medical record requests, and occasionally working with the providers and nurses in the clinic.

Pat was born around Chelan and lived for three years at Holden, above Lake Chelan. She graduated from Cheney High School. She moved to Washtucna at age 18 when her parents purchased the local meat market.

Pat is an only child. She has 7 children, four natural, two adopted, and one foster.

Pat started working for the clinic in December of 1985. She volunteered for two years when the clinic first opened in Washtucna. She was always interested in healthcare. She was a candy striper, became an EMT and served for 13 years. Pat was also on the Hospital Foundation Board for 2 years. The thing that she likes best about her job is that we serve the nicest people you would find anywhere. She enjoys helping them and her co-workers are the best.

Pat's goals are to finish their home improvement projects and to never stop learning new things. Pat's two greatest accomplishments are: being an only child she always wanted a large family, they now number 40 plus – mission accomplished! God gave her a love of animals and an opportunity to help a large number of them.

Outside of work, Pat participates in church, the local pet rescue, secret sisters/red hatters, and Greyhound Pets of American and Greyhound Pets, Inc. Her favorite hobbies include greyhound activities, reading, opera, and growing roses.