



SBNC

# Highlights



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Message from Dr. Chernof

For me, the Holiday season has always been a time to reflect on the accomplishments of the year which has passed so quickly (and at my age they pass too quickly) and challenges and promise of the new year. So, what can we say about 2007? Well, it began with a host of problems and some uncertainty about how to deal with them. However, it is ending with truly enormous accomplishments due entirely to the efforts of 106 dedicated members of the SBNC family. I have worked in many corporate and clinical environments in my career, but not have embraced change and moved their organization as much as you have in a short period of time. As for 2008, remarkable and positive things are on the horizon. Stay tuned! On a personal note, I wish you all of the best. Enjoy your families, and pray for peace and good health for all. I am proud of you!



## ISLA VISTA Neighborhood CLINIC

By Leslie Kearney



Last November 15<sup>th</sup>, the IV Neighborhood Clinic facility was audited by the Santa Barbara Regional Healthy Authority. In addition to auditing the facility a chart audit also took place. IVNC received 100% on the Facility Audit and 95% on the Chart Audit. Congratulations to each and

every staff member of the IVNC!! Special thanks go out to Dennis Feeley for helping us fix the exam table in one of the rooms (David Roland has since fixed another exam table!) and helping us chain our spare O<sub>2</sub> and Nitrous tanks to the walls, Fernando for printing and assembling those wonderful name tags (keep wearing them guys!), re-making our emergency exit maps, and straightening out the supply room, Jagdish Pattani for doing such a wonderful job on the chart room in the back, Leigh and David for going through the lab so thoroughly, and Gabriella and Angie for being so patient with me during this whole process. The rest of you kept the place going and patients flowing while I constantly pestered Angie and Gabriella about our "To Do" lists. There is such a great staff here at IV that is working together to keep this place moving forward! Pat yourselves on the back!