Among the things nobody likes to talk about, urological issues are right up there. But having two female doctors made it a lot easier for Jolene Buss, of Smithville, to talk about this sensitive issue.

Jolene began to have issues with a prolapsed bladder in 2015. The condition slowly worsened, with “good days and bad days” over the years, before it became “completely miserable,” said Jolene. After several non-surgical remedies, she connected with Dr. Sharon Marcanthony at Bloomington Women’s Care.

Dr. Marcanthony realized right away that Jolene needed a hysterectomy, as well as a bladder lift. Dr. Marcanthony also conferred with urologist Dr. Holly Kay Wyneski. The two doctors decided to collaborate on Jolene’s surgery to avoid the need for two surgeries.

“As many as 30% of women will experience pelvic organ prolapse to some degree,” said Dr. Wyneski. “Genetics, childbirth, trauma, chronic health conditions, smoking and weight can all increase the risks for prolapse.”

Now, after the combined surgery, Jolene says she is grateful to her doctors for “giving me my life back.” She added, “I would recommend them to anybody.

“Drs. Marcanthony & Wyneski helped me get back to living life.”
Jolene Buss

They were so personable and caring. They made a tough time so much better.”

“Working together for surgical intervention allows each surgeon to focus on the part of the procedure that they do best,” said Dr. Wyneski.

“This gives the patient the best possible outcomes. Dr. Marcanthony is an excellent physician, surgeon and friend and I am enjoying the opportunity to work with her here in Wooster.”

Dr. Marcanthony is equally glad to be working with Dr. Wyneski. “With Dr. Wyneski being located here in Wooster, the women of our community have local access to top-of-the-line evaluation and treatment needed for these issues.” She is a “compassionate, competent specialist,” said Dr. Marcanthony.

In hindsight, Jolene marvels at how it all worked according “to God’s timing.” Dr. Wyneski moved and began practicing in Wooster shortly before Jolene’s surgery.

“If you’re experiencing these issues, don’t procrastinate like I did. Life is so much better on this side of surgery,” said Jolene.

(L to R) Dr. Sharon Marcanthony, Jolene Buss, and Dr. Holly Kay Wyneski