



St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville is expanding your view of health care.

Campus expansion opening April 2008

St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville is changing the community's view of health care as it completes the campus' largest-ever expansion, growing from 258,000 to nearly 400,000 square feet. This \$42 million project includes new and modern inpatient units and high-tech surgery suites, as well as many amenities to enhance patient and visitor comfort and promote healing.

Enhancing the inpatient experience

The new orthopaedic and adult inpatient nursing units offer private patient rooms, modern conveniences and the latest technology for patients and the medical team. Each inpatient room is equipped with two flat-screen televisions, a sofa that converts to a bed for an overnight guest, a desk and wireless Internet connectivity. Plus, visitors may take breaks in the new coffee bar and gift shop, conveniently located in the hospital's new three-story main gallery.

Physicians and medical staff have access to wireless communication technology and bedside charting for improved caregiver communication and efficiency. Patient care stations are located outside patient rooms in addition to the centralized nursing station, enabling physicians and nurses to perform their responsibilities closer to the patient.

While technology is important, we know that creating a healing environment is crucial to recovery. Careful consideration was given to the views from patient rooms, and two large rooftop gardens are visible from many of the rooms to help promote healing.

Offering the latest in surgical technology

Six new surgery suites offer the latest in surgical technology, including a high-tech video and photography system in every operating room. The system is used for viewing X-rays during surgery; printing or copying photos to a CD, flash drive or to patients' charts for reference later; and for teaching demonstrations and information-sharing with other physicians.

Additionally, the operating rooms are equipped with laminar airflow and ultraviolet light technology for sterilization, which is critical in preventing infection.

Other expansion highlights

- 34-bed orthopaedic unit and 26-bed medical-surgical unit
- A new eight-bed Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
- A renovated laboratory services department, more than double in size
- Expanded respiratory therapy services
- A full-time, on-site office for Indiana Heart Physicians, offering patients additional cardiac services at a more convenient location
- Emergency Services coming to Mooresville in fall 2008
- A new medical office building for the Center for Hip & Knee Surgery that will house physician offices, a new physical therapy department and other outpatient services – opening in June 2008.



Increasing our medical team

As our hospital grows, so does our health care staff. St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville is adding about 40 new employees and 20 physicians as part of this expansion, ensuring every patient receives the personalized, quality care they have come to expect here.

About St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville

Located in one of the fastest-growing sectors of Indiana, the hospital is best known for the outstanding Kendrick Regional Center for Colon & Rectal Care and the top-ranked Center for Hip & Knee Surgery. The hospital's Women's Center offers 13 private labor, delivery, recovery and postpartum care rooms, two Caesarean surgical suites and a Level 2 Nursery. The full-service campus also provides cancer care, urgent care and other specialty services.

Our hospital's history of serving the community

<p>1971</p> <p>Kendrick Memorial Hospital opens its doors on this property, which was originally an apple orchard. The hospital was previously located in a Victorian home in Mooresville. The hospital evolved from a specialized clinic for colon and rectal disease which began in 1881.</p>	<p>2000</p> <p>St. Francis Hospital & Health Centers purchases Kendrick Memorial Hospital. The Women's Center also opens, delivering nearly 300 babies in its first year.</p>	<p>2005</p> <p>Cancer care services expand to include a new Radiation Therapy Center. The Surgery Center also opens.</p>
<p>1986</p> <p>The Center for Hip & Knee Surgery was founded by Dr. Merrill A. Ritter. Since that time, the Center has been recognized as one of the best in the nation and No. 1 in Indiana, performing nearly 2,000 knee, hip and shoulder replacements every year.</p>	<p>2004</p> <p>St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville completes a \$20.8 million expansion, which began in April 2003, adding 77,000 square feet of new patient care space and expanded patient services.</p>	<p>2006</p> <p>St. Francis Hospital – Mooresville announces the campus' largest-ever expansion.</p>