

NORTHEAST METHODIST HOSPITAL*

"Serving Humanity to Honor God"

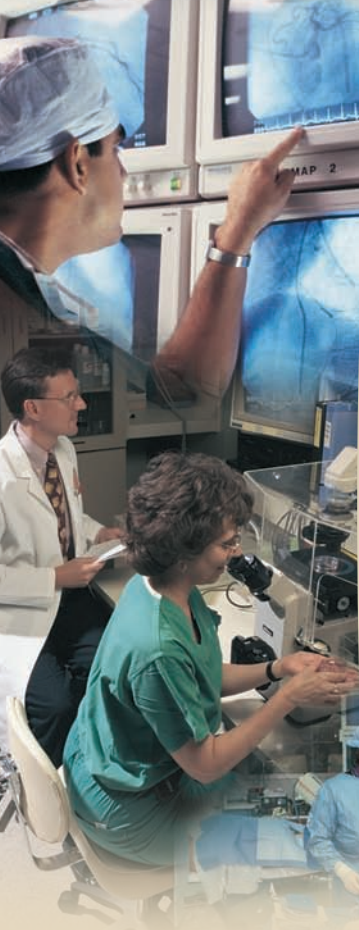
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Northeast Methodist Hospital has played a major role in the phenomenal economic growth experienced in northeast Bexar County. Located in the city of Live Oak at Interstate 35 and Judson Road, Northeast Methodist Hospital has undergone significant renovations to completely upgrade and expand the facility and services to better meet the needs of the surrounding communities.

Fast Facts

- Northeast Methodist Hospital* opened in 1985 as Village Oaks Hospital and became part of the Methodist Healthcare System in 1995, and the hospital's name was then changed to Northeast Methodist Hospital.
- Northeast Methodist Hospital has grown with the Randolph Metrocom area, keeping pace with the area's medical needs with renovations of the facility, expansion of services and a commitment to providing the finest health care for area families. Today the facility serves more than 8,000 inpatients a year, 50,000 emergency room visits, and performs 4,000 surgeries.
- Northeast Methodist Hospital offers a full array of services including emergency care services, open heart surgery, cardiac catheterizations, neurosurgery, inpatient rehabilitation, orthopedic surgery, cancer care, intensive care and inpatient and outpatient surgeries and procedures. The hospital is an accredited Chest Pain Center and recently received Joint Commission certification as a Stroke Center.
- The inpatient rehabilitation unit at Northeast Methodist Hospital provides care to patients recovering from injuries, surgery, or suffering from chronic diseases that have impaired their physical functioning. The unit has all private rooms and includes a dedicated team of nurses, licensed therapists and physicians working together to help each individual reach their full potential. For more information or a tour of the facility, please call 210-757-xxxx.
- The staff at Northeast Methodist Hospital performs 500 cardiac procedures a month, putting it among the fastest growing heart service programs in South Texas. Treatments for coronary artery disease also include open heart surgery and cardiac catheterization. Northeast Methodist Hospital is also unique in providing individualized education and guidance by a dedicated cardiac liaison nurse.



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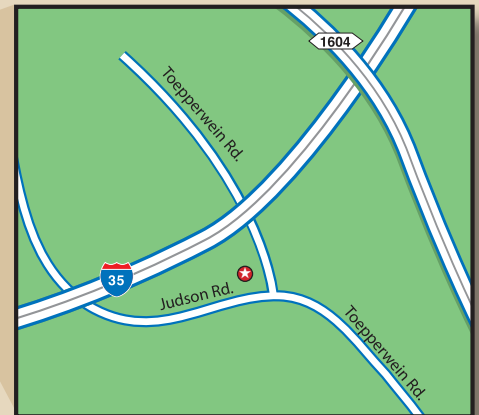
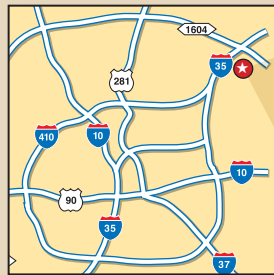
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- A new orthopedic service has recently been implemented, **The Joint Replacement Academy**, offering the latest treatment options for knee and hip pain. This new program brings together a team of experienced and expert surgeons with caring and specially trained nurses, therapists and technicians working together to provide seamless and coordinated care to get knee and hip replacement patients back to their favorite activities as soon as possible. To ensure better outcomes, the program offers a comprehensive approach to education including: community seminars, pre-operation classes for patients and family members, educational presentations to help explain specific procedures, a patient guidebook, daily newsletters while in the hospital, and educational displays answering the most frequently asked questions. For more information call the Methodist Healthcare HealthLine at 210-575-0355 or 1-800-333-7333 toll free.
- Northeast Methodist Hospital Cancer Services provide compassionate care that includes physicians working alongside nurses (many with special oncology nursing certifications), dietitians, caseworkers and chaplains. Team members work with individual patients and their families to help them cope during the process of diagnosis, surgery, chemotherapy and/or radiation treatment.
- With millions of Americans suffering from chronic gastroesophageal reflux disease (more commonly known as heartburn), Northeast Methodist Hospital offers the most advanced procedures to diagnose the disorder. The Bravo test is a non-invasive procedure consisting of a small capsule that is temporarily attached to the esophagus. The results from this quick and easy diagnostic test reveal what's causing the reflux and treatment options based on severity.
- HealthBus is a free transportation program available to residents living in some ZIP code areas near Northeast Methodist Hospital. Call 210-MHS-RIDE (647-7433) to find out if you qualify and learn how you can take advantage of this convenient service.
- Northeast Methodist Hospital takes pride in its community outreach efforts which include various fund-raising endeavors for non-profit organizations that serve the Randolph Metrocom area of Bexar County.

Northeast Methodist Hospital is an annual sponsor of the Greater Randolph Area Partners in Education Foundation Golf Tournament. Proceeds from the tournament help provide emergency funds to children in need of medical care including eye exams, glasses, prescription medication, clothing and shoes. The program helps children in the Judson Independent School District and the Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City Independent School District.

- The Northeast Methodist Hospital Volunteer Auxiliary, Heartbeat of the Hospital, contributes many hours taking care of the hospital's information desk, providing refreshments to family members whose loved ones are undergoing surgery and running the hospital's gift shop. Profits from the gift shop, along with other sales, help the Auxiliary provide \$20,000 in scholarships to students seeking career in health care. The volunteers also award grants to several non-profit programs in Bexar County.



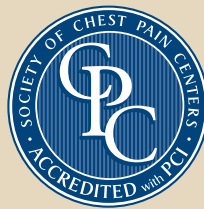
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