

2011
Community Highlights



Methodist Richardson Medical Center – Bush/Renner



Methodist Richardson Medical Center – Campbell Road

At Methodist Richardson Medical Center, our mission is to improve and save lives through compassionate, quality health care. We're delighted to share with you some of the many ways we fulfilled that mission in 2011.

Growing brighter

- **Methodist Richardson Medical Center became fully integrated into Methodist Health System on Oct. 1.**
- **Methodist Health System announced a \$135 million expansion and renovation plan that includes a new critical care unit and expanded emergency department for Methodist Dallas Medical Center.**
- **The Methodist Richardson Cancer Center welcomed new cancer-fighting technology this year, including shorter breast cancer treatments with high-dose-rate breast brachytherapy and highly precise radiation with stereotactic body radiation therapy.**
- **The da Vinci® Surgical System arrived, offering general, urologic, thoracic, and gynecologic robotic surgeries, with more precision and faster recoveries for patients.**



Karen Darcangelo is one of many patients who has benefited from the da Vinci® Surgical System, which arrived at Methodist Richardson last spring. The surgical robot increases precision for minimally invasive general, gynecologic, thoracic, and urologic surgical procedures.

Community events

We made a difference in the community by hosting or sponsoring a variety of events, including:

- **Health Fair at Cowboys Stadium**
- **Heart to Heart women's heart health event**
- **WildRide! WildRun! Against Cancer**
- **Community flu shots**
- **Lipid profile and glucose screenings**
- **Free skin cancer and sleep apnea screenings**
- **Discounted prostate cancer screenings**
- **Discounted stroke screenings**
- **Women in Leadership Richardson chamber event**
- **Take a Bite Out of Cancer dining events**

Rainy skies cleared for more than 1,800 cyclists and 650 runners and walkers who participated in the eighth annual WildRide! WildRun! Against Cancer. The event raised more than \$170,000 for the Methodist Richardson Cancer Center.



Walking the walk

Methodist Health System champions the health of the community and our employees and is taking steps to become the healthiest health system in America by 2016. The American Heart Association has named us a Gold Fit-Friendly Company for our efforts.

Our outstanding support of employees has also led to us being named among the Top 10 Best Places to Work by the *Dallas Business Journal* for the eighth consecutive year and named to the *Becker's Hospital Review* 100 Best Places to Work in Healthcare.



Proud members

Murphy Chamber of Commerce • Richardson Chamber of Commerce
Sachse Chamber of Commerce • Wylie Chamber of Commerce

Among the best and brightest

Here are some of our proudest achievements from last year:

- **D Magazine recognized 80 independently practicing physicians on the Methodist Health System medical staff among the Best Doctors in Dallas.**
- **Hospitals & Health Networks magazine ranked Methodist among the nation's Most Wired hospitals for its use of health care information technology.**
- **Ten Methodist nurses were honored among the Dallas-Fort Worth Great 100 Nurses, and five were honored with the Nurseweek Magazine Excellence Award.**

Heart care to count on

Methodist Richardson is proud of the advancements and achievements of its cardiology team in 2011:

- **Fastest heart attack treatment time.** The American Heart Association and W. W. Caruth Jr. Foundation recognized Methodist Richardson and the Richardson Fire Department for having the fastest total combined patient treatment time — 18 minutes — in the Metroplex for first quarter 2011.
- **Primary Stroke Center.** Based on a review by The Joint Commission, the American Stroke Association certified Methodist Richardson as a Primary Stroke Center.
- **Heart Failure Accreditation from the Society of Chest Pain Centers.**



When Ed Woyowodzic had a heart attack, the Richardson Fire Department and Methodist Richardson's cardiac catheterization lab acted fast, earning recognition from the American Heart Association and the W. W. Caruth Jr. Foundation for their quick response.

To learn more about cardiovascular services at Methodist Richardson, go to www.MethodistHealthSystem.org/Cardio.

Contributing to the economic health of our community

DID YOU KNOW? Methodist Health System employs 6,337 professionals throughout the DFW Metroplex and 939 at Methodist Richardson.

\$82 million* PROVIDED IN UNREIMBURSED CHARITY CARE
\$400 million* IMPACT FROM EMPLOYEE INCOME AND BENEFITS

*Amounts represent all of Methodist Health System.

Yellow & Black Tie Gala

This annual fundraiser, organized by the Methodist Richardson Medical Center Foundation, raised \$320,000 for Methodist Richardson Cancer Center. At the event, the inaugural Legacy Award was presented to Judy and Max Martin. The award honors those who've made a difference in the community through their ongoing commitment, leadership, and gifts.



Attending the gala are (from left) Max Martin, Methodist Richardson President Ken Hutchenrider, Judy Martin, Methodist Richardson Foundation Director Ann Bartnik, and Methodist Richardson Advisory Board Member Linda Armstrong Kelly.

Committed to a healthy community

- **Prostate Screening and Awareness Program.** This free service provided over 6,300 prostate cancer screenings this year — more than any other hospital-based program in the nation.
- **Platinum Plus.** Area seniors benefit from wellness and social events and activities.
- **Mobile mammography unit.** In partnership with Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Methodist made breast cancer screening more convenient for 3,250 local women in 2011.
- **Methodist Richardson Asian Breast Health Outreach Project.** This program provided 780 mammogram screenings, 85 diagnostic exams, and 7 biopsies, as well as breast health education to uninsured and underinsured Asian women.



Team Methodist Richardson Asian Breast Health Outreach Project joined the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure June 11 in Plano to fight against breast cancer.



Ken Hutchenrider, FACHE, Methodist Richardson President

Leading the way

We are grateful to the members of our Community Advisory Board, who serve countless hours to strengthen Methodist Richardson Medical Center's vital role in the community.



Serving on the Community Advisory Board are (back row, from left) Clayton Oliphint, DMin; Nhan Nguyen, MD; Joseph Snayd; Michael Spence; Frank Leftwich; William Keffler; Andrew Chaffin; (front row) Linda Armstrong Kelly; Methodist Richardson President Ken Hutchenrider, FACHE; Methodist Health System President Stephen Mansfield, PhD, FACHE; Ron Poff; and Mindy Manson. Not pictured: David Bonnet, MD, and Gerald Bright.

www.MethodistHealthSystem.org/Community

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