



... Advancing
Care Together

Geisinger is an integrated health services organization widely recognized for its innovative use of the electronic health record and the development of innovative care delivery models such as ProvenHealth Navigator®, ProvenCare® and ProvenExperience®. As one of the nation's largest health service organizations, Geisinger serves more than 3 million residents throughout 45 counties in central, south-central and northeast Pennsylvania, and in southern New Jersey at AtlantiCare, a Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award recipient.

In 2017, the Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine and Geisinger Jersey Shore Hospital became the newest members of the Geisinger family. The physician-led system is comprised of approximately 30,000 employees, including nearly 1,600 employed physicians, 13 hospital campuses, two research centers, and a 583,000-member health plan, all of which leverage an estimated \$12.7 billion positive impact on the Pennsylvania and New Jersey economies. Geisinger has repeatedly garnered national accolades for integration, quality and service. In addition to fulfilling its patient care mission, Geisinger has a long-standing commitment to medical education, research and community service.

St. Luke's University Health Network (SLUHN) was founded in 1872. It is a fully integrated, regional, non-profit network of 14,000 employees providing services at 10 hospitals and more than 300 outpatient sites. The Network's service area includes 10 counties: Lehigh, Northampton, Berks, Bucks, Carbon, Montgomery, Monroe and Schuylkill counties in Pennsylvania and Warren and Hunterdon counties in New Jersey. Dedicated to advancing medical education, St. Luke's is the preeminent teaching hospital in central-eastern Pennsylvania. In partnership with Temple University, St. Luke's created the region's first and only regional medical school campus. It also operates the nation's longest continuously operating School of Nursing, established in 1884, and 28 fully accredited graduate medical education programs with 226 residents and fellows.

St. Luke's is the only health care system in central-eastern Pennsylvania to earn Medicare's five-star rating (the highest) for quality, efficiency and patient satisfaction. St. Luke's has earned the 100 Top Major Teaching Hospital designation from IBM Watson Health (formerly Truven Health Analytics) – six times total and four years in a row including 2018.

Geisinger St. Luke's Hospital, Orwigsburg



A Message from Our President

Geisinger Health System and St. Luke's University Health Network have joined forces to build an acute care hospital in Schuylkill County. This type of collaboration is the first of its kind in Pennsylvania, and Geisinger St. Luke's Hospital will be the first new hospital built in Schuylkill County in more than 90 years.

The new facility will emphasize the strengths of both Geisinger and St. Luke's, ensuring health care will be provided at the highest quality and the lowest cost. Geisinger and St. Luke's have a long history of caring – caring for patients, employees, and the communities in which we live and work. Today, residents of Schuylkill and nearby Berks counties are traveling significant distances for their care. Because of this exciting new joint venture, quality care will be easily accessible for those living in Orwigsburg and surrounding communities.

Having grown up in Schuylkill County and now raising my family here, I am thrilled to help build a solid foundation on which we can continue to improve health care for our region. I hope you share my excitement for this historic endeavor and consider supporting our efforts to improve access to advanced health care for the greater Schuylkill and Berks communities.

Gabe Kamarousky, FACHE, President Geisinger St. Luke's Hospital



Geisinger St. Luke's Hospital: At a Glance

- 120,000 square-foot Acute Care Hospital
- 24 Medical/Surgical Beds (at opening) with capacity for 70
- 6 Intensive Care Beds (at opening) with capacity for 10
- 15 Emergency Department Rooms
- 2 Operating Rooms (at opening) with capacity for 4
- Gastrointestinal (GI) Procedure Room
- Imaging Services, including MRI, CT, Radiology, Ultrasound, Nuclear Medicine, Vascular Ultrasound, Echo, Stress Testing

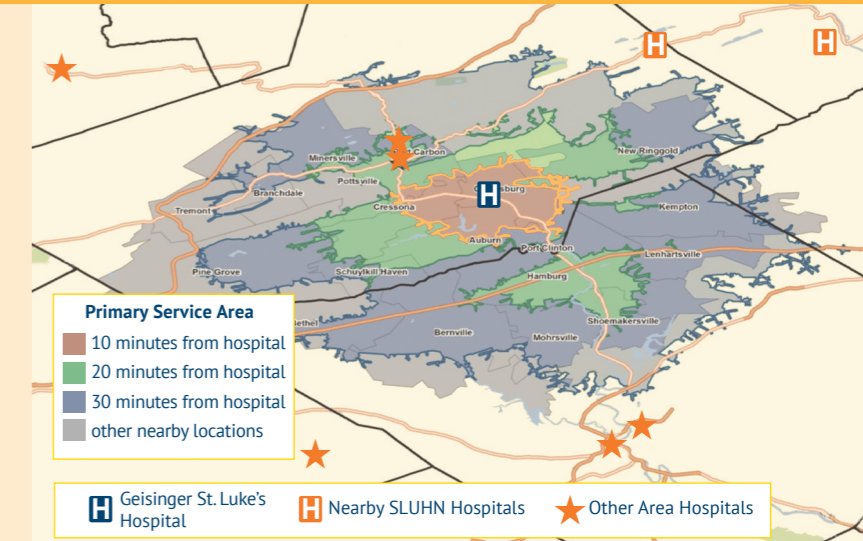
Modern Hospital Designed with You in Mind

The new hospital will include spacious private rooms, a large emergency department, four operating rooms, and a wide array of comprehensive, state-of-the-art radiology services. The highly experienced physicians and clinicians of Geisinger and St. Luke's will have access to the latest technological advances available to care for their patients. Ease of access for patients and their families was our priority when designing the interior of the new facility. The layout includes registration, diagnostic testing, cafeteria and elevators within steps of entering the main lobby.



Meeting the Health Care Needs of Our Community

The growing partnership between Geisinger and St. Luke's will expand the range of health care services in the region, and equally important, will offer greater convenience so patients will receive the care they need right where they live. Located on Paramount Boulevard off Route 61 in West Brunswick Township near Orwigsburg, the new hospital is within a 30-minute drive for many Berks and Schuylkill County residents. The hospital is expected to open in the fall of 2019.



Making a Positive Impact in Our Community

In addition to providing access to quality health care, Geisinger St. Luke's Hospital will serve as an economic engine for our community. This hospital, built with American steel, is bringing 200 construction jobs and, upon completion, hundreds of new permanent jobs to Schuylkill County. This \$70 million project is providing new opportunities for career growth in a variety of fields, as well as recirculating income into our local economy.

Your Support Makes a Difference

Geisinger's and St. Luke's commitment to caring means providing access to compassionate, high quality, low cost care to our patients close to home. We know many patients must travel out of Schuylkill and Berks counties for specialized services. Our new hospital will not only expand the range of health care services in this community but perhaps, more importantly, will provide greater convenience so that patients will receive the care they need close to where they live.

A gift in support of the Advancing *Care Together* campaign will help to build a brand new hospital that will provide quality care the residents of the region need and deserve.

You can support the campaign in a number of ways:

- Make a one-time cash gift
- Make a pledge that can be paid over 3-5 years
- Gift appreciated securities
- Future gifts, such as annuities, trusts, life insurance policies and bequests

Gifts may also be made in honor or in memory of a loved one. Commitments of \$5,000 or more are also eligible for a naming opportunity (see insert of naming opportunities). To speak to someone about any of the options noted above, please contact St. Luke's Development Office at 484-526-3067.