

Health system at home

the largest non-profit



St. Mary's Health Care Services

Rochester's newest health care services, St. Mary's, a member of the Daughters of Charity National Health System, now offers the Community the strength, resources and experience of a NATIONAL system encompassing 45 health care facilities, totalling 15,000 beds in 17 states and the District of Columbia.

Best Of Both Worlds

For Monroe County, this means the best of both worlds. St. Mary's will continue to be locally governed, so that the community's needs are constantly assessed. But as a member of the Daughters of Charity National Health System, we are able to provide quality health care at lower cost, as we utilize common resources available through the National System.

For example, the National System enables St. Mary's to:

- participate in national purchasing contracts that provide significant savings on equipment, drugs, medicines and supplies.
- enable the hospital to obtain sophisticated technology like the YAG laser, and bi-plane angiography.
- utilize experts in health care from the National system to offer innovative health care services locally.
- pool investment resources to permit facilities expansion and improvement.

For our patients and physicians, the collaboration offers the financial benefits of a National System, with the closeness of a Community hospital.

Progressive

Prior to the National Health System St. Mary's had demonstrated progressive, creative leadership.

Services such as Express Care®, Seton Ambulatory Center, The Family Birthplace, The Eye Center, and Sleep Disorders were introduced by St. Mary's, are unique to the area, and are enjoying excellent growth.

St. Mary's today is seeing more patients than ever before in its history. Our consumer-responsive services may be the reason.

Philosophy of Care

The National System also insures that the Philosophy of Care established 350 years ago will continue. This philosophy encompasses care for the whole person — the body, mind, and soul — recognizing the dignity and value of each life. The Daughters of Charity hospitals have been fortunate in obtaining caring, talented staff members at all levels of the organization to assure the philosophy is fulfilled. At St. Mary's, every staff member undergoes a 6 hour course in "Guest Relations", aimed at sensitizing them to the needs of patients, visitors, guests, and one another.

The Philosophy of Care is further strengthened by our National System, totally committed to continued growth, enhancement of health, sound management, responsible leadership and strong economic position.

As a Daughters of Charity hospital, St. Mary's will continue to care for all people of our community, especially those less fortunate — the poor, the sick, the suffering and the elderly, with compassion, concern and dignity.

And now, as part of the largest non-profit health care system in America, we can meet these needs even more effectively.

To learn more about the health services available at St. Mary's Health Care Services, call 464-3519 for a free brochure.

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of Lourdes Hospital, Binghamton
Hospital, Rochester
Hospital, Troy
Hospital, Buffalo

VIA
Maritan Hospital, Pottsville

Hospital, Nashville

Family Center, San Antonio
Hospital, Austin
Medical Center, El Paso
Medical Center, Dallas
Hospital, Waco
Medical Center, Austin
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Keeping people well is our mission