

= Miami Valley Hospital South =

Miami Valley Hospital South (MVHS) is a hospital in Centerville , Ohio . It is a branch of Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton , Ohio and is managed by Premier Health . Designed and constructed in 2007 as an outpatient facility with an emergency room , the facility grew faster than expected and became a full service hospital with as office building for physicians and a five @-@ story patient wing added between 2009 and 2013 . As of 2013 , the hospital is a 579 @,@ 000 @-@ square @-@ foot (53 @,@ 800 m2) complex on a 115 @-@ acre (47 ha) campus adjacent to Interstate 675 . It has 60 beds and features a number of specialty care options including oncology , cardiology , sports medicine , and maternity care to cater to the suburban community surrounding the hospital .

= History =

Miami Valley Hospital South sits on a 115 @-@ acre (47 ha) campus along Interstate 675 south of Dayton , Ohio . The land had been owned by Premier Health for 20 years before the hospital was built in 2007 , after several decades of planning for an outpatient hospital facility to serve southwestern Greene County , specifically Centerville and Bellbrook where significant suburban housing development was taking place . It was also constructed with partnerships with local high schools in mind to expand athletic training services for student athletes . The project was overseen by Premier Health employee Joann Ringer , who later became chief operating officer of the facility .

The original 268 @,@ 000 @-@ square @-@ foot (24 @,@ 900 m2) outpatient facility was opened in October 2007 at a construction cost of \$ 79 @,@ 500 @,@ 000 , and featured a general surgery emergency room with 10 operating rooms . It had a total of 200 employees , many of whom were trained at Miami Valley Hospital . The facility also featured a helipad for CareFlight service , as emergencies were transferred to the Level I Trauma Center at Miami Valley Hospital . Originally called Miami Valley South Health Center , traffic to the hospital quickly escalated beyond what was projected , in part because of consumer demand for care in a single facility and without the need to transfer to other hospitals .

In November 2008 , the first inpatient beds were added following demand for recovery services from the emergency room , including several observation beds and 10 short @-@ stay beds , at which point the facility was renamed Miami Valley Hospital South . These expansions were completed in June 2009 . In late 2010 , the hospital added a 215 @,@ 000 @-@ square @-@ foot (20 @,@ 000 m2) , five story patient wing to the facility , initially planned to cost \$ 64 @,@ 200 @,@ 000 . A \$ 20 @,@ 000 @,@ 000 comprehensive cancer care center was also added along with an office building for physicians . Ultimately this expansion was completed at a cost of \$ 51 @,@ 000 @,@ 000 , which brought the hospital size to 579 @,@ 000 square feet (53 @,@ 800 m2) . The new patient wing opened in March 2012 . This new wing included a 24 @-@ bed general surgery floor , a 24 @-@ bed orthopedic surgery floor , and a 12 @-@ bed maternity ward completed in August 2012 , for a total of 60 beds . At the end of this expansion , the number of staff grew to 478 full- and part @-@ time employees . The hospital saw admittance to its emergency room grow from 19 @,@ 500 in 2007 to 2008 to 32 @,@ 000 in 2012 . From August 2012 to February 2013 the number of babies born in the maternity ward was 550 .

The facility features architecture intended to evoke a sense of calm . It was constructed with a central courtyard and a number of windows overlooking it , as well as nature @-@ related artwork and architecture . There are also separate hallways for staff and visitors in order to make the interior appear less crowded . The hospital also features a substantial amount of parking and a shuttle service to the entrance . Miami Valley Hospital South was constructed with future expansion in mind . Two of the five floors in the patient wing are empty and can be filled adding 24 beds each . A third hallway can be added to the wing which will add 60 beds , and the maternity ward can also be expanded with a second floor to add 12 beds , which means the facility could be expanded to 180 beds .

= Services =

The hospital features a number of inpatient support services including a cafeteria food facility which also delivers food to patient rooms , housekeeping and environmental services . Among the hospital 's medical specialties are general surgery , obstetrics and orthopedics . The hospital also features a high @-@ risk breast cancer center aimed at preventative care for patients at risk of developing cancer , staffed by surgical oncologists and staff nurses . Among other specialty services are cardiology , sports medicine , and a hyperbaric oxygen therapy chamber . The hospital has equipment for cardiac monitoring , magnetic resonance imaging , and computed tomography

The facility also features a physician office building which houses staff practitioners as well as offices for physicians with independent practices within the community . The 78 @,@ 000 @-@ square @-@ foot (7 @,@ 200 m2) building , opened in January 2013 , also features a comprehensive cancer care center focused on outpatient cancer care treatment , as well as space for patient education and support groups . In addition to physician labs , the facility also houses a concrete enclosed vault which houses a linear accelerator , which is used for precision cancer treatments . When Miami Valley Hospital South opened , the specialists for ovarian cancer and uterine cancer were moved there from Miami Valley Hospital .