Carteret Health Care is committed to being the best choice in hospital care. We commit to hire and train outstanding employees, promote high quality customer service, and seek future opportunities to meet the ever-changing needs of our community.

Carteret Health Care Medical Center is a 135-bed hospital serving Eastern North Carolina. The Hospital offers a full range of acute care, diagnostic and outpatient services at a level that you would only expect at a larger facility. For additional information about Carteret Health Care, visit our website at www.carterethealth.org.

**Our Mission**…Quality healthcare provided with exceptional compassion and respect  
**Our Vision**…Be the best choice in hospital care  
**Our Values**…Trust, Respect, Accountability, Care, Knowledge, Safety

**Statistics** as of September 30, 2014

- **Opened:** 1967
- **Licensed beds:** 135
- **Admissions:** 6343
- **Births:** 791
- **Average daily census:** 63.4
- **Average length of stay:** 3.9 days
- **Inpatient surgeries:** 1,799
- **Outpatient surgeries:** 2,851
- **ER visits:** 40,666
- **Employees:** 1,030
- **Registered nurses:** 321
- **Volunteers:** 93

**Excellence & Educational Programs**

- **Joint & Spine Center with MAKOplasty**
- **Stroke with Robotic Telemedicine**
- **Medical and Radiation Oncology**
- **Weight Loss Surgery Center – Bariatric Center of Excellence**
- **Heart Health with Telehealth**
- **Diabetes Learning Center**

**Specialty Services**

- Cancer Center with chemotherapy and radiation treatment
- Women’s Center
- Cardiac Rehabilitation
- Home Health and Hospice
- Seashore Imaging – Open bore MRI
- Pharmacy Residency Program
- Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapists on staff
- Inpatient Dialysis
- Sleep Disorders Center
- Carteret Medical Group – gastroenterology, neurology, primary care and other specialties
- Wound Healing & Hyperbaric Center
- Mobile Lithotripsy
- Radiological Services-PET/CT, MRI, Nuclear medicine, 3D Digital Mammography, Imaging Center – All ACR accredited
- Surgical Services
- General and Orthopedic Hospitalists on staff

**Community Services**

- Auxiliary/Volunteers-talented and generous community members
- Carolina Donor Services-donor services
- Chaplain-integral member of our health care team
- CGH Learning Center for Diabetes, Stroke and Heart Education
- Telehealth for Heart patients and Behavioral health patients
Achievements and Awards

Cancer Care:
- Awarded a three-year accreditation with commendation from The Commission on Cancer (CoC) of the American College of Surgeons (ACoS).
- Medical Oncology is one of ten facilities in NC recognized by the Quality Oncology Practice Initiative.
- Partnership with UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Care strengthens CGH Cancer Services. The affiliation offers additional clinical trials, streamlines the process for patients who may seek second options and allows collaboration in patient care planning via telehealth.

Stroke Care:
- Awarded The Joint Commission's Gold Seal of Approval® and the AHA’s Heart-Check Mark for Advanced Certification as a Primary Stroke Center.

Heart Care:
- Cutting edge Telehealth program reduces readmissions for heart failure and COPD patients.
- Nationally recognized for superior readmission rates.
- Gold Plus Award for Heart Failure by American Heart Association as recognized in the US News & World Report for Heart Failure treatment.

Respiratory Care:
- Earned Quality Respiratory Care Recognition (QRCR) under a national program aimed at helping patients and families make informed decisions about the quality of the respiratory care services available in hospitals. This is the 9th year that Carteret General has been one of only 700 hospitals or approximately 15% of hospitals in the U.S. have received this award.

Sleep Center:
- Awarded the highly-sought accreditation from the American Academy of Sleep Medicine (AASM)

Diabetes:
- Diabetes recognized by American Diabetes Association

Bariatric Surgery:
- Center of Excellence for Bariatric Surgery

Breastfeeding:
- Breastfeeding-Friendly Business and Workplace Award from NC Breastfeeding Coalition

Pharmacy Residency Program:
- Leading the way for Pharmacy Residency programs in NC by being one of only 28 institutions accredited by the Commission on Credentialing of the American Society of Health System Pharmacists.

RN Transition to Practice:
- Recognized for best practice for new RN Transition to Practice and Patient Plan of Care model by The Joint Commission, hospital accreditation agency.

Compassion Runs Deep