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Christiana Care Health System Cuts Ribbon on Concord Health Center

(Chadds Ford, Pa. – December 20, 2013) In a first look at [Christiana Care Health System](#)'s new Concord Health Center last week, senior leaders, board members, trustees and dignitaries toured the two-story outpatient facility, opening here January 6, 2014.

The spacious building on Concord Pike at Route 202, one mile north of the Delaware state line, offers “a way for us to get closer to those we serve and to serve more of our neighbors,” said Gary Ferguson, chief operating officer of Christiana Care.

“We are not new to the Keystone State,” he said, noting that nearly 10 percent of Christiana Care’s patients live in the area, and Wilmington Hospital, which is finishing a \$210 million renovation, is just a few miles south.

“At Christiana Care, we serve our neighbors, and we consider this part of our neighborhood,” Ferguson said. “Our philosophy is to be expert, caring partners, to help those who are sick regain their health and to help those who are well to stay well.”

Doctors, nurses and staff who will serve patients at Concord Health Center cut a ceremonial ribbon and showed guests how the new facility brings together outpatient services and programs coordinated in one convenient location.

For the large population living near the Delaware-Pennsylvania border, Concord Health Center offers “one-stop shopping,” said Colleen P. Morrone, a member of the Delaware County (Pa.) Council. It’s easy to get to, and “you come into one facility and get what you need,” she said.

Concord Health Center brings together under one roof Christiana Care primary care physicians who are board certified in internal medicine and pediatric care; OB-GYN physicians; specialists in cardiology, radiation oncology, GYN oncology, dermatology and endocrinology; the region’s most trusted outpatient cancer care through Christiana Care’s Helen F. Graham Cancer Center & Research Institute; comprehensive rehabilitation services and advanced cardiovascular testing; and diagnostic imaging and walk-in laboratory testing.

For more about Christiana Care’s Concord Health Center, see www.christianacare.org/concord.

About Christiana Care Health System

Christiana Care Health System is one of the country's largest health care providers, ranking as the 21st leading hospital in the nation and 11th on the East Coast in terms of admissions. A not-for-profit teaching hospital affiliated with Thomas Jefferson Medical College, Christiana Care is recognized as a regional center for excellence in cardiology, cancer and women's health services, as well as for its Level-I trauma care and Level-3 neonatal intensive care (both highest capability). Christiana Care includes two hospitals with 1,100 patient beds, a home health care service, preventive medicine, rehabilitation services, a network of primary care physicians and an extensive range of outpatient services.

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