

# CENTER *express*

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## Medical building reflects campuswide collaboration

The new Medical Office Building, slated to break ground July 22, demonstrates a significant cooperation between the three entities on campus: The University of Kansas Hospital, the University of Kansas Medical Center and The University of Kansas Physicians.

The hospital will build the 183,000-square-foot building, which will house the physician clinics. KUMC will pay the physicians' rent and

build a 600-car garage for patients (page 2).

"The building would not have been possible without the collaboration on campus brought about by the 2008 affiliation agreement among the hospital, university and the physicians," said **Bob Page**, hospital president and CEO. "Together, we have continued our commitment to high quality care and have made ease of access by patients a top priority.

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The Medical Office Building will be at the corner of Olathe Boulevard and Cambridge Street. It's slated for completion in the first quarter of 2011.

### The medical building will house nine specialties:

Family Medicine • Internal Medicine • Neurosurgery  
Obstetrics and Gynecology • Orthopedics  
Otolaryngology • Pediatrics • Psychiatry • Urology

## Purchase moves hospital into freestanding imaging

The University of Kansas Hospital has purchased a freestanding diagnostic imaging center, a first for the hospital's radiology operations.

The center, on 47th Street between Rainbow Boulevard and State Line Road, becomes the hospital's fourth imaging site. The hospital took ownership June 12 from CDI, which owns about 50 imaging centers in nine states.

The facility was renamed The University of Kansas



Hospital Center for Diagnostic Imaging-West Plaza.

Physicians have the same access at CDI-West Plaza to pull up images through the Picture Archiving Computer System (PACS), just as they do at the hospital's other imaging sites. CDI-West Plaza also offers standard MRI, CT and C-Arm imaging for some fluoroscopy procedures, similar to

imaging technology at KU MedWest and the Westwood and main campuses.

However, the site is unique in several ways:

- It's a single-entity operation, allowing patients convenient access and front-door parking.
- Because of its freestanding nature and standard imaging services, CDI-West Plaza will attract a broad range of patients.
- External referring physicians can use the CDI

Web portal to access online patient reports and images within 24 hours.

"This is a new and exciting venture for us," said **Patricia Sanders-Hall**, Ancillary Services vice president. "It gives us an opportunity to compete efficiently in today's market for patients who want quick get-in/get-out service."

CDI-West Plaza "is a great fit for us and our commitment to quality patient care."

## KUMC to build patient parking garage

The University of Kansas Medical Center will begin construction of a 600-car parking garage late this year. Called Olathe 2, it will be:

- Completed at the same time as the Medical Office Building
- Located east of the Olathe 1 Garage
- Built the same height and connect on the top level to the Olathe 1 Garage
- Connect to the medical building on the second level

In July, the lot for Pediatrics patient families adjacent to Miller will close. Lot 45 will close late this year. KUMC will accommodate those who park in these areas. During construction, the Olathe 1 Garage will be for staff parking only. Once complete, Olathe 1 will be for staff, Olathe 2 for patients.

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This new building will set a standard in the region for environmental quality.”

The building, expected to cost about \$73 million, will be six stories high on Cambridge. On Olathe it will progress west from four to five stories. It will connect to the hospital on the basement and second levels.

The state-of-the-art facility will provide a more significant competitive advantage for the 18 University of Kansas Physicians clinics. Patients and their families will see a range of specialties under

one roof, and the building design will enhance the efficiency of the clinics.

In addition, the clinics will use O<sub>2</sub>, ensuring health information follows patients when they receive care on our campus or at outlying clinics.

The Medical Office Building “is one more way to make us a destination hospital, and the outpatient component of our care will be the front door to the entire clinical enterprise,” said **Jon Jackson**, hospital senior vice president and chief administrative officer.

## Hey, good catch!

The University of Kansas Hospital’s Fall Task Force has introduced a Good Catch award. It recognizes staffers who make an extraordinary effort to prevent patients from falling and getting injured.

The award is part of the hospital’s initiative launched last fall to build a culture that fosters fall prevention. Among key changes, patients at high risk for falling wear yellow wristbands and yellow socks.

Good Catch nominations are open to any employee, not just nurses. “We believe it is everyone’s responsibility to take personal action to prevent patient falls,” said **Rozina Rajab-Ali, RN**, task force co-leader.

“Everyone must be vigilant of fall hazards and patient risks for falling,” she added. “Let’s all make our best

efforts to make more catches every day.”

Five employees already have been honored: **Phyllis Hansuld**, Environmental Services; **Clarissa Perrot**, Unit 15a/15b; **Sekwang Ryan Han**, Kansas City Kansas Community College student; and **Amy Blaise** and **Jami Richert**, Unit 65.

Want to nominate someone for a Good Catch award? The criteria:

- Identify patient near fall.
- Take extraordinary action and successfully prevent the fall (above and beyond interventions listed in the fall prevention program).
- Take corrective action to prevent any future falls.

Request a nomination form from nurse managers and email it to [rrojab-ali@kumc.edu](mailto:rrojab-ali@kumc.edu), or send it to her at mailstop 2018, mail box 49.



## New chancellor visits KUMC

Faculty and employees of the University of Kansas Medical Center had their first up-close meeting with incoming KU Chancellor **Bernadette Gray-Little, PhD** (right, with **Barbara Atkinson, MD**, KUMC executive vice chancellor). “You are the lifeblood of the institution,” Gray-Little told the audience at the start of a June 12 medical retreat in the School of Nursing. She also fielded questions: What does she like best about Kansas? “The response from the people I’ve met,” she answered. “It’s difficult to leave your home state (North Carolina), but you’re making it easier.” Any advice from former KU basketball coach Roy Williams? “You *can* love two universities.”

# eXtracurricular

## Thursday, June 18

DERMATOLOGY JOURNAL Club: "Andrews Book Review," 2-3 p.m., 1107 hospital.

"STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART" Cardiac Recovery Support: Mondays and Thursdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m., White Heart Learning and Resource Center Conference Room, Center for Advanced Heart Care. Stop by to talk with a heart health expert. Information: 8-1227.

## Friday, June 19

NEUROLOGY/NEUROSURGERY Grand Rounds: 3rd Annual Ziegler Professorship Lecture, "Gene Therapy in Muscular Dystrophy Showing Promise for Vascular Delivery," Jerry Mendell, MD, 6:45-9 a.m., Lied Auditorium.

PEDIATRIC GRAND Rounds: "Pediatric Trauma," Carissa Garey, MD, 8-9 a.m., Wahl Hall West Auditorium.

MOVIE NIGHT at the Landon Center on Aging: *Kung Fu Panda*, 6-8 p.m., 200 Landon Center. Information: Hallie Kates-Calloway, 8-0606.

## Monday, June 22

O<sub>2</sub> DOCUMENTATION Physician Brown Bag Session: Advanced session of a two-part series, noon-1 p.m., O<sub>2</sub> Resource Center, G036 Sudler. Bring your own lunch. Reservations: Rachel Jones, 8-1022 or [rjones@kumc.edu](mailto:rjones@kumc.edu).

## Wednesday, June 24

BROWN BAG Lunch Series for Older Adults: "Navigating Medicare and Home Health Services," Robin Dreytzer, RN, noon-1 p.m., 200 Landon Center on Aging. Reservations: Matt Chandler, 8-3094 or [mchandler@kumc.edu](mailto:mchandler@kumc.edu).

MOVIE MATINEE at the Landon Center on Aging: *Cocoon*, 2-4 p.m., 200 Landon Center. Reservations: Myra Hyatt, 8-2365.

## Thursday, June 25

LUNG CANCER Support Group: Second and fourth Thursdays, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Atrium Conference Room, Westwood Campus. Information: 8-1227.

## Friday, June 26

NEUROLOGY/NEUROSURGERY Grand Rounds: "Emerging Therapies for Acute Ischemic Stroke: New Hypothesis," Colleen Lechtenberg, MD, 6:45-9 a.m., Lied Auditorium.

PEDIATRIC GRAND Rounds: "Physician Health," William Barkman Jr., MD, 8-9 a.m., Wahl Hall West Auditorium.

MOVIE NIGHT at the Landon Center on Aging: *Madagascar 2*, 6-8 p.m., 200 Landon Center. Information: Hallie Kates-Calloway, 8-0606.

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## Shuttle stop at ED moving to heart center

The hospital shuttle stop is on the move. Starting Monday, June 22, the Westwood-bound shuttle will stop in front of the Center for Advanced Heart Care, on Cambridge Street, rather than at the hospital ED.

The change, related to hospital construction work, will last about six weeks. Shuttle times remain the same. Signs will be in the shuttles and ED shuttle stop.

## Heart Walk donation deadlines near

The campuswide Heart Walk team has raised \$68,000 so far but hopes to raise \$7,000 more to meet last year's fundraising total. The team is currently in second place in overall company standings in the metro.

Donations can still be made.

- Through Friday, June 19 – Make a contribution via payroll deduction.
- Through Monday, June 29 – Contact your department's team captain to make a contribution. For a list of team captains, visit the Heart Walk Web site, [kcheartwalk.org](http://kcheartwalk.org).

The campuswide team had a record 1,231 registered walkers, and organizers want to mirror that with record contributions.

## H1N1 on the rise globally, mild here

The World Health Organization has raised the H1N1 pandemic alert to Phase 6. This reflects the ongoing global spread of the virus, not the severity of the illness. There is no cause for alarm, hospital leaders say.

The incident rate of H1N1 flu remains stable in the greater Kansas City metro.

Pathology and Laboratory Medicine confirmed eight Influenza A cases (assumed to be H1N1) at The University of Kansas Hospital in the past month.

**Jan Wesselmann, RN**, Employee Health, reminds everyone to be vigilant in preventing the spread of flu. Protect yourself by:

- Covering your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing

- Washing your hands often with soap and water or alcohol hand rub
- Avoiding touching your eyes, nose or mouth
- Practicing other good health habits (i.e., get enough sleep, eat well, drink lots of fluids)
- Getting a flu vaccine this fall

Wear gloves, gowns, eye protection and an N-95 respirator or PAPR (powered air-

purifying respirator) when caring for or collecting specimens from patients suspected of having H1N1 flu.

Perform hand hygiene after removing gowns and gloves and before and after removing eye and respiratory protection.

If you have questions or concerns about H1N1 flu, call Infection Prevention and Control, 8-2779, or Employee Health, 8-2080.

# eXchange

## Vehicles

2007 CHEVY AVEO, clean, well-maintained, 4-door, 5-speed, power windows/locks, radio/CD/MP3, great mpg, \$8,000. 816-770-3338.

2007 JONWAY SCOOTER, 49cc, only 4 miles, yellow/black, sleek, 75 mpg, paperwork included, \$800. 816-506-5349.

2005 MITSUBISHI ECLIPSE, Remix Edition, 21.5K, excellent condition, rear spoiler, alloy wheels, leather interior, sunroof, 4-cylinder, 2.4L, \$9,000 OBO. 816-797-3731.

2003 MAZDA 6, 84K, sports package, ground effects, 6-cylinder, good condition, fair tires, perfect interior, \$6,500 OBO. 913-710-2708.

2000 LINCOLN LS, 84K, pearl white, fully loaded, great condition, photos, \$5,500 firm. 913-961-7652.

1998 FORD ECONOLINE work van, 200K, rack on top, inside shelves, runs, needs some work, \$1,000. 913-636-2228.

1995 BMW 525i TOURING WAGON, 130K, white, leather interior, dual sunroofs, regular maintenance, \$5,000. 816-770-3338.

## For Sale

SHARP DIGITAL ViewCam VL-W255U MiniDV camcorder, strong battery, remote, fire wire cable, charger, much more, \$125. 913-709-8155.

OUTSIDE KENNEL, 6'x 6' x 4' chain-link with door, excellent condition, \$100 OBO, you pick up. 816-914-0882.

Z-COIL SHOES, size 8, black, worn for short time, can see/try on, paid \$200, asking \$75. 785-580-8168.

RECORDS, more than 70, good condition, some wear to covers, includes Beatles, Santana, Led Zeppelin, swing-era music and more, player included if you buy all, \$50, you pick up. 913-660-4258.

ANTIQUE VICTORIAN loveseat, carved wood on upper back, blue upholstery, photos, price reduced to \$90. 913-381-6661.

BABY QUILTS/blankets, new, various sizes. 913-400-3719.

COUCH AND LOVESEAT, khaki fabric with thin striping, 4 removable pillows for couch, 2 for loveseat, also throw pillows, pillows are reversible (1 side khaki, 1 side Southwestern style). 913-558-9855.

T-MOBILE BLACKBERRY Curve 8320 phone, titanium model, used little, no dents/scratches, includes installation CD, wall charger, USB charger, \$150. 816-726-4540.

LOUIS VUITTON AAA fold-over wallet, credit card slots, inside coin purse, sleek, elegant, \$40. 816-419-8263.

RALPH LAUREN Polo dress, floral halter style, 98% cotton/2% Lycra, soft, versatile, size 8-10, new with tags, photos. 816-419-8263.

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3X MEN'S SCRUBS, all colors, will sell cheap. 913-526-2467.

2 CURIO CABINETS: 1 corner oak cabinet with light, 6-7' tall, \$300; 1 with rounded glass door, 5' tall, \$200. 913-449-8021.

GOLF CART, Sun Mountain 3-wheel pushcart, excellent condition, \$100. 816-523-6631.

MISCELLANEOUS: couch and loveseat, rust color, modern throw pillows, \$400 for both; full-size mattress, box springs, metal frame, photos, \$100. 816-446-4117.

## Garage Sales

MULTI-FAMILY SALE: 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Thursday, June 18, and 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Friday, June 19, 8337 Twilight Lane in Lenexa (Follow signs at 83rd and Lackman), baby/toddler clothing and gear. 913-831-6585.

HUGE NEIGHBORHOOD-wide sale: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, June 20, Volker neighborhood, either side of 39th Street on Missouri side of campus.

MOVING SALE: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, June 21, close to KUMC (4321 Eaton St.).

## Housing

### • FOR SALE

DARLING PRAIRIE Village home, 3 BR, 2 BA, 3-car garage, walk to shops/parks, updated bathroom, hardwoods, great master suite, tiled sunroom. 913-568-1389.

3 BR RANCH in Prairie Village, 7530 Sagamore Rd., updated kitchen, new roof/AC, great landscaping, treed lot, \$145,000. 913-961-0123.

### • FOR RENT

CONDO, 3 BR, 2 BA, part of 4-plex, near KUMC, fenced backyard, washer/dryer, fireplace, new carpet/paint/kitchen appliances, \$975/month, plus utilities. 573-433-9597.

TOWNHOME, 3 BR, 2 BA, 1935 Lawrence Ct., near KUMC, completely renovated, new kitchen cabinets/appliances, windows, etc., \$825/month, plus utilities, student discount. 913-432-2602.

## Wanted

WROUGHT IRON patio furniture, chaise lounge and love seat, will pick up. 816-305-1812.

STUDENT/NON-PROFESSIONAL photographer for Oct. 2009 wedding and reception, small budget. 816-560-7501.

PATIO SET to enjoy during summer, cheap, mediocre condition OK. 636-634-1148.

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## eXceptional



**Heidi Chumley, MD**, senior associate dean for the University of Kansas Medical Center's

medical education, has co-authored a book that's earned solid reviews in *The Journal of the American Medical Association*.

*The Color Atlas of Family Medicine* "was a genuine treat to review," wrote JAMA. A comprehensive visual guide to daily patient care, the book "will be

valuable to medical students, residents, and all practicing physicians.... I think this book is a classic example of why the Internet will try but never take the place of a well-written hardbound textbook."

The review is at [jama.ama-assn.org/cgi/content/full/301/14/1485](http://jama.ama-assn.org/cgi/content/full/301/14/1485).