

*~ We are dedicated to meeting the community's need for quality based medical and surgical care in a cost effective manner and, through cooperation with other organizations, provide health education and preventative care. ~*

# Sutter Lakeside Hospital



## **Facts at a Glance (2006)**

Active Physicians on Staff: 43  
Discharges: 2,647  
Births: 325  
Outpatient Visits: 63,860  
Emergency Department Visits: 18,467  
Employees: 442  
Facility Payroll: \$19 million  
Net Patient Revenue: \$64.1 million  
Community Benefit  
Contributions: \$4.7 million

Sutter Lakeside Hospital was founded in 1945 as a 30-bed private facility called Lakeside Community Hospital. The hospital was donated to the community in 1966 and a not-for-profit corporation was formed. In 1992 the hospital affiliated with Sutter Health and changed its name to Sutter Lakeside Hospital. Affiliating with Sutter Health has provided the hospital with a broad range of medical and financial support that continues to help improve patient care.

Serving residents of Lake County, Sutter Lakeside Hospital has 69 licensed beds and is accredited by the Joint Commission on Healthcare Accreditation. In 2006 the facility was designated a Level IV Trauma Center providing much need trauma care to residents of this rural community.

## **Patient Services ~**

Sutter Lakeside Hospital offers a broad range of inpatient and outpatient services including: 24-hour emergency trauma care, surgery, an intensive care unit, cardiac rehabilitation, pain clinic, diagnostic imaging, cardio-pulmonary, obstetrics, respiratory and physical therapy. In addition, Sutter Lakeside Home Medical Services provides vital home health care services, as well as durable medical equipment sales and rentals.

## **Highlights of New Programs/Services/Facilities ~**

eICU® • Acute Inpatient Dialysis Unit • Children's Forensic Room • Orthopedic Center for Excellence • eMAP medication administration program • Wellness University • Sensitron (electronic vital sign monitoring system) • NightHawk Radiology Service • Computer Aided Detection (CAD) Service for mammography • Orthopedic Clinic • Patient Intake Center (PIC) • Stress Reduction & Relaxation Clinic • Menopause Support Services • Nephrology Clinic • GYN Clinic • New Surgery and ER Wing • Sentinel Node Mapping and Biopsies for Breast Cancer Patients • Positron Emission Tomography Imaging Service • Community Wellness Center • Healing Gardens and walking trails • Silver Spoon Program • Smoke-Free campus • Sutter Lakeside Wellness Foundation • Summer Camp for children promoting wellness, exercise and healthy lifestyle choices • Annual Women's Wellness Conference

## **Specialized Care ~**

Level IV Trauma Center • Family Birth Center • Home Medical Services • Cardiac Rehabilitation Services • Outpatient Medical Services • Family Medicine Clinic • Physical Therapy Services • Upper Lake Community Health Center

### **Sampling of Community Partnerships/Programs ~**

In 2006, Sutter Lakeside Hospital provided \$4.7 million in support of charity care and various community programs such as:

- Sutter Lakeside Community Health Center—a health center aimed at providing health care for the residents of Upper Lake regardless of their ability to pay. Land for the health center was provided by the Upper Lake Unified School District thereby helping to make health care easily available to students and their families.
- A unique mascot program that educates community members about important health issues such as skin cancer, heart health and cold/flu prevention.
- Free Transportation—van services provided to medical appointments for patients without transportation or those with lack of funds for community transportation

### **Improving Facilities and Access ~**

The Sutter Health network of physicians and not-for-profit hospitals will invest billions of dollars over ten years to rebuild, replace and expand much of Northern California's health care infrastructure. Locally, plans (or completed projects) include:

- Expand imaging services and Rural Health Clinic
- Construct additional physician offices

### **Guiding Us in our Mission ~**

Sutter Lakeside Hospital is locally governed by a volunteer board of directors that lends its expertise, knowledge and commitment to guide the hospital toward its mission.

### **Sutter Lakeside Hospital Board of Directors ~**

Mark Buehnerkemper, OD • Michael Cohill • Bruce Deas, MD • Ilene Dumont • Bill Kearney • Tom Lincoln • Michael Lunas • Kelly Mather • Alan Sampson, MD • Jennifer Strong • John. H. Tomkins • Brent Tompkins, MD

### **Advancing Patient Safety ~**

Sutter Lakeside Hospital and our Sutter Health network are raising the bar on patient safety. We are the first network on the West Coast to use early warning software as well as advanced video and electronic monitoring to allow physician specialists to keep an even closer eye on critically ill patients 24 hours a day, seven days a week. We continue to be a pioneer in using bar-coding and expert databases to track medication orders to help prevent errors. To further improve clinical outcomes, enhance patient safety and reduce the cost of high-quality care, Sutter Health also is investing \$450 million to deploy an electronic health record (EHR) system as well as \$1.2 billion in a broad range of patient safety initiatives over the next 10 years.

### **About Sutter Health ~**

Sutter Lakeside Hospital is part of the Sutter Health family of not-for-profit hospitals, physician organizations and other medical services that share resources and expertise to advance health care quality. Serving more than 100 communities in Northern California, Sutter Health is a regional leader in cardiac care, cancer treatment, orthopedics, obstetrics, and newborn intensive care, and is a pioneer in advanced patient safety technology. For more information, visit [www.sutterhealth.org](http://www.sutterhealth.org).



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