



Coliseum Heart Institute

Coliseum Heart Institute is a full-service cardiac institution that offers services once only available at larger institutions and can perform any heart procedure needed. We are honored that Coliseum Heart Institute was named a Mission: Lifeline hospital. This certification requires institutions to adhere to rigorous standards of excellence in timely treatment of ST elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) heart attacks. As the only cardiac institution in the area with that honor, Coliseum works diligently to ensure every STEMI case receives immediate attention.

Coliseum also received full Cycle III accreditation with percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) from the Accreditation Review Committee. When time is of the essence, our accredited Chest Pain Center seal can provide reassurance that Coliseum is a hospital you can trust to provide the best possible outcomes in heart care.

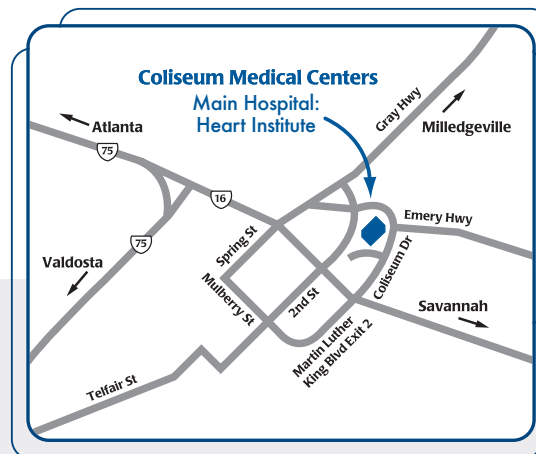
You'll never feel alone or uninformed when our cardiac care professionals are there to accompany and support you through the process, from beginning to end, and thereafter.



Signs Of A Heart Attack

Call 911 If you experience any of the following symptoms.

- ✦ Intense, prolonged chest pain
- ✦ Discomfort in other areas of the upper body
- ✦ Dizziness, shortness of breath, light-headedness
- ✦ Nausea, vomiting, cold sweats
- ✦ Prolonged "indigestion" not helped by antacids

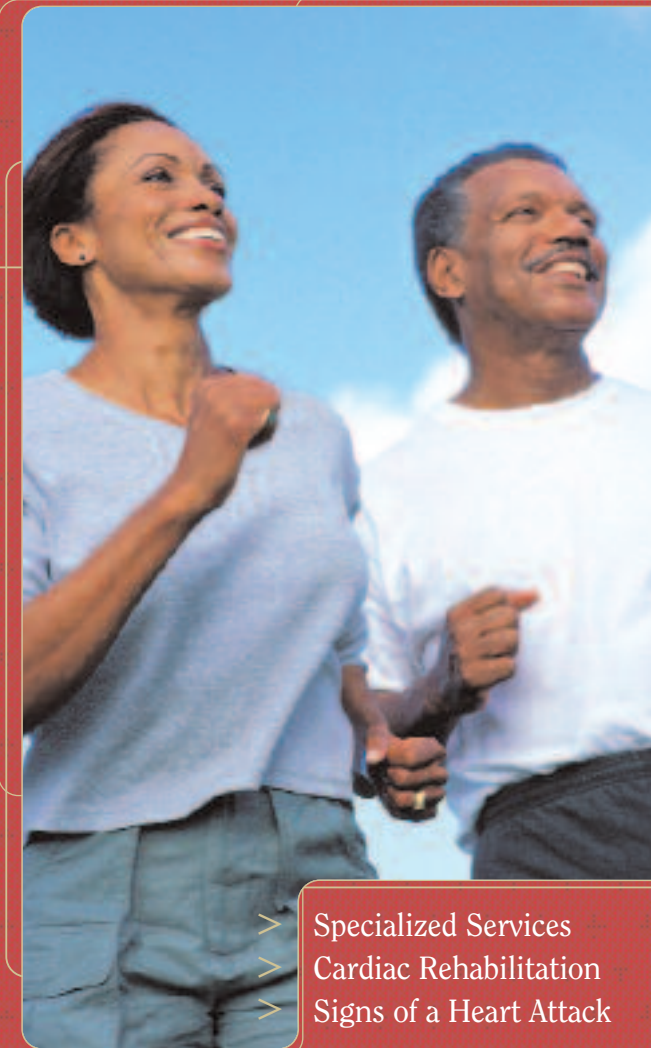


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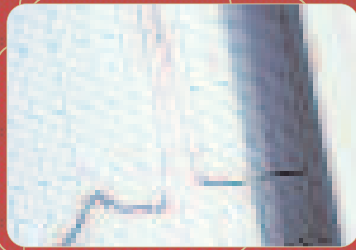
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Specialized Services
Cardiac Rehabilitation
Signs of a Heart Attack





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Healing Care

A strong patient focus involving committed attention to each patient is the hallmark of the kind of care you get at Coliseum Heart Institute. From the moment you make contact through Patient Relations to the end of your recovery period, you'll appreciate the comfort and convenience provided by Coliseum. We assign a patient relations coordinator to inform, answer questions, guide, support and care for you, every step of the way. This is an important aspect of the entire process, providing patients with the information and hands-on caring they need

For a physician referral or to learn more, please call Consult-A-Nurse at (478) 746-4646.

and want at such an important time in their lives. This approach not only helps to allay uncertainty and fear but aids in the success of the surgery and recovery period. Coliseum Heart Institute does this better than anyone.

Non-Invasive Cardiology

When you are in need of cardiac care, you want the best of the best.

The more sophisticated and accurate the procedure is to determine the type and extent of cardiac disease you may have, the easier it is for your physician to make a correct and pin-pointed diagnosis. To that end, we offer a full complement of non-invasive procedures at Coliseum Heart Institute.

- ✦ Ambulatory Blood Pressure Monitoring
- ✦ Echocardiogram (ECHO)
- ✦ Electrocardiogram (EKG)
- ✦ Event Monitoring
- ✦ Pediatric and Fetal ECHO
- ✦ Stress Testing
- ✦ Transesophageal Echocardiogram (TEE)

Specialized Cardiovascular Services

In order to provide you with the best care possible, Coliseum Heart Institute has at its disposal some of cardiac medicine's most advanced technologies.

- ✦ Electrophysiology (EP) Lab
- ✦ 64 CT Slice Heart Scan
- ✦ Aneurysm Repair Surgery
- ✦ Aortic Surgery
- ✦ Brachytherapy
- ✦ Bypasses
- ✦ Cardiac Stress Lab
- ✦ Coronary Pressure Measurement
- ✦ Diagnostic and Interventional Cardiac Catheterization (Angioplasty)
- ✦ Vascular Lab
- ✦ Holter Monitoring
- ✦ Stent Procedures
- ✦ Transthoracic, Transesophageal and Carotid Ultrasounds
- ✦ Valve Replacement and Valve Repair Surgery

Cardiac Rehabilitation And Support

Your rehabilitation is as important as anything that preceded it. And you will find all the support and guidance you need through our "Healthy Hearts" Cardiac Rehab program. Designed to continually improve the quality of your life, this program is comprised of two phases that cover all areas, beginning in the hospital and continuing after you return home. An initial evaluation is done by a medical professional to develop a complete "Healthy Hearts" program just for you.

In addition to exercise, this will include classes on nutrition, stress management, cardiac risk factors, smoking cessation and cardiac medications.

Total Care for the Heart

The Coliseum Heart Institute has an unprecedented partnership with a local physician alliance. It provides something much needed in middle Georgia to help us better serve the community. Comprised of some of the most respected physicians in Macon, this alliance works side-by-side with the dedicated group of individuals at the Coliseum Heart Institute to ensure that patients receive the most comprehensive cardiac care possible. It represents a greater choice for patients in need of cardiovascular services.

