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Saint Luke's cardiology services now available in Leavenworth

Cardiology group affiliated with renowned Saint Luke's Mid America Heart Institute

LEAVENWORTH, Kan. – Individuals in the Leavenworth area in need of heart care have closer access than ever before to the nationally renowned services at Saint Luke's Mid America Heart Institute.

Cardiologists from Cardiovascular Consultants, the practice that provides exclusive medical oversight for Saint Luke's Mid America Heart Institute, now offer outpatient office hours every Wednesday and Friday morning on the Cushing Memorial Hospital campus at Saint Luke's Heart Care at Cushing, 1001 6th Avenue, Suite 340. Plans call for clinic hours to be expanded in the coming months.

The doctors are also available for inpatient consultations and include Michelle Dew, M.D., Joseph Goeke, M.D., Michael Hajdu, M.D., Riaz Rabbani, M.D., and Michael Zabel, M.D.

Diagnostic services and treatment available include preventive cardiology, nuclear medicine, echocardiography, Holter monitor application, and a women's heart clinic.

Cardiovascular Consultants is a nationally recognized practice that specializes exclusively in the prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and management of cardiac and vascular diseases and conditions.

Saint Luke's Mid America Heart Institute is made up of the largest team of cardiologists and surgeons in the region, with services available at four metro and numerous regional facilities. The institute offers the region's only heart transplant program, with volumes in the top 10 percent of hospitals nationally. It is research oriented with more than 100 active cardiovascular clinical trials underway.

“We are pleased to be able to offer local access to the cardiology group that’s set the standard of heart care in the region,” said Cushing Memorial Hospital CEO Ron Baker. “Patients can receive the same high-quality care from the same doctors who’ve earned Saint Luke’s a world-wide reputation for excellence, right here in Leavenworth.”

To schedule an appointment at Saint Luke’s Heart Care at Cushing, call (913) 682-7225, option one. For more information on Cushing Memorial Hospital or Saint Luke’s Mid America Heart Institute, call NurseLine at (800) 932-6220 or visit saintlukeshealthsystem.org.

Cushing Memorial Hospital and Saint Luke’s Mid America Heart Institute are members of Saint Luke’s Health System, which consists of 11 area hospitals and many primary care practices, and provides a range of inpatient, outpatient, and home care services. Founded as a faith-based, not-for-profit organization, our mission includes a commitment to the highest levels of excellence in health care and the advancement of medical research and education. The health system is an aligned organization in which the physicians and hospitals assume responsibility for enhancing the physical, mental, and spiritual health of people in the metropolitan Kansas City area and the surrounding region.

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