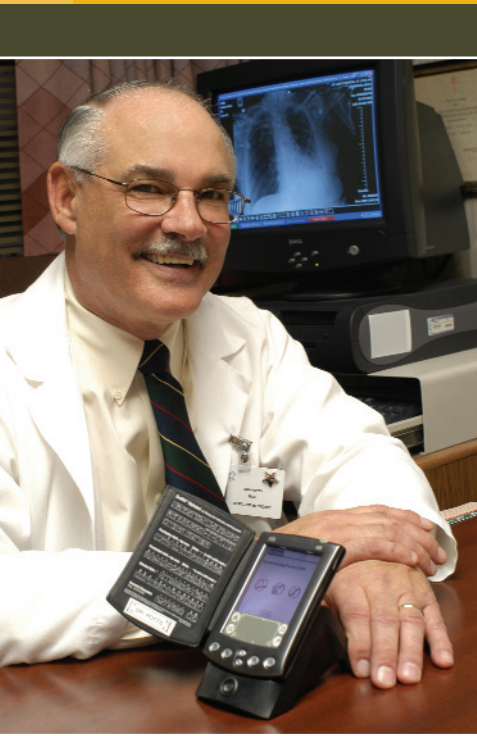


"St. Luke's Hospital makes major efforts to support high quality care and offers superb nursing care. The working rapport among physicians and nurses is exceptional. These elements permit me to provide excellent care for my patients."

-J. William Campbell, MD, board certified infectious disease specialist

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Dan Potts, MD, demonstrates WebPINS technology.



St. Luke's Hospital Campus

St. Luke's Hospital supports physicians' changing technological needs and recruits new physicians so we may continue to offer an expansive array of services and specialties.

Beginning January 1, electronic medical records became available to caregivers at St. Luke's Hospital through the implementation of the McKesson Horizon Patient Folder system and a seamless interface to our Web-Enabled Patient Information Network System, or WebPINS. This system allows physicians to easily view and complete medical records and eliminates long-term storage of paper charts. Physicians also may view patient information such as admission data, laboratory results and radiology images from within the hospital or a remote location via the Internet, anytime, anywhere. This increased efficiency ultimately enhances the level of patient care they may provide.

Patient safety continues to be a primary focus. Bar coding technology will be implemented in fall 2004. This bedside medication system

enhances the safe administration of medication by identifying potential errors before they occur and by providing the healthcare team real time medication tracking at the patient's bedside.

St. Luke's Internal Medicine Residency program has thrived for over 50 years and continues to provide a rich experience in medicine. Residents now number 36, plus two chief medical residents. This past year, residents achieved a pass rate of 100 percent on the Internal Medicine Board Exam.

Further education of physicians is facilitated through St. Luke's Continuing Medical Education (CME) department, which is accredited to provide continuing medical education for medical staff through a variety of conferences and programs. Over the past year, St. Luke's CME department sponsored 188 programs, totaling 221 hours of continuing medical education credit for more than 4,100 physicians and 925 non-physicians.

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