



*A Place
of Hope
and
Healing*

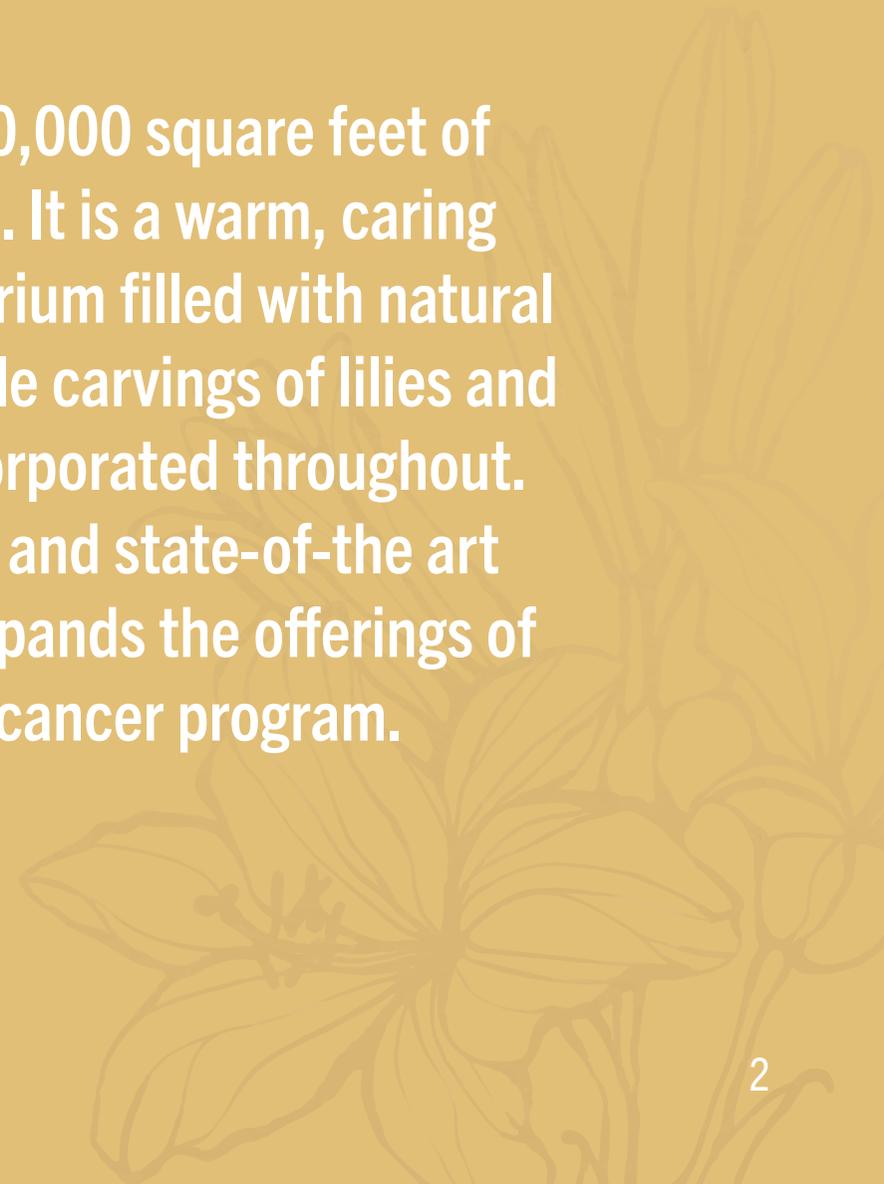
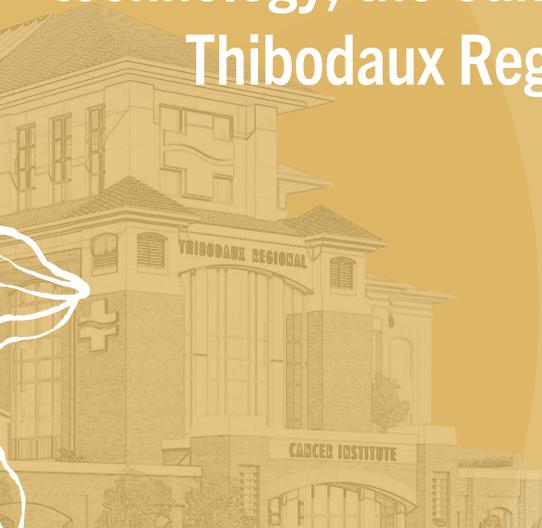


THIBODAUX REGIONAL
CANCER INSTITUTE

Thibodaux Regional Cancer Institute

Thibodaux Regional Cancer Institute is 80,000 square feet of HOPE and HEALING for the Bayou Region. It is a warm, caring environment featuring a grand four-story atrium filled with natural light and a monumental glass elevator. Subtle carvings of lilies and etched orchids, symbolizing hope, are incorporated throughout.

Home to the region's cancer care experts and state-of-the art technology, the Cancer Institute further expands the offerings of Thibodaux Regional's award-winning cancer program.



Services and offerings within the four-story Cancer Institute include:

Diagnostics/Imaging

Radiation Therapy

Radiation Oncology Clinic

Medical Oncology Clinic

Clinic for Visiting Physician Specialists

Chemotherapy/Infusion

Laboratory and Pharmacy

Activity Center

Gift Shop

Chapel



Diagnostics/Imaging

Cancer can be difficult to detect, but the earlier it is detected, the better the chance of a positive outcome. The Cancer Institute utilizes the latest diagnostic and imaging technology to not only detect cancer but also to stage and locate it to direct surgery and treatments and to monitor response to therapy.

We continuously update, upgrade and acquire new technology that is safer, faster and better.



Cancer treatment plans are coordinated by a whole team of oncology specialists and are developed specifically for each patient.

Radiation Therapy

Our radiation oncologists are focused on treating cancer and have the expertise, experience and advanced radiation treatment technology to beat it.



TruBeam Radiation Therapy System

Designed to treat with speed and accuracy and can treat cancer most anywhere in the body where radiation treatment is indicated

Brainlab's ExacTrac

Calculates patient movement with sub-millimetric precision for accuracy and patient safety during treatment

RapidArc Radiation Therapy

Delivers a highly focused beam of radiation directly to the tumor in less than two minutes from nearly any angle, resulting in less damage to surrounding healthy tissue

Brachytherapy

Treats cancer from the inside, conforming the radiation to the size and shape of the tumor, limiting damage to surrounding healthy anatomy

Our cancer experts understand the anxiety that accompanies a cancer diagnosis. For the convenience and comfort of our patients, we offer next-day appointments and a spa-inspired lounge, including a changing area for patients while undergoing treatments.

Infusion Suite

The infusion suite can provide chemotherapy and immunotherapy service for up to 44 patients at a time. There are six private suites with video monitoring as well as an outdoor terrace option where patients can receive treatment when the weather is nice. The infusion suite is staffed with specially trained nurses to guide patients and families through their specific treatment plans.



Medical Oncology Clinic

In our Medical Oncology Clinic, we have more cancer doctors to treat more types of cancer. Treatment plans are developed by a team of experts, specific for each patient, and our oncologists collaborate with surgeons, radiologists, pathologists and other specialists. Designed with 26 exam rooms and four triage areas for efficient flow, the Clinic also has space dedicated for visiting specialists.



Throughout the building are embossed lilies, symbolizing hope, which is what we want the Cancer Institute to represent for patients and their families.

Laboratory and Pharmacy

Inside the Cancer Institute are convenient specialized services such as a lab for blood work and a pharmacy.

Activity Center

Cancer treatment and wellness are integrated with patients benefiting physically and emotionally from yoga, art therapy, nutrition education and more.



Chapel

A quiet place for reflection and prayer, the chapel features beautiful stained glass created exclusively for the Cancer Institute.

Gift Shop

The gift shop serves the needs of our cancer patients and their families by offering products that can make a difference in patients' treatment, comfort and recovery, including therapies for managing side effects, clothing with port access, head scarves and coverings, skincare and more.



Cancer patients are encouraged to “ring the bell” to celebrate milestones during and at the end of treatment. The bell, brought over from our former Cancer Center, has been rung thousands of times over the years.

Now when patients ring the bell, lovely sounds will also emanate from two large bells in the towers on each side of the front entrance. Weighing nearly 1000 pounds and cast in bronze, these bells will sound throughout the community in recognition and remembrance of all who have been touched by cancer.

Our Patients Say It Best



“ I really appreciate the way the nurses treat me and the way they make me feel while I’m here. I now feel like they’re part of my family.
Chalon Maize
Cancer Survivor ”

“ I wanted to stay close to home, be with my kids for schoolwork and sports, and see the same doctor every time I came for treatment. It was an easy decision to come to Thibodaux Regional.
Kayla Breaux
Cancer Survivor ”



About Our Cancer Program

- Region's leader in cancer care
- More cancer doctors on staff to treat more types of cancer
- State-of-the-art detection and treatment technology
- Excellent clinical outcomes, exceeding the national survival rates in some of the most common types of cancer
- Quality cancer care that is also cost effective
- Accredited by the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer for the last 20 years



Our Team of Cancer Experts

Left to Right: Gerardo Arias, MD; Scott Hebert, MD; Nguyen Dang, MD; Ashish Udhrain, MD; Omer Khokhar, MD; Laura Chauvin, MD; and Dani Dang, MD

Continuing to lead the way in cancer care.



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