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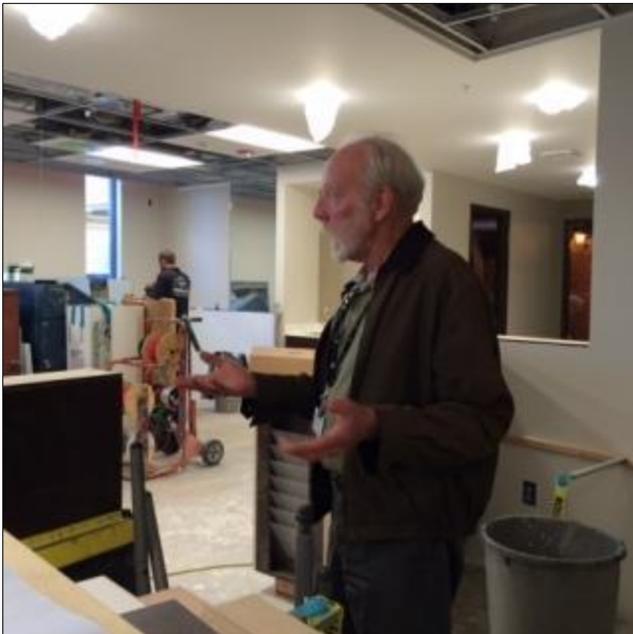
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Asante Rogue Regional's South Entrance to Close

The south entrance to Asante Rogue Regional Medical Center will close temporarily beginning March 23, as crews remove a construction corridor to build a new ceiling above it. The closure is expected to last about two weeks and will result in the same access limitations that were in place during an earlier, three-week closure.



Project manager Mark Powell shows off new space in Cardiopulmonary Services

Asante staff members, patients and visitors will be directed to the hospital's main, north-side entrance. Valet parking will be available from the North Entrance, and parking will be encouraged in lots to the north and west. Employees should use the parking garage, as other lots may fill.

Construction in the former South Entrance Lobby began Dec. 1 with a major demolition phase. Cardiopulmonary Services is being expanded in the newly renovated area and vacated space is being made available for a new, 3-Tesla MRI scanner in the imaging department.

The South Entrance is scheduled to reopen in early April, and the overall project is expected to be completed later in the month.

The two-week closure may be confusing to patients and visitors who are unfamiliar with the hospital, and those overseeing the project have asked Asante employees to take the extra time necessary to help others find their way.

Signs will be placed west of Medical Center Drive to redirect all hospital traffic to Asante Rogue Regional's North Entrance during the closure period. Staff members who normally use the South Lobby Entrance should use the hospital's main North Entrance or an alternate entry throughout the closure.

Patients and staff of Asante Rogue Regional Cancer Services may continue using their normal parking spaces and access Radiation/Oncology Services offices through the Dubs Building's own entrance.

Among the Asante Rogue Regional departments most affected by South Entrance closures are the Cath Lab, Employee Health, Asante Rogue Regional Administration, Cancer Center and Family Birth Center on the hospital's first floor; the Wound Clinic and Behavioral Health on the second floor; and General Medicine on the third floor.