

# NEWS RELEASE

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## **PUBLIC INVITED TO SEPT. 18 OPEN HOUSE AT CANON CENTER**

Bothwell Regional Health Center will host an open house and dedication of The Canon Center for Cancer & Cardiovascular Care from 2:30 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 18.

The Canon Center is located on the east side of the main hospital campus at 601 East 14<sup>th</sup> in Sedalia. Dedication of the building and special announcements will take place under the canopy of the east entrance at 3 p.m. on Sunday

The 15,000-square-foot addition is a two-story brick structure that houses Bothwell's cancer and cardiovascular treatment programs. Cancer services are located on the ground floor, while cardiovascular services and the cardiac catheterization lab are on the upper floor.

The cancer addition includes a larger chemotherapy treatment area with 14 infusion bays and two private rooms. Other features include five exam rooms, a laboratory station, larger dedicated cancer pharmacy and a Patient Education Resource Center in partnership with the American Cancer Society.

New equipment for cancer services include a computed tomography simulator for treatment planning and a new linear accelerator, which will provide faster, more accurate and multi-dimensional capabilities for radiation treatment.

Bothwell Regional Health Center's catheterization lab and other cardiology services are now in a new centralized location better suited for patient and family comfort. The cardiovascular addition also includes four preparation and recovery rooms for people undergoing cardiac catheterization procedures.

Tours of the facility and refreshments will be available. Visitors are asked to park on the southeast side of the main parking lot and enter through the new east door to the Canon Center.

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Bothwell Regional Health Center is a 140-bed regional health center serving west-central Missouri with state-of-the-art technology and comprehensive health

and wellness services including surgical, cancer, orthopaedic, endovascular/cardiac, women's health, and therapy services. For more information on Bothwell Regional Health Center and its services is available on the website at [www.brhc.org](http://www.brhc.org).