

# Elliot Health System

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## ELLIOT HEALTH SYSTEM BREAKS GROUND IN BEDFORD



L to R: Mary Sargent, Elliot Board Member, Jim Hood, Elliot Board Chair, Greg Baxter, MD, Chief Medical Officer, Andrea Palumbo, MD, Holly Mintz, MD, Mark Myers, MD and Dick Anagnost

**BEDFORD, N.H.** – Elliot Health System will open a 58,000 square foot medical center in January 2018 to expand services and provide access to primary care doctors, specialists, and ancillary services. “This facility is necessary to our growth model and to better serve the greater Bedford community as we uphold our mission to Inspire Wellness, Heal our Patients, and Serve with Compassion in Every Interaction,” said Jim Hood, Chair, Elliot Board of Directors. “The community is demanding better access to primary care doctors and we are preparing to answer that call,” explained Greg Baxter, MD, Chief Medical Officer. “The location of this facility is ideal for patients and will improve access to high quality healthcare. In addition, we will provide lab, imaging, pharmacy and specialists in this location to complement the care being given in both the family medicine and pediatric offices that will be located here,” added Baxter.

Currently, Elliot has two family medicine offices and one pediatric office in Bedford. The two family medicine offices will be combined in the new facility and the pediatric office will also be relocated in the new center. Services such as lab, mammography, x-ray, done density screening, and pharmacy will also be included for better patient care. Finally, plans are still being made to determine the right specialist services to support the needs of the Bedford community.

“I have been anticipating this day for quite some time and I am very happy, more so for our patients than for us as providers, to know they will be receiving care in a state-of-the-art facility, with medical services we have never before been able to offer in one location and under one roof,” explained Mark Myers, MD, Elliot Pediatrician. “How nice it will be to know if I order a prescription for a child, that the parent can pick it up on their way out the door,” Myers said.

The Elliot Medical Center in Bedford is anticipated to open in January 2018.

**About Elliot Health System** - Elliot Health System is a non-profit organization serving the healthcare needs of the community since 1890. The largest provider of comprehensive healthcare services in Southern New Hampshire, Elliot Hospital, a 296-bed acute care facility and the first community hospital in the state, serves as the cornerstone of the health system. Elliot is home to Manchester’s designated Regional Trauma Center, Elliot Breast Health Center, Elliot Urgent Care, a Level 3 Newborn Intensive Care Unit, Elliot Physician Network, Elliot Regional Cancer Center, Elliot Senior Health Center, Visiting Nurse Association of Manchester and Southern New Hampshire, Elliot Health System / Dartmouth - Hitchcock 1-Day Surgery Center, Elliot Memory & Mobility Center, NH Arthritis Center, Elliot Retail Pharmacy, Elliot Medical Centers in Londonderry and Hooksett, and The Elliot at River’s Edge. For more information about any of Elliot’s services, call Elliot Direct at 603-663-1111 or visit [www.elliithospital.org](http://www.elliithospital.org).

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