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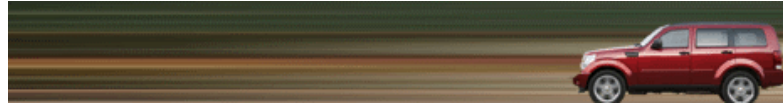


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## St. Joseph's Now Part Of Signature Hospitals

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At one minute after midnight Tuesday...Signature Hospital Corporation became the new owners of St. Joseph's Hospital.

And hospital C.E.O. Patsy Hardy says the ownership change is one which brings a stability to the operation.

In the past two and a half years...St. Joseph's has had three owners, although Signature originally made a bid to buy the hospital in 2005.

"We're thrilled that they have entered into an agreement with the Sisters of Saint Joseph to maintain our religious and ethical agreements we have in place," Hardy says. "They are so unique, and a great part of our heritage of this organization."

The new owners intend to invest money in St. Joseph's, money the hospital plans in part to spend on new technology.

Hardy says signature plans to make it the company's flagship hospital.




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