



Our Goal: Extend Minimally Invasive Surgery To More Patients

At Springhill Medical Center, we are committed to providing superior patient care and being a leader in healthcare excellence and innovation in the communities we serve. In 2009, we launched our Robotic-Assisted Surgery Program and upgraded to the *da Vinci* Xi System to expand our minimally invasive surgical capabilities for our patients.

At Springhill Medical Center, we believe that minimally invasive surgery (MIS) should be the standard of care in surgery. For decades, patients receiving open surgery continued to be the majority for many procedures even when MIS options were available. Finally, the adoption of minimally invasive *da Vinci* Surgery has changed this for several procedures and has begun changing for others. That's a major reason why Springhill Medical Center continues to expand our robotic-assisted surgery services, so that fewer and fewer patients will receive open surgery if they qualify for MIS procedures.

The *da Vinci* Xi System has broader capabilities than prior generations of the *da Vinci* System. It can be used across a wide spectrum of minimally invasive surgical procedures and has been optimized for multi-quadrant surgeries. We are truly thrilled to be a leader in this field and look forward to bringing more minimally invasive surgical options to our area.

For more information about the *da Vinci* System or *da Vinci* procedures, or if you have questions about our surgeons and hospital services call 251.344.9630 or visit us online at SpringhillMedicalCenter.com



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Thanks to *da Vinci* technology,

more patients have been offered
minimally invasive surgery
than any other time in history



announces the
***da Vinci* Xi**
System
with broader
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da Vinci® Xi
SURGICAL SYSTEM

What Is da Vinci Surgery?

Da Vinci Surgery is a type of minimally invasive surgery where specially trained surgeons use the *da Vinci* robotic-assisted surgical system to perform a wide range of delicate and complex operations. The *da Vinci* System features a magnified 3D high-definition vision system and tiny wristed instruments that bend and rotate far greater than the human wrist. As a result, the *da Vinci* System enables surgeons to operate with enhanced vision, precision, dexterity and control.

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What Does Our Robotic-Assisted Surgery Program Offer?

The Robotic-Assisted Surgery Program at Springhill Medical Center has a multidisciplinary surgical team. Our surgeons are specially trained and credentialed to perform robotic-assisted *da Vinci* Surgery. A dedicated, highly experienced team of anesthesiologists, nurses, assistants and surgical techs are also trained to support each surgeon's needs during robotic-assisted surgery.



Patient Benefits Of *da Vinci* Surgery:

- A shorter hospital stay
- Less blood loss
- Fewer complications
- Less need for narcotic pain medicine
- A faster recovery
- Smaller incisions associated with minimal scarring

Our *da Vinci* Robotic-Assisted Surgery Service Lines include:

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| • Cardiac Surgery | • Colorectal Surgery |
| • General Surgery | • Gynecologic Surgery |
| • Head & Neck Surgery | • Thoracic Surgery |
| • Urology Surgery | |