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Pediatric Dental Surgery Now Available in Carlsbad



Peter Hayes, DMD, MS, FRCDC

Carlsbad Medical Center is pleased to announce that Peter A. Hayes, DMD, MS, FRCDC, is accepting referrals for oral rehabilitation surgery at Carlsbad Medical Center. Dr. Hayes is a Pediatric Dental Fellow with 30 years of experience. He specializes in pediatric, adolescent and special needs dentistry, and is providing surgical services at CMC for three days a month at the end of each month.

"We are pleased to be able to offer this much needed service in our community," said Carlsbad Medical Center Interim CEO Elmer Hyde. "This will save many families the cost and time of having to travel out of town for this type of procedure."

For more information, call CMC at (575) 887-4160, or call the office of Dr. Peter Hayes at (575) 636-4471.

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About Carlsbad Medical Center

Carlsbad Medical Center is a full-service 127-bed community hospital. Since 2004, CMC has reinvested a total of \$20 million in improvements and expansions, including a new Outpatient Diagnostic Center, upgraded diagnostic imaging equipment, an expanded Intensive Care Unit, and an upgraded and expanded Emergency Department. A \$15 million renovation project begun in 2009 includes the construction of additional operating rooms, a renovated Women's Services Unit, and a remodeled front entrance and lobby, is scheduled to be completed by December 2010.