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RMCHCS Announces Reopening of the Operating Room

GALLUP, NEW MEXICO - Rehoboth McKinley Christian Health Care Services (RMCHCS) is pleased to announce the reopening of RMCHCS Operating Rooms on September 26, 2025, following several weeks of closure due to extensive flood damage and HVAC failure.

“This reopening marks a significant milestone in our recovery efforts,” said Wayne Gillis, CEO of RMCHCS. “It’s a testament to the resilience of our staff and the unwavering support of our community. We’re excited to resume providing the high-quality care our patients deserve and expect, not just in our main hospital and clinics, but in all our operating rooms.”

RMCHCS hospital sincerely thanks the community and staff for their patience and understanding during this difficult time.

Their support has been the backbone of our recovery, and we are immensely thankful for their trust in us,” Gillis said.

The reopening will bring back services in General Surgery, Orthopedics, Urology, and Ophthalmology, which will also restart.

“The past few weeks have been challenging, but they also revealed the true strength of our healthcare and community,” Gillis said. “We’ve emerged from this setback more determined than ever to serve our patients. Our facilities have been fully restored, and in many ways, the smooth operation of our main hospital since its reopening on September 26 has paved the way for this next step. We are not just reopening; we are setting a new standard for healthcare in our region.”

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