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*By and For the People of Love County*

**Richard Barker,  
Administrator**

**Ambulance Emergency**

**911**

**Clinic Appointments**

**276-2400**

**Hospital Information**

**276-3347**

**Community Resources**

**211**

**Domestic Violence Help**

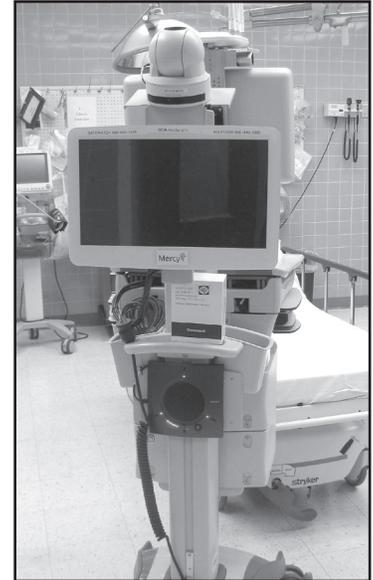
**276-2042**

**Hotline - 226-6424**

# TELESTROKE SYSTEM



*Emergency room Registered Nurse Megan Yow administers a stroke assessment test to "patient" Rick Stephens under the observation of an offsite stroke physician. The telestroke technology consists of video camera, monitor, microphone and computer link.*



**What Is It?**

Mercy Telestroke System

**Year Acquired:**

2014

**Use:**

A Mercy stroke doctor in another city diagnoses a patient who has arrived in our emergency room with a suspected stroke. The patient, ER staff, and stroke physician see, hear, and speak to one another through the telestroke video link.

The physician directs a neurological examination of the patient, views test results, and communicates a treatment plan for the best possible care. If drug therapy is indicated, the medication is administered immediately.

**Golden Hour:**

Every minute counts toward preventing permanent neurologic damage. Treatment within 60 minutes is the standard of care.

*We're YOUR Hospital, Clinic and EMS*

## Mercy Health/Love County

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