



Physician Opportunity Brochure



**Kimball Health Services**, Nebraska's first Basic Level Trauma Center, is a state-of-the-art 15-bed critical access hospital and rural health clinic in Kimball. Our experienced medical staff provide acute care, emergency care, surgery, physical therapy, swing bed services and a variety of outpatient services including nuclear medicine, endoscopy, mobile MRI, in-house CAT scanning, and bone density scanning. Our physician's clinic on the hospital campus offers a full range of family health care services.



#### THE KIMBALL CLINIC

The Kimball Health Services Clinic is designated as a provider-based rural health clinic and is located on the hospital campus. Patient hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday and 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. Clinical staff work in provider/nurse teams to facilitate efficiency, communication and production.



The clinic has 10 exam rooms, all new equipment, and uses electronic charts. We are connected to the computerized radiography system and can view x-rays on screen in the clinic. Nursing support staff consists of LPNs and medical assistants, and

administrative staff consists of an office manager, receptionist, insurance clerks, and a health information clerk. The Clinic Director handles all management duties in cooperation with the Medical Director and Hospital CEO.



## PINE BLUFFS HEALTH CLINIC



The Pine Bluffs
Health Clinic is a
provider-based rural
health clinic offering
a full range of family
health care,
including same-day
sick care, an inhouse pharmacy,
laboratory services,

radiology services and specialty clinics in cardiology and skin care. Newly constructed in 2015, this 4,500-square-foot, \$1,55 million facility serves patients in southeastern Wyoming, northeastern Colorado and western Nebraska.



#### HOSPITAL SERVICES

#### **RADIOLOGY**

The radiology department has incorporated digital imaging into its work process. The images are transmitted directly to radiologists at Advanced Medical Imaging Corp. in Fort



Collins, Colorado, where they are interpreted. Electronically signed reports are available within 24 hours. A fully functional Picture Archive Communication System (PACS) allows for a completely filmless department with web access available for outside referrals. A new radiographic room was installed in 2003. a Dexa Scanner was

added in 2007, a new Agfa HealthCare DX-D

10 Digital Detector was added in 2013, a GE 64 slice CT Scanner was added in 2017 and ultrasound in 2017. Several mobile services are available on a regular basis and provide additional imaging. They include Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Nuclear Medicine and Echocardiography. The department is staffed with the Director and registered Radiologic Technologists.



### **LABORATORY**

Kimball Health Services' laboratory has the capability to perform multiple tests in-house, including most chemistry panels, cardiac enzymes, blood gases, blood bank, coagulation, hematology and urinalysis. The department is staffed with the Director and three additional full-time medical technologists.



## **EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT**



In December 2003, Kimball Health Services became the first Basic Level Trauma Center in Nebraska. This designation signifies the commitment to quality trauma care provided at the local level. The trauma room was also renovated in 2000-2001 and is well equipped to deal with trauma patients. Providers are all ATLS (Advanced Trauma Life Support) certified, and RN's are certified in ACLS, PALS, and TNCC.

#### **OUTPATIENT SERVICES**



Outpatient Service area

A multitude of services are offered on an outpatient basis at Kimball Health Services. Inhouse services include adenosine stress tests, cardiac stress tests, EGDs, colonoscopy, IV therapy, same day surgery, sleep studies, etc.



Stress Testing Equipment

#### **REHAB**



The rehabilitation department at KHS has one full-time physical therapist and one full-time physical therapy assistant. The department offers occupational therapy and speech therapy per contractual agreement. Occupational therapy is provided on an as-needed basis.

We provide care to all levels of service and diagnoses in the outpatient, acute care and skilled nursing setting. The department is continually updated with the latest modalities and rehab equipment to be able to meet the needs of all of our patients.

# **VISITING SPECIALISTS**

A full complement of visiting specialists provide care to patients at Kimball Health Services, and work with our medical staff to provide a full continuum of care. Specialty clinics currently provide general surgery, cardiology, urology, internal medicine and dermatology. The monthly calendar is posted on our website at <a href="https://www.kimballhealth.org">www.kimballhealth.org</a>.



#### **NURSING SERVICES**

As a Critical Access Hospital, Kimball Health Services has the capacity for 15 staffed beds, including one negative pressure room. Our well educated nursing staff cover the medical/ surgical floor, the emergency department, pre and post-op services and care for treatment room patients. The pharmacy is a med room

stocked solely for hospital patients and is not a licensed dispensing pharmacy. We have a local consulting pharmacist available.



Patient Room

Caring Kind Room (Hospice)

# **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

Kimball Health Services boasts an amazing array of technological advances for a small, rural facility. These include a web based Hospital & Clinic Information System and Electronic Health Records (Evident), Computer-based Telephone System (Awaya), Nurse-Patient Communications System (Hill-Rom), Patient Monitoring System (Nihon Kohden), Tele-health Capabilities, and high speed fiber internet (Rural Nebraska Health Network).

### Other Healthcare Resources

EMS Services consist of a local, county owned service (BLS), Valley Ambulance of Scottsbluff (ALS), and AirLink—helicopter service out of Regional West Medical Center, our regional trauma referral center.

Most trauma victims needing additional services are transferred to Regional West Medical Center in Scottsbluff (40 miles), and most cardiac patients needing additional services are transferred to United Medical Center in Chevenne, Wyoming (55 miles).

Other transfer facilities are available in Greeley, Colorado—Burn center, and multiple facilities in Denver, Colorado (150 miles).



# When you're not working.....



Kimball is located in the southwest corner of the Nebraska Panhandle. We are 55 miles from Cheyenne, Wyoming and only 150 miles from Denver and the Rocky Mountains. Denver International Airport (DIA) is approximately a 2 ½ hour drive.

Easy access to Interstate 80 makes Kimball a popular stop on the traveling vacation route. There's also easy access to the Front Range, hiking, hunting, fishing and cultural events.

Kimball is a great place to call home. See our community website at http://www.kimballne.org!

Kimball's Four Winds Golf Course is a quite popular 18-hole championship-caliber course.





Oliver Reservoir is located just 8 miles west of town and is a popular place during the summer months, offering fishing, water skiing and hunting.

The economy is mostly agricultural, oil and gas, and some manufacturing. Major employers include IOS (Inspection Oilfield Services), Kimball Public Schools, Clean Harbors Environmental Services, George Risk Industries and Kimball Health Services.



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