

PARKWAY MEDICAL CENTER

Decatur, Alabama



Population: 55,788 • Service Area: 147,000

Well known as “A Grand City on a Charming Scale,” the community of Decatur in northern Alabama is a place of award-winning schools and safe, family-friendly neighborhoods.

THE HOSPITAL

Parkway Medical Center (PMC), a 120-bed, full service facility, is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO). The medical staff (89 active, 60 courtesy and consulting) represents more than 25 specialties. Parkway Medical offers 24-hour Emergency Care, Intensive Care, Medical/Surgical Care and Surgical Services ranging from minimally invasive to Urologic, Orthopedic, Gynecological and Bariatric. Other services include Digital Mammography,

Diagnostic Imaging, Bone Densitometry, an Obstetrics Unit with birthing rooms, Pediatrics, Respiratory and comprehensive Lab Services. Parkway Medical has developed six centers to provide services to the community: The Center for Orthopedic and Sports Medicine, The Surgical Weight Loss Center, Pavilion Plastic Surgery, The Sleep Disorders Center, The Pavilion for Women and Children and, most recently, the state’s first accredited Chest Pain Center.

THE COMMUNITY

Decatur boasts a thriving business community featuring companies such as Boeing, Nucor Steel and 3M. Indeed, because Decatur is the busiest port on the Tennessee River, 20 Fortune 500 companies have established plants in the city. And thanks to nearby Redstone Arsenal Military Base, the Decatur-Huntsville area claims more engineers per capita than any other region in the country. On Memorial Day weekend, Decatur is home to The



Alabama Jubilee Hot Air Balloon Festival. Up to 100,000 people attend this annual event, which features an Art Show, Antique Car Show, Antique Tractor Show and Kite Festival, as well more than 60 hot-air balloons. Each September, Decatur hosts the Racking Horse World Celebration. Lake Wheeler is the site for a Bassmaster Top 150 Tournament, featuring the best anglers in the country.

RECREATION

Located on the Tennessee River, with access to literally hundreds of miles of open water, Decatur is the perfect setting for people who love to boat, water ski, jet ski, canoe and fish. Wheeler Lake is the second largest lake in Alabama and is famous for its largemouth and smallmouth bass.

For those who love wilderness camping and hiking, the 35,000-acre of Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge along the Tennessee River is home to abundant populations of geese, duck and other migratory birds. The refuge hosts 115 species of fish, 74 species of reptiles and amphibians, 47 species of mammals and 288 different species of songbirds.

Decatur has 22 city parks and 12 playgrounds. The city also operates four community centers, one outdoor and one indoor swimming pool. The North Alabama Birding Trail runs through the city and features eight new viewing sites for the bird-watching enthusiast. Point Mallard Park features 750 acres designed for year-round use, with an aquatic park, golf course, indoor skating rink, hiking and biking trails, and campgrounds.

LOCAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- **Wheeler Lake** – the second largest lake in Alabama, is famous for its largemouth and smallmouth bass
- **Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge** a 35,000-acre wilderness area along the Tennessee River with camping sites and biking trails
- **Alabama Jubilee Hot Air Balloon Festival** – attracts up to 100,000 people every Memorial Day weekend



Princess Theatre



Wheeler Lake Boat Harbor



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DISTANCE TO MAJOR CITIES

Huntsville, Alabama . . . 25
 Birmingham, Alabama . . . 80
 Nashville, Tennessee . . . 116
 Chattanooga, Tennessee . . . 125



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1874 Beltline Road, S.W.
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Hospital Services

EMERGENCY

24-Hour Physician Staffing
24-Hour Emergency Department
Level III Trauma Center

SURGICAL

Inpatient & Outpatient Surgery
Bariatric Surgery
General Surgery
Orthopedic Surgery
Gynecological Surgery
Plastic Surgery
Ear, Nose, and Throat Surgery
24-Hour Anesthesia Coverage
Endoscopy Services
Pain Procedure Center

ACUTE CARE

Med/Surg
Pain Procedure Center
Negative Pressure Isolation
Wound Care Center
Hospitalist Program
Pediatrics
OB/GYN

INTENSIVE CARE

Intensive Care Unit
Telemetry Beds
Advanced Monitoring & Equipment

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

Mammography
Fluoroscopy
Ultrasound
Nuclear Medicine
MRI
X-ray
64-Slice CT/CCTA
Vascular Doppler Studies
Echocardiography
Sleep Studies

MEDICAL SPECIALTIES

Allergy
Anesthesiology
Bariatrics
Cardiology
Endocrinology
Family Practice
Gastroenterology
General Surgery
Hospitalist Program
Internal Medicine
Nephrology
Neurology
Obstetrics
Orthopedics
Otolaryngology (ENT)
Pain Management
Pathology
Pediatrics
Podiatry
Pulmonology
Radiology
Rheumatology
Sleep Disorders
Urology

CARDIO PULMONARY

Accredited Chest Pain Center
EKG
Pulmonary Function Testing
Cardiac Stress Testing
Stress Echocardiography
24-Hour Holter Set and Scan
Cardiopulmonary and Respiratory Care
CCTA

REHABILITATIVE

Occupational Therapy
Physical Therapy
Speech and Language Therapy
Sports Medicine Services

WOMEN'S HEALTH

Bone Densitometry
Obstetrics and Gynecology
Labor and Delivery
Surgical Suite
LDRP's
Lactation Consultant
Level II Newborn Nursery
Mammography
Perinatal Care
Childbirth Education & Classes

OTHER

24-Hour Full-Service Laboratory
• Blood Banking and Microbiology
Diabetic Education
Sports Medicine
Smoking Cessation Program
Inpatient Pharmacy

SUPPORT

Community Health Screenings
Health and Wellness Education
Registered Dietician and Nutritional
Counseling
Case Management/Utilization Review
Volunteer Services
Senior Program
Support Groups
Gift Shop
Community Education Lectures
Physician Referral Program

