

Maternity Patients Take Note!

New UK Chandler Hospital Garage & Shuttle Opens Nov. 19



Parking at UK HealthCare will soon be a breeze with the partial opening of a new patient and visitor parking garage at 5 a.m. Monday, Nov. 19.

- **New location** – The new Hospital Garage & Shuttle is located between Conn Terrace and Transcript Avenue, across S. Limestone from UK medical facilities (see map on back).
- **Replaces current hospital garage** – The existing hospital garage will close at 5 a.m. Nov. 19 (when the new garage opens) and will be disassembled to make way for construction of the new UK Chandler Hospital. All cars must be out of the old garage by Nov. 20.

The Kentucky Clinic garage remains open for clinic parking, but the new garage will be another parking option for those visiting the clinic or nearby areas of campus.

- **Free door-to-door shuttles** – Wheelchair-friendly shuttle buses (no steps) will transport parkers safely to and from the hospital's front loop and Emergency entrances, 24 hours a day, every day. A second shuttle route will serve the Kentucky Clinic 6 a.m. – 8 p.m., Monday – Friday. Shuttle buses for each route will arrive every three minutes.
- **Ambassador assistance** – An ambassador will be available at the shuttle loading area 6 a.m. – 11 p.m. to answer questions and help patients and visitors access the shuttles.
- **Bigger garage with more parking** – The garage opens with better parking capacity for patients and visitors than the existing garage, but when fully open in March 2008, it will offer more than double the parking capacity, including 126 spaces designated for handicapped parking.

For your convenience, pregnant women coming to UK Chandler Hospital for tours, classes, appointments, giving birth or any other reason may be dropped off at the hospital's front entrance accessible from Hospital Drive. The driver can then park in the new hospital garage and take the free shuttle back to the same entrance. You can wait for the driver in the clinic or hospital lobby, or meet him/her where you are going, such as the UK Birthing Center on the third floor of the hospital.

Pregnant women coming to Kentucky Clinic for appointments may also want to save some steps by being dropped off at the covered clinic entrance on S. Limestone. The driver has the option of parking in either the clinic or hospital garage.

Kentucky Clinic patients, be sure to have your parking ticket validated in order to get the patient parking rates.

For directions or more information, call **257-1000** or toll free **1-800-333-8874**, or visit **ukhealthcare.uky.edu**.

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