

# Medina Healthcare System

**How many people do you employ?** 240

**How long have you been in business?** 52 years

**Website:** <http://www.medinahospital.net/>

## **Why is Medina County a good place for your business?**

Established in 1964, Medina Regional Hospital has grown to employ over 240 full and part time employees in the various hospital and clinics. As the County continues to grow and develop, quality health care is an important part of attracting new businesses, professionals and families and making them feel comfortable in our community. Our facilities are conveniently located to meet the needs of local residents, which means less travel distance and time off from work for routine checkups, appointments or specialized care.

## **What is your favorite thing about having a location in Medina County?**

We're located close enough to major medical centers in San Antonio to facilitate transfers for higher level care or referrals to specialty care that isn't available here. That same proximity to San Antonio allows us to bring in a variety of specialists to our Hondo and Devine locations. Our emergency physicians also bring experience from the metro area to our rural facilities. Additionally, our partnership with Methodist Healthcare System of San Antonio has benefited the community by strengthening the hospital's financial resources.

## **Do you feel that Medina County offers enough resources for your business to succeed?**

Medina County has supported the efforts of our hospital for more than 50 years. The communities are very family friendly, offer a lower cost of living and are conveniently located near San Antonio. These are big selling points when recruiting for management positions, physicians, mid-level providers such as nurse practitioners and physician assistants and allied health professionals. Our employees who live and work in Medina County make significant contributions to the local economy and are actively involved with their families in a variety of school and community events. We are fortunate to have volunteers who commit their time and talents to our Board of Directors, recently named the 2016 Start Trustee Award winners by the Texas Healthcare Trustees (THT).

We also have two great nonprofit groups of volunteers in the Medina Regional Hospital Auxiliary and the Medina Healthcare Fund, who raise funds annually to assist the hospital with capital equipment and facility improvements.