

# Northern Louisiana Medical Center

Ruston, Louisiana

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## Hospital Information

- Licensed Beds: 159
- Physicians: Active: 94; Courtesy: 22; Consulting: 23
- Long Term Care (Skilled Nursing) Unit: 12 Beds
- Accredited by The Joint Commission

## Specialties

- Anesthesiology
- Cardiology
- Dentistry
- Dermatology
- Family Practice
- Gastroenterology
- General Surgery
- Gynecology
- Hyperbaric/Wound Care
- Hematology
- Internal Medicine
- Nephrology
- Neurology
- Obstetrics
- Oncology
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopedics
- Otolaryngology
- Pathology
- Pediatrics
- Podiatry
- Psychiatry
- Pulmonology
- Radiology
- Urology

## Service Highlights

- Cardiac (Emergency Angiography)
- CCU (Telemetry, Cath Lab)
- Cardiac Rehab
- Cardiopulmonary/Respiratory (EKG, Pulmonary Function Lab, ABGs, Spirograms)
- Dialysis (Inpatient)
- Emergency Department
- Imaging: (Bone Densitometry, Nuclear Medicine, CT Scanner, Mammography, Ultrasound, MRI)
- Intensive Care Unit
- Labor & Delivery (LDRs, Nursery)
- Laboratory (Hematology, Histology, Microbiology, Transfusion Medicine)
- Level II NICU
- Lithotripsy
- Nutritional Counseling
- Pediatrics Unit
- Rehabilitation (PT, OT, Speech, Progressive Care Unit)
- Sleep Center
- Special Services (EEG, Stress Testing, Holter Monitoring)
- Surgery (Inpatient, Outpatient)
- Women's Center

## Community Facts

Population . . . . . 21,250 city/ 43,286 parish  
 Ruston is 1 hour east of Shreveport, 30 minutes west of Monroe, 3.5 hours north of Baton Rouge and 3 hours south of Little Rock, Arkansas.

### Ruston Offers:

- Squire Creek Country Club, 18-hole course designed by Tom Fazio
- Annual Squire Creek Peach Festival
- Lincoln Parish Park
- Louisiana Military Museum
- Ruston Country Club
- Dixie Center for the Arts
- Events & Activities through Louisiana Tech University

## Weather

Average annual rainfall . . . . . 48.7"  
 Average snowfall . . . . . 1.5"  
 Average temperature in winter . . . . . 46.1°  
 Average temperature in summer . . . . . 82.2°

## Market Data

Average household income . . . . . \$38,972  
 Average cost of existing 3BR home: . . . . . \$144,000  
 Average cost of a 2BR apartment . . . . . \$450-\$600  
 State Income Tax . . . . . 4%  
 Unemployment . . . . . 3%

## Education

According to state and federal requirements, 100% of the teachers in the Lincoln Parish School System are certified and 98% are highly qualified. Initiatives such as Project Achieve, dual enrollment with Louisiana Tech University, and distance learning in all of our high schools are examples of our pro-active approach to making sure every student receives the best education.

Private K-12 . . . . . 3  
 High Schools . . . . . 4  
 Jr. High Schools . . . . . 1  
 Middle Schools . . . . . 1  
 Elementary Schools . . . . . 8  
 University Lab Schools . . . . . 4  
 Day Care Centers: Approximately 4 public, 5-day-a-week centers.