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Ribbon Cutting for the New Birth Center at Westfields Hospital

October 5th, 2012 – Westfields Hospital held a community open house on October 3rd, 2012 to celebrate the newly remodeled Birth Center. The president of Westfields Hospital, Steve Massey, was proud to show the public all of the recent upgrades to the Birth Center.

The Birth Center has been renovated with new hardwood flooring, wall treatments, soft lighting and soothing décor. The nursery has also had some updates to create a peaceful space. One of the largest updates is a complete rebuild of the private bathroom in the main labor and delivery room. There have also been significant upgrades in other private bathrooms in the Birth Center.

The goal of the Birth Center is to accommodate the variety of needs expectant mothers have. Features offered to mothers range from whirlpool tubs and massage therapy to soothing music. Having a variety of options available to them, families can pick and choose from the many features offered and tailor the experience to their specific goals and desires. Westfields Hospital is anticipating that these updates and renovations will draw local expecting families to choose Westfields for their labor and delivery needs.

For more information on the new Birth Center at Westfields Hospital, contact Birth Center Manager Jean Meier at jean.m.meier@westfieldshospital.com or via phone at 715-243-2682. Visit [facebook.com/WestfieldsHospital](https://www.facebook.com/WestfieldsHospital) for the latest updates.

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Westfields Hospital, located at 535 Hospital Road in New Richmond, is a full-service hospital offering emergency services, specialty clinics, and maternity services, as well as medical and surgical inpatient and outpatient care. Westfields Hospital is part of the HealthPartners family of care. Learn more at westfieldshospital.com.



From left to right: 'The Stork', Jean Meier (OB Supervisor), Helen Sathre (VP Patient Services), JoAnn McGath (Director of Nursing), Steve Massey (CEO), Mayor Fred Horne, Amity Heinbuch (RN), Angela Olson (NR Chamber President).