

GCH nationally recognized for providing high-quality stroke care

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Georgetown Community Hospital has received the American Heart Association's Get With The Guidelines-Stroke Gold Plus with Target: Stroke Honor Roll Elite Plus and Get With The Guidelines-Rural Stroke Gold quality achievement awards for its commitment to ensuring stroke patients receive the most appropriate treatment according to nationally recognized, research-based guidelines, ultimately leading to more lives saved and reduced disability.

People who live in rural communities live an average of three years fewer than urban counterparts and have a 40 percent higher likelihood of developing heart disease and face a 30% increased risk for stroke mortality — a gap that has grown over the past two decades. Georgetown Community Hospital is committed to changing that.

Stroke is the No. 5 cause

of death and a leading cause of disability in the U.S. a stroke occurs when a blood vessel that carries oxygen and nutrients to the brain is either blocked by a clot or bursts. When that happens, part of the brain cannot get the blood and oxygen it needs, so brain cells die. Early stroke detection and treatment are key to improving survival, minimizing disability and accelerating recovery times.

Get With The Guidelines puts the expertise of the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association to work for hospitals nationwide, helping ensure patient care is aligned with the latest research- and evidence-based guidelines. Get With The Guidelines - Stroke is an in-hospital program for improving stroke care by promoting consistent adherence to these guidelines, which can minimize the long-term effects of a stroke and even prevent death.

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nity Hospital is committed to improving patient care by adhering to the latest treatment guidelines,” said Barbara Kinder, RN, BSN, MA, MBA, CCPS, Chief Nursing Officer of

Georgetown Community Hospital. “Get With The Guidelines makes it easier for our teams to put proven knowledge and guidelines to work on a daily basis, which studies show can

help patients recover better.”

“We are incredibly pleased to recognize Georgetown Community Hospital for its commitment to caring for patients

with stroke,” said Steven Messe, M.D., volunteer chair of the American Heart Association Stroke System of Care Advisory Group. “Participation in Get With The Guidelines is associated with improved patient outcomes, fewer readmissions and lower mortality rates — a win for health care systems, families and communities.”

“Patients and health care professionals in Scott County face unique health care challenges and opportunities,” said Karen E. Joynt Maddox, M.D., MPH, co-author on the American Heart Association's presidential advisory on rural health. Georgetown Community Hospital has furthered this important work to improve care for all Americans, regardless of where they live.”

To learn more about Georgetown Community Hospital, please call 502.868.1100. To take a stroke health risk assessment, visit Georgetown-CommunityHospital.com/Stroke.

Public Notice

GEORGETOWN-SCOTT COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

Executive Committee meeting to be held for purpose of conducting a closed session

NOTICE OF PUBLIC Meeting
GEORGETOWN-SCOTT COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
The Planning Commission will convene a public meeting of it's Executive

Committee, August 11th at 3:30 PM for the purpose of conducting a closed session pursuant to KRS 61.815; referencing KRS 61.810 (1)(f).
The Executive Committee will convene at 3:30 immediately prior to the

regularly scheduled Planning Commission Workshop on August 11, 2025, at 4:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Georgetown – Scott County Planning Office, 230 East Main Street, Georgetown, KY 40324.

All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.
If you have any questions or need special assistance, please contact the Planning Commission office at 502-867-3701.

ONLINE TRANSPORT, INC

Application filed to construct new water quality detention basin on Old Delaplain Rd./Sims Pike

Notice is hereby given that Online Transport, Inc. at 194 Sims Pike, Georgetown, KY 40324, has filed an application with the Energy and En-

vironment Cabinet to construct a new water quality detention basin. The property is located along 0.25 miles of road frontage north of Old Delaplain

Road and Sims Pike in just north of Georgetown, Kentucky. Any comments or objections can be submitted via email to: DOWFloodplain@

ky.gov Kentucky Division of Water, Floodplain Management Section, 300 Sower Blvd. Frankfort, KY 40601. Call 502-564-3410 with questions.

CITY OF GEORGETOWN

Seeking bids for construction of a Restroom and Storage Facility at Marshall Park

The City of Georgetown is seeking bids for the construction of a Restroom and Storage Facility Addition at the Marshall Park Football Field until Friday, August 22, 2025, at 2:00 PM. Copies of the Invita-

tion to Bid Package may be obtained at <http://www.publicpurchase.com/>. Public Purchase registration instructions can be found on the City of Georgetown website under “Public Procurement Opportunities”

at www.georgetownky.gov. All inquiries regarding these bids shall be submitted through the Public Purchase portal, and all bid responses shall be submitted via Public Purchase. Virtual bid openings will

be held at the aforementioned date and time. For questions regarding the bid process please contact the Grants Administrator Karyn Leverenz (Karyn.leverenz@georgetownky.gov).

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF GEORGETOWN

Surplus auction to dispose of excess and unneeded property

PUBLIC NOTICE: SURPLUS AUCTION
The Housing Authority of Georgetown will hold a Surplus Auction to dispose of excess and unneeded property.
Date: August 14, 2025
Time: 11:00 am
Location: 139 Scroggins Park, Georgetown, KY 40324
Items Include:
2005 Chevrolet Colorado, 2008 Chevrolet Silverado 1500, John Deere Gator, small trailer, pallet jack, small hand tools, power tools, 2 snakes, HVAC parts and

various miscellaneous items. All items are sold as-is, where-is, with no warranties expressed or implied.
Inspection: Items may be inspected August 14, 2025 at 9:00 am.
Terms: Payment by cash, credit card, or certified funds. Full payment is due at time of purchase.
Don't miss this opportunity to bid on quality surplus items!
For more information, contact: Jake Graves, Missy Evans at info@townha.org



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