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Burke Rehabilitation Opens Outpatient Clinic on Wartburg's Historic Campus

Mount Vernon, NY (September 25, 2025) – Wartburg proudly welcomed Burke Rehabilitation to its campus this week, celebrating the ribbon cutting of Burke's newest outpatient facility in Mount Vernon. The state-of-the-art center marks a significant milestone in enhancing access to high-quality rehabilitative services for both Wartburg residents and the broader Mount Vernon community.

“Wartburg has always believed in the power of partnerships to strengthen the quality of life for those we serve,” said Dr. David Gentner, President and CEO of Wartburg. “We are grateful to Burke Rehabilitation for bringing their nationally recognized, patient-centered care to our campus. This collaboration ensures that our residents and neighbors have direct access to cutting-edge therapy services right here in Mount Vernon.”

The 3,500-square-foot facility, located in Wartburg's Outpatient Building, includes an expansive therapy gym, private exam rooms, and treatment bays designed to provide one-on-one, personalized rehabilitation care. Once fully operational, the site is expected to serve approximately 15,000 patient visits annually and employ up to 10 therapists specializing in orthopedic and neurological recovery, among other diagnoses.

Speakers at the ribbon cutting included community leaders and healthcare executives, among them Philip O. Ozuah, MD, PhD, President and CEO of Montefiore Einstein; Ken Jenkins, Westchester County Executive; Shawyn Patterson-Howard, Mayor of Mount Vernon; and Danielle Browne, Mount Vernon City Council President. A citation was also presented by New York State Assemblyman Nader Sayegh in recognition of this important milestone.

For Wartburg, which has a proud history of delivering compassionate, holistic care for older adults and their families, the addition of Burke's outpatient therapy site further enriches the continuum of care available on its 34-acre campus.



“This opening represents a powerful extension of Wartburg’s mission,” added Dr. Gentner. “Together with Burke, we are meeting people where they are in their recovery journey and ensuring that they have the resources, expertise, and encouragement they need to thrive.”

The Mount Vernon outpatient therapy site, located at **1 Wartburg Place, Outpatient Building, 1st Floor**, will begin seeing patients in mid-October. It will be open Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM, and is fully accessible to the entire community.

About Wartburg

Nestled in Mount Vernon, NY, Wartburg stands apart with its holistic approach to senior living and healthcare. Unlike other adult communities, Wartburg offers a vibrant 34-acre campus where residents enjoy integrated services that extend well beyond typical care. Whether it is independent living, assisted living, rehabilitation or adult day care, Wartburg's continuum of care is designed to meet diverse needs with excellence. Their dedication to families extends beyond medical care, providing robust caregiver support at every stage. Recognized as one of the "Best Nursing Homes in New York State" by U.S. News & World Report for a remarkable thirteen years running, Wartburg continues to set the standard in senior care, fostering a community where well-being thrives. Wartburg’s most recent development, the Berkemeier Living Center, features 64 state-of-the-art residences for those living with Alzheimer’s Disease and related dementia. Each floor is designed as a small-scale household, providing an intimate and comfortable feel for the residents, staff, and families. Key planning elements such as short walking distances, oversized windows for increased natural light, and enhanced views are included in the design to help support a healing environment. Additionally, each household features its own living, dining and kitchen space, as well as gathering lounges. The ground floor includes an event space, music therapy and creative aging room.

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