Hancock Regional Hospital Consolidates, Automates Environmental Monitoring with Sonicu Enterprise

GREENFIELD, Ind. (July 25, 2016)– Hancock Regional Hospital, a full-service acute care hospital based in Greenfield, Indiana, has expanded its agreement for remote monitoring services provided by Sonicu, a leading provider of cloud-based environmental monitoring solutions.

The hospital signed a system-wide enterprise license with Sonicu that allows HRH to consolidate multiple existing Sonicu monitoring platforms under one agreement to leverage opportunities of scale for further expansion and hardware purchasing. Sonicu's sound management program will be used in hospital areas soon to improve patient experience.

Monitors Multiple Environments

Sonicu's automated monitoring, data logging and reporting systems have been used in a variety of HRH departments and applications. Sonicu currently monitors temperature and humidity at Hancock Surgery Center, in refrigerators and cold storage units throughout the HRH enterprise, including the hospital pharmacy, Sue Ann Wortman Cancer Care Center, and vaccine storage units at Hancock Physician Network off-site clinics. Sonicu also monitors MRI/imaging department power supplies at Hancock Health Center in McCordsville.

By automatically recording and sending temperature data to a cloud-based software platform, HRH can reclaim hours employees previously spent logging temperatures by hand.

"It becomes a challenge for hospitals when staff has to make rounds to log temperatures," said Sonicu Vice President of Sales Joe Mundell. "This allows staff to focus on patient safety and satisfaction."

Efficiencies, Improved Patient Experience

Sonicu sound monitoring will allow hospital staff to assess, manage, improve and then analyze and measure success in optimizing hospital noise levels, improving HCAHPS scores and patient outcomes.

"We're always looking for ways to improve our patient experience," said Steve Long, CEO, Hancock Regional Hospital. "Sonicu's technologies will help us do this and enable us to monitor temperatures, sound, humidity, and other environmental factors more efficiently."

Hancock Regional Hospital joins Hendricks Regional Health as the second suburban health organization to sign an enterprise-wide agreement with Sonicu.

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Hancock Regional Health

Founded in 1951 in Greenfield, Ind., Hancock Regional Hospital is a full-service, acute care hospital certified by the Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program. Today, with facilities also in Knightstown and McCordsville, the campus offers dozens of inpatient and outpatient services, including primary care, 24-hour emergency and critical care services, as well as obstetrics, bariatric, oncology, mental health, hospice, and home healthcare services.

Hancock Regional Hospital also has two Wellness Centers, an Accredited Chest Pain Center, and has been named a "Best Places to Work" by the Indiana Chamber of Commerce and Modern Healthcare Magazine.