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Ambulance Emergency

911

Clinic Appointments

276-2400

Hospital Information

276-3347

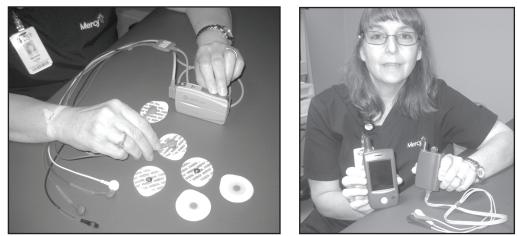
Community Resources

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Domestic Violence Help

276-2042 Hotline - 226-6424

HOME HEART MONITORS



Holter Monitor (left) and Cardionet Event Monitor (right) shown by Michele Lively, Registered Respiratory Therapist.

Holter Monitor: The therapist places electrodes that sense your heartbeat on the bony areas of your chest. The Holter Monitor, weighing only 2.5 ounces, fits in your pocket or attaches to your waist band. For the next 24 hours, while you go about your normal activities, the device records every heart beat. You write down the time of day and activity if you feel chest pain, shortness of breath, or irregular heartbeat. The system prints a report your doctor uses to diagnose heart rhythm problems.

Cardionet Event Monitor: If no irregular heart rhythms occur during the 24-hour test (above), the patient may switch to a Cardionet Event Monitor. This monitor analyzes heart activity for up to 30 days. Technicians gather daily readings from the device wirelessly and transmit them to your doctor.

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