

HAMPTONS, HEALTH

Stony Brook Southampton's Care, On Call

Essential emergency care across the East End keeps the community safe during the holidays.



The Stony Brook East Hampton Emergency Department. Photo courtesy of Andrew Rugge and Perkins Eastman

The holiday season is a time of joy and celebration, but it also brings unique challenges that make access to emergency care more critical than ever. The South Fork is fortunate to have two exceptional emergency departments. Stony Brook Southampton Hospital ED is a Level III Trauma Center and Primary Stroke Center with a state-of-the-art cardiac catheterization lab to diagnose and treat heart blockages. In late May, the new Stony Brook East Hampton Emergency Department opened and has since treated over 5,000 patients. Both facilities serve as vital lifelines for our community during this busy time of year.

With increased travel, festive gatherings and winter activities, the risk of accidents and health emergencies rises significantly. From slips and falls on icy sidewalks to injuries related to holiday decorations, and even seasonal illnesses such as the flu, emergencies can happen when least expected. Having two emergency departments on the South Fork means faster access to advanced diagnostics, lifesaving treatments and specialized care—whether you are in Montauk or Westhampton.



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Both Stony Brook Southampton Hospital and Stony Brook East Hampton Emergency Department operate 24/7, all year long and are fully staffed with highly skilled Stony Brook Medicine physicians, nurses and professional teams who are prepared to respond swiftly and effectively, providing peace of mind to residents and visitors alike. Their commitment ensures that no matter the circumstance—whether it's a child with a sudden fever, an accident on the road or an elderly family member experiencing chest pain—emergency care is nearby, because every second counts.

Here's to celebrating the holidays with confidence, knowing expert clinical care is just moments away.
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