



A Message from our Chair of Cardiovascular Services



In the fall of 2022, the Guthrie Cardiac and Vascular team formalized our commitment to quality care with a service line mission statement and vision for our future.

Critical to both is accessibility. In addition to convenient locations across Pennsylvania and New York, our recent efforts to open more appointments and expand virtual care mean our patients have even more options for care when and where they need it. For referring providers, we are accessible through a variety of

communications channels: Epic messaging, email, department phone, and often personal cell phone.

Looking forward, innovation will be necessary to further improve accessibility and make Guthrie the model of rural health care we strive to be. Health care at home and remote monitoring, including wearable devices such as smart watches, are just two ways we expect to meet patients where they are.

I am excited to work with a team that is enthusiastic about this work and about building relationships with our patients, our community and other health care professionals.

I am also excited to highlight a partner in this work: our new Chief of Cardiology Sudhakar Sattur, MD, MHSA. Dr. Sattur, a long-time interventional cardiologist here, brings bold ideas to his new role.

On the pages that follow you will see other cardiologists who, like Dr. Sattur, completed their fellowships at Guthrie. We are proud of this tradition of teaching and learning, and of our success in retaining these fellows as Guthrie physicians.

We are grateful for the opportunity to provide cardiac and vascular care to your patients, and we thank you for your continued support and collaboration.

Daniel P. Sporn, MD, FACC, MHA
Chair, Cardiovascular Services

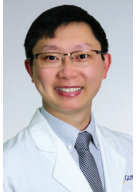
Our Mission: The Guthrie Cardiac and Vascular team is committed to helping our patients achieve life-long health through the prevention and treatment of cardiovascular disease. We do so by providing high-quality, innovative care that is accessible to all, in a welcoming environment that fosters collaboration and promotes learning.

Our Vision: Building upon our legacy as a leader in cardiovascular care, we will transform care delivery to become the model of rural heart and vascular care. We will achieve this in collaboration with patients, families and health care partners that share our values of teamwork, excellence and patient-centeredness.



What's New in Cardiovascular Services

Guthrie Cardiac and Vascular Services is excited to welcome two new physicians to the team.



Hao Yang, MD joined the cardiology team after completing his fellowship at Guthrie Robert Packer Hospital in 2022.

Dr. Yang completed his medical education at Indiana University School of Medicine in Indianapolis, Ind., and his residency in internal medicine at St. Vincent Hospital, also in Indianapolis. He is certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Yang recently became certified to prescribe CAMZYOS® (Mavacamten) as an alternative to surgery for some patients with symptomatic hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy (HOCM). This treatment is the first in its class and can improve symptoms of HOCM and patients' quality of life.

Dr. Yang sees patients in Sayre, Vestal and Owego.



Amber Hussain, DO joined the vascular surgery team in 2022.

Dr. Hussain completed her medical education at Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine in Erie, Pa., and her general surgery residency at Guthrie Robert Packer Hospital. She completed her fellowship in vascular surgery at Geisinger Medical Center in Danville, Pa. Dr. Hussain is certified in general surgery by the American Board of Surgery and is board eligible in vascular surgery. She is also a certified Registered Physician in Vascular Imaging (RPVI).

Dr. Hussain sees patients in Sayre and Big Flats.

Did you know?
Advances in valve replacement mean many of our TAVR patients go home the same day.

View provider profiles on www.Guthrie.org

Guthrie Cardiac and Vascular Services - By the Numbers

12-County Market Leader in Cardiovascular Care

Cardiovascular Services*

1460

EP Procedures

991

Vascular Procedures

614

Interventional Procedures

216

Cardiac Surgeries

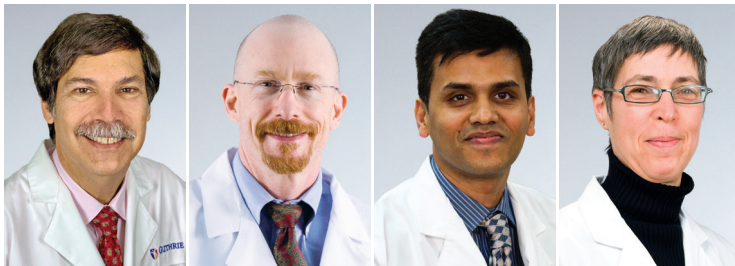
90

TAVR Procedures

57

Watchman Procedures

*Fiscal Year 2022



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Chair, Cardiovascular Services; Program Director, Cardiovascular Fellowship

Lawrence N. Sampson, MD, FACS
Chief, Vascular Surgery

Sudhakar Sattur, MD, MHSA
Chief, Cardiology; Associate Program Director, Cardiovascular Fellowship

Felice L. Reitknecht, MD
Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery

The Largest Cardiovascular Team in the Area

11

Fellowship-trained cardiologists

4

Fellowship-trained interventional cardiologists

3

Fellowship-trained cardiothoracic surgeons

4

Fellowship-trained vascular surgeons

18

Advanced Practice Providers

Referrals can be made in Epic, EpicCare Link or by calling **866-GUTHRIE (866-488-4743)**.

CARDIOLOGY

**E. Julius Aitseaomo, MD, FACC, FASE, FSCMR**

- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000
- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Michael J. DePersis, DO

- Owego – 607-687-6101
- Vestal – 607-798-1452

Vincent La Delia, MD, FACC

- Bath – Keuka Medical Commons – 607-776-3921
- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000

Benjamin McClintic, MD, FACC

- Ithaca – 607-257-5858

Najeeb Rehman, MD, MHA, FACC, FASE, FASNC

Director, Non-Invasive Cardiac Services

- Bath – Keuka Medical Commons – 607-776-3921
- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000

Saurabh Sharma, MD, FACC, FASE, FACP

Director, Cardiovascular Prevention and Lipid Clinic

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Venu Thirumurti, MD

- Bath – Keuka Medical Commons – 607-776-3921
- East Corning – 607-973-8000

Hao Yang, MD

- Owego – 607-687-6101
- Sayre – 570-887-2289
- Vestal – 607-798-1452

Jodi Bates, NP

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Julie Boersen, RN, MSN, FNP-BC

- Bath – Keuka Medical Commons – 607-776-3921
- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000
- Southport – 607-734-3929

Taylor Chesla, PA-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2289
- Towanda Pratt Avenue – 570-268-4713

Laura L. Crilley, FNP

- Wellsboro – 570-724-4241
- Troy – 570-297-4104

Marlyss DuBois, PA

- Guthrie Cortland Medical Center – 607-756-3561

CARDIOLOGY (cont.)

**Jennifer L. Hughey, MS, CRNP**

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Carla R. Mason, MS, ACNP-BC

- East Corning – 607-973-8000

Guy A. Rogers Jr., MPAS, PA-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

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- Guthrie Cortland Medical Center – 607-756-3561

Tracey Wilkerson, MSN, ANP-BC, NP-C

- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000

INTERVENTIONAL CARDIOLOGY

**Edo Kaluski, MD, FACC, FESC, FSCAI**

Director, Cardiac Catheterization Laboratories and Interventional Cardiology; Clinical Professor of Medicine, Rutgers, N.J. and the Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine, Pa.

- Sayre – 570-887-2289
- Wellsboro – 570-724-4241

Sudhakar Sattur, MD, MHSA

*Chief, Cardiology
Associate Program Director, Cardiovascular Fellowship*

- Sayre – 570-887-2289
- Towanda Pratt Avenue – 570-268-4713
- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000

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Chair, Cardiovascular Services; Program Director, Cardiovascular Fellowship

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Navin Kumar Subrayappa, MD, FACC, MRCP, FSCAI

- Troy – 570-297-4104

ELECTROPHYSIOLOGY

**Pramod M. Deshmukh, MD, FACC, MRCP**

Director, Electrophysiology

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Kathryn Oyer, NP

- Sayre – 570-887-2289

Mary A. Romanyshyn, MS, CRNP

- Corning Centerway – 607-973-8000
- Sayre – 570-887-2289

CARDIAC AND THORACIC SURGERY

**Christine McCarty, MD, FACS**

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Nathaniel McElhaney, MD

- Corning Centerway – 607-973-8000
- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Felice L. Reitknecht, MD

Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Emily Goble, PA-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Hannah Goble, PA-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Stephanie Lawson, AGNP-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

Richard W. Rockwell, PA-C

- Sayre – 570-887-2335

VASCULAR SURGERY

**Umashankar Ballehaninna, MD**

- Ithaca – 607-257-5858
- Sayre – 570-887-2848

Amber Hussain, DO

- Sayre – 570-887-2848
- Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services – 607-973-8000

Silviu C. Marica, MD, FACS

- Corning Centerway – 607-973-8000
- Sayre – 570-887-2848

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Amanda Cotton, BSN, RN, FNP-BC

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Lorena Wesneski, MS, RN, CRNP

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- Sayre – 570-887-2848

Did you know?

New generation minimally invasive options allow our vascular surgeons to treat aortic arch aneurysms high in the chest, maintaining perfusion to the neck and arm arteries.

One surgery with these branch vessel devices may eliminate the need for a second surgery, which is often required with more invasive surgical procedures.

CARDIOVASCULAR SERVICES LOCATIONS

Bath - Keuka Medical Commons
7603 State Route 54, Bath, NY 14810
607-776-3921

Big Flats Specialties and Rehabilitation Services
3344 Chambers Road, Horseheads, NY 14845
607-973-8000

Corning Centerway
130 Centerway, Corning, NY 14830
607-973-8000

East Corning
3 Guthrie Drive, Corning, NY 14830
607-973-8000

Guthrie Cortland Medical Center
134 Homer Ave., Cortland, NY 13045
607-756-3500

Ithaca
1780 Hanshaw Road, Ithaca, NY 14850
607-257-5858

Owego
1246 State Route 38, Owego, NY 13827
607-687-6101

Sayre
1 Guthrie Square, Sayre, PA 18840
570-888-5858

- **Cardiology, Interventional Cardiology, Electrophysiology** – 570-887-2289
- **Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery** – 570-887-2335
- **Vascular Surgery** – 570-887-2848

Southport
1336 Cedar Street, Elmira, NY 14904
607-734-3929

Towanda
37 Pratt Avenue, Towanda, PA 18848
570-268-4713

Troy
285 Guthrie Drive, Troy, PA 16947
570-297-4104

Vestal
2517 Vestal Parkway East, Vestal, NY 13850
607-798-1452

Wellsboro
110 Plaza Lane, Wellsboro, PA 16901
570-724-4241

Learn more about Guthrie's comprehensive Cardiovascular team at www.Guthrie.org



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Cardiovascular Clinical Trials www.GuthrieClinicalTrials.org

Title: EMPACT-MI: A Study to Test Whether Empagliflozin Can Lower the Risk of Heart Failure and Death in People Who Had a Heart Attack (Myocardial Infarction)

Diagnosis: Cardiac - Miscellaneous
Principal Investigator: Saurabh Sharma, MD, FACC, FASE, FACP

Sponsors: Boehringer Ingelheim Phar
Details (Identifier #): NCT04509674

Title: Study of Access Site for Enhancing PCI in STEMI for Seniors (SAFE PCI in STEMI for Seniors)

Diagnosis: Cardiac - Acute Coronary Syndrome

Principal Investigator: Sudhakar Sattur, MD, MHSA

Sub-Investigator(s):

- Edo Kaluski, MD, FACC, FESC, FSCAI
- Daniel P. Sporn, MD, FACC, MHA

Sponsors: DKDCRI

Details (Identifier #): NCT02939976

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GUTHRIE

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MISSION

Guthrie works with the communities we serve to help each person attain optimal, life-long health and well-being. We will do so by providing integrated, clinically-advanced services that prevent, diagnose, and treat disease, within an environment of compassion, learning, and discovery.

VISION

Improving Health through Clinical Excellence and Compassion; Every Patient. Every Time.

VALUES

Patient-Centeredness • Teamwork • Excellence