

Skilled Nursing
Swing Bed Program

We Want to Help You Regain Your Independence!

After receiving care in a hospital for an illness, stroke, injury or surgery, you may be on the road to recovery but still need some additional care before returning home. Skilled nursing is a level of hospitalization care for patients who require additional services beyond their hospital stay.

## What services are covered on your stay?

- Rehabilitation services following strokes and joint replacements (may include physical, occupational, or speech therapy)
- Instructions in ostomy or stoma care
- Tube feedings and nutrition stabilization
- · Care of decubitus ulcers
- Qualifying bowel and bladder care
- Respiratory therapy services
- IV medications or medications required monitoring by professional staff
- Wound management/sterile dressing changes

  NOTE: This is not an exhaustive list of all skilled nursing services. Contact us to determine if your needs are covered by your insurance.









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## Rehab and Recover at Adams Memorial Hospital

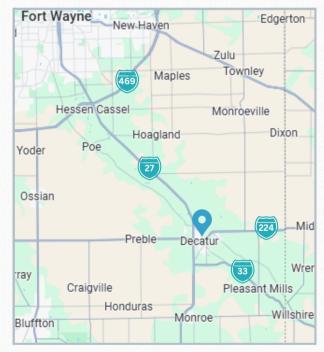


To serve the needs of patients in smaller communities, Medicare established the Swing Bed program. A swing bed is the term Medicare uses to describe a hospital room that can switch from acute care to skilled care. The actual bed does not change, what changes is the level of care that the patient in that room receives. If you are not on Medicare or a Medicare Advantage plan, you receive the same care, it is just called a skilled nursing stay.

At Adams Memorial Hospital, skilled nursing patients are cared for on the 2nd floor of the hospital by our staff of experienced health care professionals. If you are a patient coming from another facility, a discharge planner from that facility will assist in transferring you to Adams for skilled nursing services. In most cases, if you are already a patient at Adams and need additional care before you can safely go home, you can transition to skilled care and remain at Adams Memorial Hospital on the same floor.

As a skilled nursing patient at Adams, you will receive our high quality of care in a private room, with a better staff-to-patient ratio than larger hospitals or nursing homes.

Adams Memorial Hospital is located in Decatur, IN, approximately 23 miles south of Fort Wayne and not far from the neighboring cities of Ossian, Monroe, Berne and Bluffton.





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