

A ccording to the American College of Cardiology, if the heart is in distress for longer than 90 minutes, heart muscle and other organs can become damaged beyond repair. The great news is, the doctors at Cookeville Regional are now beating the national standard by 47 minutes by averaging only 43 minutes to stop a heart attack from the time the patient enters the hospital.

That's why our Heart and Vascular Center has been ranked #1 in Tennessee for Coronary Interventional Procedures for the past three years by Healthgrades® and why the Society of Chest Pain Centers has declared it the only level-three accredited chest pain center in the Upper Cumberland. And it's also why you can trust your heart to Cookeville Regional.

- The Upper Cumberland's only accredited chest pain center with PCI (percutaneous coronary intervention, commonly known as coronary angioplasty)
- Interventional cardiac catheterization (arteriogram, angioplasty, stents, pacemakers)
- Angiography services
- Open-heart surgery (including beating heart)
- Electrophysiology and arrhythmia treatments/procedures
- Valve repair and replacement surgery
- Vascular surgery (aortic aneurysm, carotid artery disease, peripheral artery disease)

- Robotics & minimally invasive heart surgery
- Implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation
- Code 37 team providing immediate care for heart attack patients
- Cardiac imaging services
- Cardiac rehabilitation program
- Cardiovascular Intensive Care Unit
- Cardiac Step-Down Unit
- Mended Hearts support group
- Preventative care

