



Established 1972

By and For the People of Love County

**Richard Barker,
Administrator**

Ambulance Emergency

911

Clinic Appointments

276-2400

Hospital Information

276-3347

Adult Day Center

276-1542

Community Resources

211

Domestic Violence Help

276-2042

Hotline - 226-6424

Growers Market

276-9410

Materials Management

This department is responsible for buying supplies and equipment. Sally Stephens, supervisor, orders for every department of the hospital, as well as for the clinic, ambulance, and adult day center.

Every material item used by the work force, except large furniture and large medical equipment, passes through her department on the way to its intended users.

In her supply room, she stocks manageable quantities of patient care supplies, such as gauze, dressings, bandages, sutures, IV set ups, orthopedic braces, slings, crutches, catheters, bed pans, gloves, intubation supplies, needles, and tubes.

"We don't keep much in storage. I order daily to meet special patient needs and several times per week on regular items," Stephens said.

Stephens' purchasing extends to cleaning and office supplies, dietary foods, and maintenance items. "I even supply the bags for the food pantry."

Most orders are fulfilled through Mercy Hospital, Ardmore. Our valued management agreement with Mercy Health System since 1998 allows the hospital to band together with other health care facilities on the bulk purchase of supplies and equipment.

Sally Stephens

Materials Management Supervisor

For the last 23 years, Sally Stephens has been buying and managing all materials Mercy Health/Love County uses except large furniture and large medical equipment.

Stephens joined the hospital in 1981 and was trained in physical therapy. She provided patient care for more than 10 years before moving to her current position.

"I like the fulfillment of working for the community and being of service to coworkers," Stephens said.



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