

Mercy Prescribes Security Screening for Its Emergency Departments to Ameliorate Clinical Staff Safety Concerns

Snapshot of Organization



LOCATION

Arkansas
Kansas
Missouri
Oklahoma

FOUNDED

1986 by Sisters of Mercy

SOLUTIONS

8 Evolv Express® Single-Lane Systems
Evolv Cortex AI®
Evolv Insights®

Goals



Help Clinical staff in Emergency Departments feel safe when delivering care



Create seamless security screening that does not impact the speed or quality of patient intake



Deploy a weapons screening solution compatible with gurneys, wheelchairs, and other emergency patient needs



Minimize friction of secondary checks by pinpointing the location of threats



Avoid excessive safety staff allocations and costs related to metal detectors and x-ray machines



Focus security screening technology on hospital entry points of the highest risk



Partner with a technology provider with a long-term security integration roadmap

Outcomes



Facilitates

A feeling of safety for Emergency Department staff, enabling them to focus on providing urgent care to patients



65%

Fewer resources needed to manage Express systems over traditional metal detectors



Improved

Weapons detection with a dozen weapons found in one backpack, as one example



Trained

Security staff to differentiate between weapons and wheelchairs, gurneys, and other mobility devices



Screened

Up to 1,000 patients, family members, visitors, and staff each day at select Emergency Departments



Rapid

Seamless deployment of Express systems at 8-plus Emergency Departments

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