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Dosher Reopens Elective Surgery, Diagnostic Testing

Southport – Dosher Memorial Hospital reopened elective surgical services and diagnostic testing on Monday, May 4.

Dosher had begun postponing non-essential surgeries on March 23rd to conserve the use of medical resources and personal protective equipment in light of the Coronavirus pandemic.

"The safety of our patients and staff have always come first," said Brad Hilaman, MD, Dosher Memorial Hospital CEO and Chief Medical Officer. "We have worked closely with local government agencies and healthcare systems since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure that we were all in the best position possible to meet the needs of our community. We will continue to closely monitor trends in our area so that we can reevaluate and modify our plans as necessary."

Dosher continues to take several additional safety precautions, which include visitor restrictions and screening of all hospital patients and guests.

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