Center Of Excellence
For Pectus
Barry E. LoSasso, M.D., F.A.C.S.

Things To Bring

Clothing
- Button up shirts
- Zip-Up hoodies
- Comfortable pants
- Comfortable slip-on shoes

Others
- Stuffed animals
- Small comfy blankets

Surgery Day Expectations

Day Before Surgery
- You will receive a phone call from the Operating Room giving you a set of detailed instructions about surgery day.
- Do not eat or drink 8 hours prior to surgery as directed during your phone call with the hospital

Day of Surgery
- Expect to arrive to the hospital approximately 2 hours prior to your scheduled surgery time
- Check in at the front desk and you will be taken to the Pre-Operative Waiting Area
- Meet the Operating Room staff:
  o Operating Room Nurse
  o Anesthesiologist
  o Neurophysiologist
  o Dr. Barry E. LoSasso
  o Allison S. Tan, PA-C
  
  - Staff will verify an appropriate number to contact your family member(s) so they can receive regular updates during the case
  - Leave all your belongings such as glasses, phones, clothes, etc. in one of our complimentary lockers or pass them off to your family member(s)

During Hospital Stay
- All meals are taken care of
- Members from each team (ICU/PICU, pain management, physical therapy, surgery) will be checking in each day