

PARTNERSHIP SUCCESS



Joint Ventures Provide Opportunities to Expand Access to Care

Acadia partnered with Ochsner Health System to consolidate and expand Ochsner's behavioral health services in the greater New Orleans, Louisiana, area. Acadia worked to redesign and convert an existing Ochsner long-term acute care facility into a new 82-bed behavioral health hospital treating adult patients. It currently serves as a regional referral facility for Ochsner's multi-city catchment area.

"The strategic partnership between Ochsner and Acadia Healthcare provides critically needed behavioral health services to the River Parishes. Repurposing the former site of River Parishes Hospital to the current state-of-the-art River Place Behavioral Health Unit was an innovative use of existing resources to create a collaborative regional referral center that provides vital assistance to patients in need of substance abuse and mental health treatment."

—Stephen Robinson Jr., Chief Executive Officer, Ochsner Medical Center – Kenner

