

# OUR TOWN

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## HACKENSACK UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER NORTH

The Emergency Room at Hackensack University Medical Center North at Pascack Valley officially opened on October 1 in an effort to restore quality healthcare to the Pascack Valley Region. In addition, a rally was held on October 13 to protest the injunction against the opening of the remainder of the facility that was brought forth by Englewood and Valley Hospitals. According to Mr. Ferguson, CEO of HUMC, they are fighting to have only the emergency room remain open, but keep the remainder of the location closed. The rally was held to bring attention to the people who are affected by this injunction and live in the Pascack Valley Region of Bergen County. Ferguson, (pictured above), is urging people to support the opening of the new facility and assuring people that HUMC will not quit the fight to have the facility running at full capacity, which will ensure quality health-care within a life-saving time frame.

(Photo by OT)