

California Cardiac Care Hospital Embraces InfraStruXure's® Seismic-Friendly Form Factor

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"The Fresno Heart Hospital specializes in all areas of cardiovascular care, including disease prevention, education, diagnostics, treatment and surgery. Our primary focus is attending to the cardiac and vascular needs of our patients. This all-private room facility has 60 beds, with a 12-bed intensive care unit and 48 private patient rooms. Our data center consists of approximately 40 servers.

Protected Systems on Solid Ground

"The Fresno Heart Hospital is a brand-new facility. We wanted to ensure that our systems were protected by state-of-the-art equipment. We have been familiar with APC's Legendary Reliability™ for years and recognize APC as a market leader in power protection.

"In seeking a data center power protection solution, form factor was a key aspect of our decision making criteria. We evaluated numerous solutions, and found that the APC InfraStruXure® had a long list of positives – and no negatives.

"With InfraStruXure, we didn't have to build a special room or designate floor space for a large 3-phase unit. The easy manageability, via the InfraStruXure Manager tool, lets us remotely monitor the system from a Web interface, saving hours of labor. Also, we saved considerable expense because of InfraStruXure's self maintenance – we don't have to bring in electricians and service people to swap power and battery modules. We can do it ourselves in a matter of seconds.

"We are located in Fresno, California, and are required to meet state-mandated seismic standards. The 19-inch rack that houses the APC InfraStruXure and the intelligent power management tools inherent in the system were perfect for us in this regard.

High Reliability Eases Management Burden

"Since installation, we have experienced a number of power events and the InfraStruXure has performed flawlessly in each case. Now, thanks to the reliability of the InfraStruXure solution, our department can focus on systems implementation and support rather than having to deal with the uncertainty of power.

"The APC customer support for the InfraStruXure has also been tremendous. Our requests for support have been handled quickly, and in a professional manner."

