

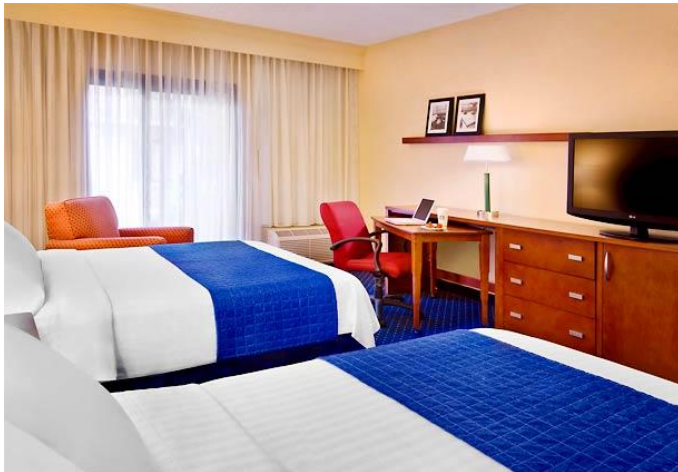
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Courtyard Philadelphia Devon Completes Major Remodel Of Guest Rooms, Suites

*Restyled rooms at the Wayne, PA, hotel now feature new bedding and furniture,
completing overhaul of facility*

Wayne, PA – The [Courtyard Philadelphia Devon](#) near the birthplace of American has undergone a rebirth of its own with the completion of the final phase of its major remodel.

The Wayne, PA, hotel has just wrapped up \$900,000 in renovations to its [137 rooms and 12 suites](#) as part of Marriott's commitment to provide comfortable and flexible areas for



guests to eat, drink, work, socialize and sleep. A reimagined lobby that included the addition of The Bistro – Eat. Drink. Connect. and facelifts to the fitness center and meeting rooms were part of an \$850,000 project back in 2010.

Visitors to one of the newest refurbished hotels near Villanova University will have the freedom to relax in style as they lounge on new thicker mattresses topped with cotton-rich linens and plenty of fluffy pillows. Fresh carpets,

draperies and wall vinyl complement the ambiance created with new no-glare lighting. The addition of contemporary spacious desks and ergonomic chairs are perfect to keep business professionals on task, while comfy new oversized chairs and ottomans provide an ideal place for leisure travelers to chill while watching their favorite shows. Complimentary high-speed Internet access, in-room coffeemakers, irons and ironing boards, hairdryers and mini-refrigerators as well as granite countertops, curved shower curtain rods and Paul Mitchell products in bathrooms are among other amenities guests will enjoy at the refreshed hotel in Devon.

The now fully renovated Courtyard in Wayne mirrors others in the chain with its spacious reimagined lobby that houses [The Bistro](#) restaurant, strategically placed media pods with flat-screen TVs, a Boarding Pass Station with computers and printers and nontraditional welcome pods where prompt and friendly staff members can provide guests with one-on-one attention during the check-in and check-out processes. The casual café-style restaurant has helped raise the standard for dining with menus featuring seasonal fruits, burgers, pizzas, salads and sandwiches made from the freshest ingredients.

Comfortable seating throughout the space can be found at a large communal table, where families or small groups of business travelers can gather for a hearty breakfast or dinner, and at the bar, where guests can sip on freshly brewed Starbucks drinks, a number of craft, domestic and imported beers and custom-ordered cocktails shaken or stirred by a friendly bartender.

The space also features a 52-inch interactive GoBoard where travelers can find current weather conditions, get directions to the famous King of Prussia Mall or historic Valley Forge National Park, seek the latest flight information and statuses at Philadelphia International Airport and check out the day's news and sports scores all with a few light touches.

Other remodel highlights worth bragging about include new carpets, vinyl surfaces and furniture in the Wayne, PA, hotel's two meeting rooms as well as upgrades to the state-of-the-art fitness center with Precor cardio equipment featuring individual TV monitors.

About the Courtyard Philadelphia Devon

The Courtyard Philadelphia Devon is near Villanova University, Valley Forge Convention Center and King of Prussia Mall and convenient to the SEPTA regional rail line. The newly remodeled Wayne, PA, hotel features Marriott's reimagined lobby concept with The Bistro restaurant and separate nooks for casual and business travelers. With 149 freshly rejuvenated rooms and suites, the hotel also boasts two meeting rooms with 1,250 square feet of flexible meeting space, a state-of-the-art fitness center and indoor pool. For information, visit www.marriott.com/PHLDV.

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