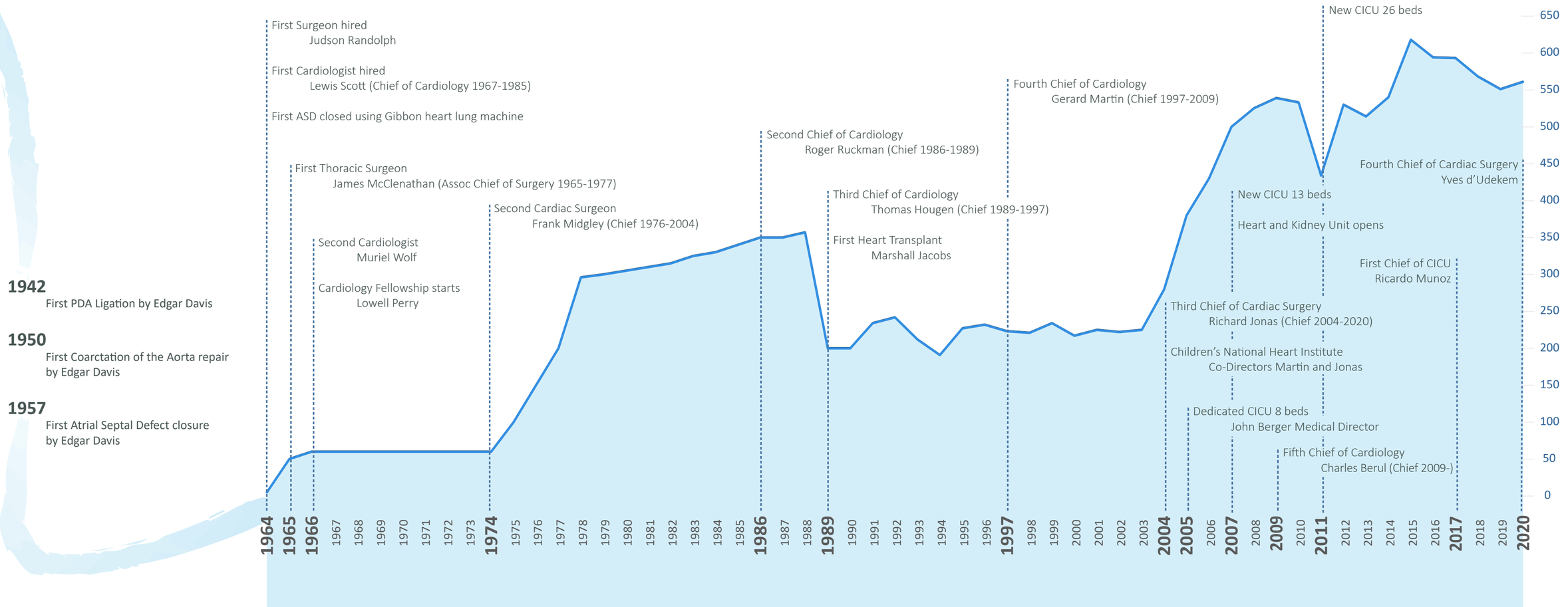
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First PDA Ligation by Edgar Davis
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First Coarctation of the Aorta repair by Edgar Davis
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First Atrial Septal Defect closure by Edgar Davis
First Surgeon hired
Judson Randolph
First Cardiologist hired
Lewis Scott (Chief of Cardiology 1967-1985)
First ASD closed using Gibbon heart lung machine
First Thoracic Surgeon
James McClenathan (Assoc Chief of Surgery 1965-1977)
Second Cardiologist
Muriel Wolf
Cardiology Fellowship starts
Lowell Perry
Second Cardiac Surgeon
Frank Midgley (Chief 1976-2004)
Second Chief of Cardiology
Roger Ruckman (Chief 1986-1989)
Third Chief of Cardiology
Thomas Hougen (Chief 1989-1997)
First Heart Transplant
Marshall Jacobs
Fourth Chief of Cardiology
Gerard Martin (Chief 1997-2009)
New CICU 26 beds
Fourth Chief of Cardiac Surgery
Yves d'Udekem
New CICU 13 beds
Heart and Kidney Unit opens
First Chief of CICU
Ricardo Munoz
Third Chief of Cardiac Surgery
Richard Jonas (Chief 2004-2020)
Children's National Heart Institute
Co-Directors Martin and Jonas
Dedicated CICU 8 beds
John Berger Medical Director
Fifth Chief of Cardiology
Charles Berul (Chief 2009-)
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