



UNIVERSITY of MARYLAND ST. JOSEPH MEDICAL CENTER

FACTS

Located in the suburban community of Towson in Baltimore County, University of Maryland St. Joseph Medical Center has a rich history of providing loving service and compassionate care since its founding in 1864 by the Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia. Its Catholic heritage ever-present, the medical center today boasts a wide range of superb clinical programs and centers of excellence, including the Cancer, Heart and Orthopaedic Institutes, Women and Children's services and Emergency Medicine.

HIGHLIGHTS

Certified as a **Primary Stroke Center**, with Bronze, Silver, and Silver Plus Performance Achievement Awards from the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association's Get with the Guidelines Program (Stroke).

Designated a **Cardiac Interventional Center** and an **EMS Base Station** by the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS).

Consistently ranked among the highest of any Maryland hospital for **maternity patient satisfaction**, according to the Maryland Hospital Performance Evaluation Guide, through the Maryland Health Care Commission.

Offers **24-hour hospitalist coverage** in critical care, general medicine, obstetrics/gynecology, pediatrics and surgery.

Patients in need of cardiac surgery benefit from a **joint Division of Cardiac Surgery at UM SJMC and the University of Maryland Medical Center — one program, two locations**. This service brings the most advanced options and lifesaving research to more patients than ever.

UM SJMC has earned the highest possible **3-Star quality rating for Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting Surgery** by the Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS).

In 2018, **UM SJMC ranked No. 17** in the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Top 20 Hip and Knee Surgery Hospitals in the US.



QUICK NUMBERS

- 218** Total Licensed Beds
 - 37 Critical Care Beds
 - 18 Psychiatric Beds
- 551** Physicians
- 2,517** Employees

FY 2018 FIGURES

- 16,977** Total Admissions
- 33,195** Emergency Visits
- 119,675** Outpatient Visits
- 10,991** Surgery Cases





CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE

The **Heart Institute** is a state-of-the-art, centralized service that provides a continuum of cardiac care, including open heart surgery, TAVR OR, a cardiac surgery unit, an all-digital Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory, Cardiographics (featuring ICAEL-accredited echocardiography), Electrophysiology Lab, Nuclear Medicine, 20-bed cardiac unit, hospital-wide monitoring capabilities and a cardiovascular fitness program. The STEMI LifeNet system installed in Baltimore County ambulances transmits cardiac information directly to UM St. Joseph's ER so that emergency staff and cardiologists are ready for patients prior to their arrival.

The **Cancer Institute** features a patient-centered, multidisciplinary approach under one roof with a large, sunny infusion center, radiation oncology services and the Breast Center, accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Cancer. A full range of clinical trials and psychosocial support services are available. The institute includes specialists in urologic oncology, thoracic oncology, colorectal oncology (including ostomy care), orthopaedic oncology, radiation oncology and hepatobiliary oncology. The Cancer Institute's affiliation with the University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Comprehensive Cancer Center affords patients access to clinical trials and specialists at the National Cancer Institute-designated cancer center in Baltimore.

The **Orthopaedic Institute** has been named one of the nation's top orthopaedic facilities by *U.S. News & World Report* and designated a Blue Distinction Center for Hip and Knee and Spine surgery by CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield. It specializes in pain management and rapid rehabilitation following joint replacement. The institute includes the Scoliosis and Spine Center, the Spine Research Lab and a 50-bed Orthopaedic Unit, and offers sports medicine, joint replacement, spine surgery, complex disc replacement surgery, upper extremity and foot and ankle surgery, and orthopaedic oncology in concert with the Cancer Institute.

The **Family Childbirth Center** provides comprehensive, family-oriented care and includes nine labor, delivery and recovery (LDR) suites with an obstetric anesthesiologist available at all times; the Mother/Baby Suite of 20 private postpartum rooms with a hotel-like atmosphere; full-term nursery and Level III-plus Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU). Services include certified nurse midwives, lactation

consultants, a Warm-Line to support breastfeeding and a wide range of family education classes. The Perinatal Center offers obstetrical services for patients with high-risk factors such as diabetes or kidney disease, multiple pregnancies and advanced maternal age; obstetric ultrasound in an AIUM-accredited practice; genetic counseling; prenatal diagnosis; and testing for fetal well-being for pregnancies with complications.

The **Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Emergency Department** is staffed by specially trained physicians and nurses, and includes Pediatrics After Hours Emergency Care, staffed by pediatricians and pediatric nurses who offer expert care to children when their own pediatricians are not available, noon to midnight, seven days a week.

OTHER SERVICES

- The **Nutrition and Diabetes Management Center** provides a Diabetes Self-Management Program certified by the American Diabetes Association, a monthly support group, gestational diabetes services, nutrition counseling and community outreach.
- The **Wound and Ostomy Center** provides inpatient and outpatient care for non-healing chronic wounds, as well as patients with colostomies, ileostomies and urinary diversions.
- The **Community Health Department** provides education and outreach to enhance quality of life for individuals and the community at all stages through classes and programs on a variety of health topics, sometimes in partnership with local groups.
- **Spiritual Care Department** All religious traditions are held sacred, and chaplains on the ecumenical staff visit patients on a regular basis to provide spiritual care to them and their families, as well as to fellow staff. The Cardinal William H. Keeler Spiritual Care Center includes a chapel, meditation garden and interfaith prayer room.