

PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center, Clark County

Vancouver-based PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center and Medical Group: Vancouver provide comprehensive specialty care for more than 280,000 patients annually in southwest Washington. One of Clark County's largest employers, PeaceHealth Southwest offers dozens of medical specialty services and programs.



Overview

Service Area: PeaceHealth Southwest serves the Columbia-Willamette area of Oregon and Washington, with Clark County being its primary service area.

Facts and Figures (July 2019 to June 2020)

Total Licensed Beds	450
Average Daily Census	224
Average Length of Stay	4.65 days
Employees	3,288
Active Medical Staff	164
Inpatient Discharges	17,653
Outpatient Clinic Visits	283,293
Births	1,816
Surgeries	10,909
ED Visits	69,929

Major Medical Services

- Advanced Heart & Vascular Care
- Level II Trauma Center
- Modern Birthing Center, capabilities for high-risk pregnancies
- Outpatient Surgery Centers
- Cyberknife® Centers dedicated to treating brain, spine and other tumors
- Nationally-Certified Stroke Center
- Kearney Breast Center, Advanced Imaging Services, 3D Mammography
- Joint Replacement
- Neurosciences Center
- Cancer Care



Accreditations and Accomplishments

- ★ **Quality & Safety** – 2021, Medicare 3-star overall rating (out of 5) on a variety of patient care, patient experience and quality criteria
- ★ **Quality & Safety** – 2021, 'A' Leapfrog Hospital Grades rating for overall quality and safety
- ★ **Stroke Program** – Level II Stroke Center certification and recipient of the American Heart Association's 2020 Get With The Guidelines® – Stroke Gold Plus Quality Achievement Award and Target: Stroke Elite Honor Roll recognition for high standard of stroke care
- ★ **Breast Imaging** – Accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers and the American College of Radiology as a Breast Imaging Center of Excellence
- ★ **Heart and Vascular Center** – Accredited non-invasive vascular and echocardiography lab along with a Center of Excellence for Atrial Fibrillation; accredited with Cardiac Nuclear stress testing by Intersocietal Accreditation Commission
- ★ **Cardiopulmonary Rehab** – Accredited by American Association of Cardiovascular & Pulmonary Rehabilitation; Level 1 STEMI certification
- ★ **Newborn Care** – Baby Friendly certification, a global program sponsored by the World Health Organization and United Nations Children's Fund
- ★ **Inpatient Rehabilitation** – Accredited by the American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation



Community Health

Learn more about the community health of Clark County in our [2019-2022 Community Health Needs Assessment](#)

History



As the region's healthcare leader and steward for more than 160 years, PeaceHealth Southwest is a community-governed, nonprofit organization established as the first permanent hospital in the Northwest Territories in 1858 by Sister Mother Joseph from the Sisters of Providence.

Geography



Vancouver is a city on the north bank of the Columbia River and the largest suburb of Portland, Oregon. It is the fourth largest city in Washington state, and forms part of the Portland-Vancouver metropolitan area.