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CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

LOS ANGELES

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RANKING
#5 PEDIATRIC HOSPITAL
 IN THE U.S.



RANKING
#1 PEDIATRIC HOSPITAL
 IN CALIFORNIA & WESTERN U.S.



ELITE
NAMED HONOR ROLL
 FOR MORE THAN A DECADE

OVERVIEW

Founded in 1901, Children's Hospital Los Angeles is the top-ranked freestanding children's hospital on the West Coast and No. 5 in the nation for clinical excellence according to the prestigious U.S. News & World Report Honor Roll of Best Children's Hospitals. Clinical care is led by physician specialists who are faculty members of the Keck School of Medicine of USC through an affiliation since 1932. With more than 350 pediatric specialty programs and services and among the top 10 children's hospitals for National Institutes of Health funding, CHLA leads the field in innovative bench-to-bedside basic, translational and clinical research in pediatrics. CHLA cares for patients across six continents and more than 90 countries, improving the health and well-being of children and their families far beyond U.S. borders.

The hospital's Center for Global Health supports patients and families traveling from around the world to their top pediatric academic medical center for specialty and complex care needs during their entire care journey, from initial inquiries to appointments and follow-ups, all the way through to their return to their home countries. CHLA's experienced team serves as the single point of contact for international patient families to seamlessly access the hospital and navigate all aspects of their health care experience. The Global Health team helps to facilitate comprehensive, culturally sensitive care and is dedicated to supporting the unique needs of international patients and families. CHLA understands that if a child has a serious health issue, their family will go anywhere to get the best care. The Center for Global Health exists to help make Children's Hospital Los Angeles a home away from home.

U.S.-U.A.E. PARTNERSHIPS

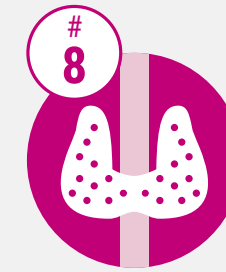
CHLA's relationships with the U.A.E. health and diplomatic institutions in the US and in the UAE are numerous, long-standing, and very strong. Since 1992, CHLA has cared for patients from the U.A.E. CHLA is the referral destination for pediatric patients in the Western US coming through the UAE Consulate.

CHLA maintains long-lasting, mutually beneficial relationships with all the Health Offices at the U.A.E. Embassy in Washington DC, including the Ambassador's Office, the Dubai Health Office, the Abu Dhabi Health Authority, the Military Attaché's Health Office, and the Abu Dhabi Ministry of Interior Health Section.

CHLA also consistently participates several Arab Health Events in Dubai.

TOP 5 IN THE U.S.

NEONATOLOGY



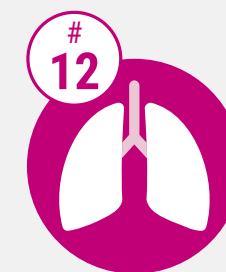
DIABETES & ENDOCRINOLOGY

CARDIOLOGY & HEART SURGERY



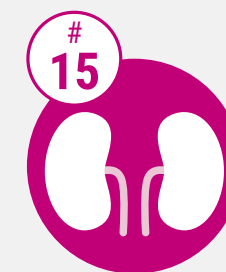
NEUROLOGY & NEUROSURGERY

ORTHOPEDICS



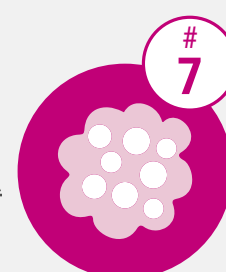
PULMONOLOGY & LUNG SURGERY

GASTROENTEROLOGY & GI SURGERY



NEPHROLOGY

CANCER



UROLOGY



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FIELDS OF CLINICAL EXPERTISE



CANCER AND BLOOD DISEASE INSTITUTE



GASTROENTEROLOGY, HEPATOLOGY & NUTRITION



HEART INSTITUTE



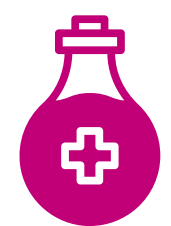
NEUROLOGICAL INSTITUTE



CHILDREN'S ORTHOPAEDIC CENTER



FETAL AND NEONATAL INSTITUTE



CENTER FOR PERSONALIZED MEDICINE



MEDICAL GENETICS



PEDIATRIC REHABILITATION MEDICINE



PEDIATRIC TRANSPLANT

CLINICAL NEWS



THE WALL STREET JOURNAL COVERS BREAKTHROUGH CANCER TREATMENT AT CHLA

The Cancer and Blood Disease Institute was prominently featured in The Wall Street Journal, highlighting leading-edge care that saved 3-year-old patient Michelle. The OncoKids® cancer panel, developed by CHLA's Center for Personalized Medicine, found that the tumor wrapped around her neck was caused by a rare gene fusion. This discovery permitted Michelle to be enrolled in a clinical trial overseen by Leo Mascarenhas, MD, MS, Deputy Director of the CBDI and Section Head of Oncology. Today, Michelle is happy, healthy and shows no signs of residual disease.

<https://www.wsj.com/articles/new-cancer-drugs-aim-to-offer-alternatives-to-chemo-11551284726>



HIP-PRESERVATION SURGERY RESTORES GYMNAST'S DREAMS

Rachel Goldstein, MD, MPH, Director of the Hip Preservation Program with the Children's Orthopaedic Center, is one of only a handful of surgeons in the United States trained to perform a hip-saving surgery called periacetabular osteotomy. KABC shared 17-year-old gymnast Katelyn's journey back to the beam and uneven bars thanks to Dr. Goldstein.

<https://abc7.com/hip-displaysia-surgery-pain-sharp-near/5642919/>



CHLA PIONEERS EARLY INTERVENTION SURGERY FOR CLEFT LIP AND PALATE

KTLA covered a groundbreaking surgery performed by Jeffrey Hammoudeh, MD, DDS, from the Division of Plastic and Maxillofacial Surgery, on 14-day-old Sebastian. The procedure, available only at CHLA, permits earlier surgical interventions for children born with cleft lip and palate.

<https://ktla.com/news/local-news/14-day-old-baby-undergoes-pioneering-procedure-to-fix-cleft-lip-at-chla/>



CBS NEWS BROADCASTS HEARTWARMING LIVER TRANSPLANT STORY

A feel-good story for the holidays, 10-month-old Jacob received a life-saving liver transplant from a complete stranger. CBS News spoke with Jacob's surgeon Dr. Yuri Genyk, MD, Chief of Abdominal Transplantation, and aired the family and donor's first emotional meeting. This was CHLA's 400th liver transplant, a milestone reached by only 10% of U.S. hospitals.

<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/10-month-old-baby-life-saving-liver-transplant-stranger/>



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MIDDLE EAST NAVIGATORS

Arabic-speaking Middle East navigators serve as the single point-of-contact for Middle East patients and families. Provide dedicated 24/7 concierge support:



Assist patients and families navigate Los Angeles and CHLA



Intervene to expedite clinical and administrative processes, as appropriate



Facilitate expedited access & scheduling



Arrange housing, transportation and other support services, as requested



Accompany patients & families to all appointments, inpatient admissions & discharges



Coordinate all end-of-life arrangements for families



Advocate on behalf of the patients & families based on their goals & expectations

Personal cell phone numbers of Middle East navigators are provided to all Middle East patients upon arrival to the U.S.

SUMMARY

Ranked **No. 5 nationally** and **No. 1 in California and in the Western U.S.** on the U.S. News & World Report

Consistently recognized for **top patient experience scores** for inpatient care

The **most cost-effective children's hospital** with the **lowest adjusted ALOS** among its U.S. News & World Report Honor Roll peers

Superior clinical outcomes and **value-based pricing**

Among the **top NIH-funded** children's hospitals offering more than **450 active clinical trials**

Dedicated international team serving as the **concierge team and single point-of-contact** for our international patients & families

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VIDEOS

CHLA CAPABILITIES

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=olap4_cNRRc





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