



**Children's National®**

## At A Glance 2017



### About Children's National

Children's National Health System, based in Washington, D.C., has been serving the nation's children since 1870. Children's National is #1 for babies and ranked in every specialty evaluated by *U.S. News & World Report* including placement in the top 10 for: Cancer (#7), Neurology and Neurosurgery (#9) Orthopedics (#9) and Nephrology (#10). Children's National has been designated two times as a Magnet® hospital, a designation given to hospitals that demonstrate the highest standards of nursing and patient care delivery. This pediatric academic health system offers expert care through a convenient, community-based primary care network and specialty outpatient centers. Home to the Children's Research Institute and the Sheikh Zayed Institute for Pediatric Surgical Innovation, Children's National is one of the nation's top NIH-funded pediatric institutions. Children's National is recognized for its expertise and innovation in pediatric care and as a strong voice for children through advocacy at the local, regional and national levels.

### Components of Children's National:

- The Sheikh Zayed Campus for Advanced Children's Medicine features an acute care hospital with 313 beds; a Level I pediatric trauma center, which serves three states; and a critical care transport program via ambulance, helicopter and fixed-wing airplane
- Seven outpatient centers that provide specialty care around the region, including an Ambulatory Surgery Center
- Children's National Specialists of Virginia, LLC, a private, physician office-based practice affiliated with Children's National
- Pediatric Specialists of Virginia, LLC, a joint physician practice with Inova Health System to enhance access to specialty care for children in Northern Virginia
- A primary care network that includes health centers within the District of Columbia and Children's Pediatricians & Associates (CP&A) throughout Maryland and the District of Columbia
- Children's National Health Network with 1,400 affiliated pediatricians
- Children's Research Institute, a leader in basic and clinical research programs
- Two large emergency departments, located at the main campus and on the United Medical Center campus
- Other programs that focus on school health services, mobile health services, community partnerships and safety campaigns

ANNUAL HOSPITAL  
ADMISSIONS

**14,895**



## Care

Average length of stay ..... **6.3 days**

Number of unique patients ..... **218,958**

Patients from Washington, D.C. .... 25.7%

Patients from Maryland ..... 55.62%

Patients from Virginia. .... 15.62%

Other patients ..... 3.06%



**2,010**  
**21**

PATIENTS FROM  
COUNTRIES AROUND THE  
WORLD SOUGHT CARE AT  
CHILDREN'S NATIONAL  
THROUGH THE GLOBAL  
SERVICES PROGRAM.

TOTAL  
OUTPATIENT VISITS  
**450,080**

**77,117** visits to off-campus outpatient clinics

**137,192** visits to on-campus outpatient clinics

**103,823** visits to Children's Health Centers

**120,484** visits to Emergency department

**11,464** visits to Children's National Specialists of Virginia, LLC

LABORATORY  
TESTS  
PERFORMED

**1,140,585**



DIAGNOSTIC  
IMAGING PROCEDURES  
PERFORMED

**123,554**



SURGICAL  
CASES PERFORMED

**16,718**

Sheikh Zayed Campus for Advanced Children's Medicine **14,507**

Ambulatory Surgery Center in Montgomery County **2,211**

IN 2015  
CHILDREN'S NATIONAL  
PROVIDED  
**\$108,011,207**  
IN COMMUNITY BENEFIT.

MORE THAN  
**97,000** HOURS  
OF SERVICE DONATED  
BY **1,331**  
VOLUNTEERS.

IN 2015,  
CHILDREN'S NATIONAL  
PROVIDED  
**\$63,684,706**  
IN UNCOMPENSATED  
CARE



EMPLOYEES  
**6,647**

Nurses ..... 1,746

Physicians (including faculty  
and clinical associates). .... 574

Physicians in training. .... 275

Other ..... 4,052

FTEs (full time equivalents). 5,849

Employees by work state at a  
Children's National site

D.C. .... 5,825

MD ..... 754

VA ..... 68\*

Employees home state

D.C. .... 1,602

MD ..... 3,928

VA ..... 976

Other ..... 141

\*Children's National employed an additional 274 employees as a part of Pediatric Specialists of Virginia, LLC

## Research

There are more than 1,100 active clinical research projects conducted at Children's National.

More than 66.84 percent of Children's research funding comes from federal agencies, including 54.67 percent from the National Institutes of Health (NIH). Children's is ranked seventh in the country for NIH pediatric funding.

Children's researchers are investigating a multitude of pediatric diseases and novel treatments, including:

ADHD	Inborn errors of metabolism
Airway and lung diseases	Infectious disease
Asthma	Inflammatory disease
Autism	Intellectual and developmental disabilities
Bleeding disorders	Mental health
Brain and spinal cord injuries and protection	Muscular dystrophies
Childhood cancer, including blood, kidney and brain tumors	Neurofibromatosis
Cerebral palsy	Obesity and type 2 diabetes
Congenital heart disease	Pain medicine
Drug and device development	Renal disease
Epilepsy	Renal tumors
Fetal medicine	Sickle cell disease
HIV/AIDS	Stem cell transplantation
Immune therapy	Traumatic brain injury
	Urea cycle disorders

## Education

Clinical training is provided to 120 pediatric residents and 170 fellows and other graduate trainees each year.

Every year, pediatric training is provided for approximately 186 third-year medical students from the George Washington University (GW), 120 third-year medical students from Howard University and 200 fourth-year students from GW and other medical schools.

*(Most facts and statistics on these pages are based on Fiscal Year 2016; community benefit and uncompensated care are calculated from Fiscal Year 2015.)*

ACTIVE  
CLINICAL RESEARCH  
PROJECTS

1,100



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165

SCHOOL BASED  
NURSES



## Advocacy and Community

**Safe Kids Worldwide**, launched by Children's National in 1987, works to prevent accidental childhood injury, the leading cause of death in children 14 years and younger, through a global network of organizations. Our local coalition, Safe Kids District of Columbia, has performed a total of 972 car seat inspections in fiscal year 2016.

**The Child Health Advocacy Institute (CHAI)**, launched at Children's National 10 years ago, focuses on child-centered policies and works to address community health needs including mental health and health literacy. In partnership with community organizations, government agencies and individuals, CHAI supported over 90 programs and activities in fiscal year 2015, providing more than \$100 million in community benefit.

**Children's School Services (CSS)** provides the operational oversight and management of school nursing services in the District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS) and DC Public Charter Schools (DCPCS), with oversight from the District of Columbia Department of Health. The 165 school-based nurses in the Children's School Services Program (CSS) had more than 482,607 health encounters with District of Columbia public school and charter students during the 2015-2016 school year.

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## Clinical Specialties and Programs

### Adolescent and Young Adult Medicine

### Allergy and Immunology

### Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders •

- Blood and Marrow Transplant
- Hematology
- Oncology

### Children's National Heart Institute

- Cardiac Anesthesiology
- Cardiac Critical Care
- Cardiology
- Cardiac Surgery

### Children's Pediatricians & Associates (CP&A)

### Child and Adolescent Protection

### Complex Care Program

### Critical Care Medicine

### Dermatology

### Diagnostic Imaging and Radiology

### Ear, Nose, and Throat (Otolaryngology)

### Emergency Medicine and Trauma Services

### Endocrinology and Diabetes

### Ethics Program

### Fetal Medicine Institute

### General Pediatrics

- Children's Health Centers
- Healthy Generations Program
- Mobile Health Program

### Hospitalist Medicine

### Infectious Disease

### Laboratory Medicine

### Neonatology •

### Nephrology •

### Neurofibromatosis Institute

### Center for Neuroscience and Behavioral Medicine •

- Brain Tumor Institute (Neuro-Oncology Program)
- Epilepsy, Neurophysiology, and Critical Care Neurology
- Genetics and Metabolism
- Hearing and Speech
- Neurodevelopmental Pediatrics
- Neurogenetics
- Neurology
- Neuropsychology
- Neurosurgery
- Respiratory Care Services
- Spina Bifida/Spinal Defects Program

### Obesity Institute

- IDEAL Clinic
- Weight-Loss Surgery Program (Bariatric Surgery)

### Oral Health

### Pathology

### Pharmacy

### Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

### Psychology and Behavioral Health

### Pulmonary Medicine

### Rehabilitation Medicine

### Rheumatology

### Sleep Medicine

### Joseph E. Robert Jr. Center for Surgical Care

- Anesthesiology, Pain, and Perioperative Medicine
- Craniofacial Program
- Ear, Nose, and Throat
- Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopaedic Surgery and Sports Medicine •
- Pain Medicine Care Complex
- Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
- Surgery, General and Thoracic
- Trauma and Burn Surgery
- Urology

### Transport Medicine



• Denotes specialty is top-ranked nationally by *U.S. News & World Report*

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