

DALLAS KEY FACTS 2023

# our mission: make life better for children

Since our humble beginnings in 1913 as a “baby camp,” we have had a long-standing commitment to our community that includes not only high-quality patient care but also advocacy, education and preventive care with an unwavering focus on our mission. More than 110 years later, Children’s Health<sup>SM</sup> has grown to become the only academic health care system in North Texas dedicated exclusively to the care of children from birth to adulthood through our 60-year affiliation with a world-class medical school and research institute at UT Southwestern.

Children and families facing complex medical conditions travel from all over the world to visit our Dallas campus, which includes Children’s Medical Center Dallas, one of the top pediatric hospitals in the nation.



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## industry recognition



Ranked in all 10 pediatric specialties for the sixth year in a row



Designated as a Magnet facility for quality patient care, nursing excellence and innovation in nursing practices since 2009

## campus and facilities

- Two-story, 50,000-square-foot **Emergency Department**, the only **pediatric Level I Trauma Center** in North Texas
- 47-bed, **Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care unit**
- State-of-the-art **Pediatric Intensive Care Unit**
- **Level I Children's Surgery Center**, designated by the American College of Surgeons
- **Integrated Therapy Unit** with a comprehensive unique model of care for inpatient feeding, pulmonary and rehabilitation
- The only **pediatric heart transplant** program in North Texas. In 2023, our teams performed 36 heart transplants, the most for a pediatric system
- **Leaders in pediatric transplants**, having performed the state's **first combined heart-liver transplant**
- The only **dedicated pediatric sleep center** accredited by the American Academy of Sleep Medicine in Dallas
- An on-site **Children's Health PM Pediatric Urgent Care**
- Extensive **Social Work, Child Life** and **Pet Therapy** programs
- Advanced **simulation laboratory** to train care teams on complex patient scenarios
- Comprehensive outpatient **behavioral health** treatment and services
- **Children's Health Specialty Center Dallas**, a six-story facility with a wide array of specialty outpatient services in one convenient location



## by the numbers\*



Patient visits:  
**545,776**



Unique patients:  
**169,665**



Emergency room visits:  
**96,253**



Surgeries:  
**16,472**



Employees:  
**5,287**



Square feet:  
**1.89 million**

\*Numbers as of Dec. 31, 2023

## expanding to help more kids in more places

North Texas is facing unprecedented growth, and our pediatric population is expected to double by 2050. To meet this growth and care for future generations of children, Children's Health is partnering with UT Southwestern to build **a transformative new campus** to replace the existing Children's Medical Center Dallas. The \$5 billion dollar campus will be a hub of research, education and innovation. It will be a **destination** for leading-edge patient care, emerging treatments and provide the infrastructure to transform health care for the region and **nation's most complex pediatric patients**.

Learn more: [childrens.com/watchusgrow](https://childrens.com/watchusgrow).

## our new pediatric campus will include:



**Three towers**, including two 12-story towers and one eight-story tower



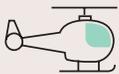
**6,000+ parking spaces**



**4.5 million square feet** of construction space



A comprehensive **Fetal Care Center**



**Two helicopter pads**



**Largest Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)** in Dallas



**552 inpatient rooms** (38% increase) with space for future expansion



**Increased Emergency Department space** (15%) and operating rooms (22%)



**122 pre-/post-operative rooms**



**Two-story surgical suite** with 20 operating rooms

