



Accreditation Quality Report





Welcome to the Joint Commission's Quality Report. We know how important reliable information is to you and your family when making health care decisions. This Quality Report will help you make the right decisions to meet your needs. Since 1951, the Joint Commission has been the national leader in setting standards for health care organizations. When a health care organization seeks accreditation, it demonstrates commitment to giving safe, high quality health care and to continually working to improve that care.

The Quality Report is only one way to determine whether a health care organization can meet your needs. Discuss this report with your doctor or with other professional acquaintances before making a care decision. In addition to the accreditation status of the organization, the Quality Report uses checks, pluses, and minuses in each of the following key areas to help you compare a health care organization with similar accredited organizations.

- National Patient Safety Goals - safety guidelines that target the prevention of medical errors such as surgery on the wrong side of the body and safe medication use.
- National Quality Improvement Goals - measures the care of patients with specific conditions such as heart failure or pregnancy.

Not all measures are relevant to or available for all types of health care organizations. The Joint Commission will add relevant measures of health care quality as more measures become available. Your comments are just as important to us. The content and format of the Quality Report will be updated from time to time based on changes in the health care industry and your suggestions. Please call Customer Service at 630-792-5800 or e-mail the Joint Commission at qualityreport@jointcommission.org with your comments and suggestions.



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Accreditation Programs	Accreditation Decision	Effective Date	Last Full Survey Date	Last On-Site Survey Date
 Behavioral Health Care and Human Services	Accredited	12/12/2022	10/11/2022	10/11/2022
 Hospital	Accredited	6/26/2021	6/25/2021	9/2/2021

Accreditation programs recognized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

Hospital

Advanced Certification Programs	Certification Decision	Effective Date	Last Full Review Date	Last On-Site Review Date
 Perinatal Care Certification	Certification	2/5/2022	2/4/2022	2/4/2022
 Thrombectomy-Capable Stroke Center	Certification	11/18/2022	9/30/2022	9/30/2022

Other Accredited Programs/Services

- Hospital (Accredited by American College of Surgeons-Commission on Cancer (ACoS-COC))

Special Quality Awards

- 2013 Top Performer on Key Quality Measures®
- 2015 Hospital Magnet Award
- 2012 ACS National Surgical Quality Improvement Program
- 2012 Silver - The Medal of Honor for Organ Donation
- 2010 Silver - The Medal of Honor for Organ Donation

Behavioral Health Care and Human Services

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2022 National Patient Safety Goals



2017 National Patient Safety Goals



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National Quality Improvement Goals:

Reporting Period:
Apr 2020 -
Mar 2021

Perinatal Care

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Locations of Care

* Primary Location

Locations of Care	Available Services
Arlington Heights Outpatient Care Center DBA: NCL Draw Site 1051 Rand Road Arlington Heights, IL 60004	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCH PMR NCL Draw Site Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Arlington Heights Outpatient Care Center DBA: NCH Arlington Heights 1410 Mammography 1410 Arlington Heights Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breast Imaging Center Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Buffalo Grove Outpatient Care Center DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 15 South McHenry Road Buffalo Grove, IL 60089	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breast Imaging Center Buffalo Grove Physical Rehabilitation Imaging Center Immediate Care Center NCL Draw Site Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Busse Center DBA: Busse Center 880 West Central Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GI Lab NCH Neurosciences NCH Spine and Pain Center Outpatient Lab Pelvic Floor and Bladder Center PM & R Pelvic Floor Program Women's Center Breast Program Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administration of Blood Product (Outpatient) Administration of High Risk Medications (Outpatient) Anesthesia (Outpatient) Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient) Perform Invasive Procedure (Outpatient)
Kildeer Outpatient Care Center DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 21481 Rand Road Kildeer, IL 60047	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Imaging Center Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation Kildeer Breast Imaging Center Kildeer Cardiac Diagnostics Kildeer Immediate Care Center Kildeer Physical Rehabilitation NCL Draw Site Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)



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Mount Prospect Outpatient Care Center DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 199 West Rand Road Mount Prospect, IL 60056	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Atherton Heart Failure Clinic Cardiac Diagnostics Imaging Center Immediate Care Center Mount Prospect Physical Rehabilitation NCL Draw Site <hr/> Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
NCH Cardiac Diagnostics at Arlington Heights DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 1632 W. Central Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Northwest Community Hospital 901 West Kirchoff Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Behavioral Health (Day Programs - Adult/Child/Youth) (24-hour Acute Care/Crisis Stabilization - Adult/Child/Youth) (Partial Hospitalization - Adult/Child/Youth)



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Northwest Community Hospital * 800 West Central Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Joint Commission Advanced Certification Programs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perinatal Care Certification • Thrombectomy-Capable Stroke Center Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brachytherapy (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Cardiac Catheterization Lab (Surgical Services) • Cardiac Surgery (Surgical Services) • Cardiothoracic Surgery (Surgical Services) • Cardiovascular Unit (Inpatient) • CT Scanner (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Ear/Nose/Throat Surgery (Surgical Services) • EEG/EKG/EMG Lab (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Gastroenterology (Surgical Services) • General Laboratory Tests • GI or Endoscopy Lab (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Gynecological Surgery (Surgical Services) • Gynecology (Inpatient) • Hazardous Medication Compounding (Inpatient) • Hematology/Oncology Unit (Inpatient) • Inpatient Unit (Inpatient) • Interventional Radiology (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Labor & Delivery (Inpatient) • Magnetic Resonance Imaging (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Medical /Surgical Unit (Inpatient) • Medical ICU (Intensive Care Unit) • Neuro/Spine Unit (Inpatient) • Neurosurgery (Surgical Services) • Non-Sterile Medication Compounding (Inpatient) • Normal Newborn Nursery (Inpatient) • Nuclear Medicine (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Ophthalmology (Surgical Services) • Orthopedic Surgery (Surgical Services) • Orthopedic/Spine Unit (Inpatient) • Plastic Surgery (Surgical Services) • Positron Emission Tomography (PET) (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Post Anesthesia Care Unit (PACU) (Inpatient) • Radiation Oncology (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Rehabilitation Unit (Inpatient, 24-hour Acute Care/Crisis Stabilization) • Sleep Laboratory (Sleep Laboratory) • Sterile Medication Compounding (Inpatient) • Surgical ICU (Intensive Care Unit) • Surgical Unit (Inpatient) • Thoracic Surgery (Surgical Services) • Ultrasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) • Urology (Surgical Services) • Vascular Surgery (Surgical Services)
Palatine Outpatient Care Center DBA: Harper College Physical Rehab Services 1200 W. Algonquin Rd, Bldg M Palatine, IL 60067	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical Therapy Services Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)



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Rolling Meadows Outpatient Center DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 3300 Kirchoff Road Rolling Meadows, IL 60008	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Day Rehab Physical Medicine and Rehab (PT, OT, ST) Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Schaumburg Outpatient Care Center DBA: Northwest Community Hospital 519 South Roselle Road Schaumburg, IL 60194	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breast Imaging Center Cardiac Diagnostics Imaging Center Immediate Care Center NCL Draw Site Physical Therapy Services Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)
Wellness Center DBA: Wellness Center 900 West Central Road Arlington Heights, IL 60005	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Physical Rehabilitation Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient)







2022 National Patient Safety Goals

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Behavioral Health Care and Human Services




Safety Goals	Organizations Should	Implemented
Improve the accuracy of the identification of individuals served.	Use of Two Identifiers	
Improve the safety of using medications.	Reconciling Medication Information	
Reduce the risk of health care-associated infections.	Meeting Hand Hygiene Guidelines	
The organization identifies safety risks inherent in the population of the individuals it serves.	Identifying Individuals at Risk for Suicide	

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2017 National Patient Safety Goals

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Improve the accuracy of patient identification.	Use of Two Patient Identifiers	
	Eliminating Transfusion Errors	
Improve the effectiveness of communication among caregivers.	Timely Reporting of Critical Tests and Critical Results	
Improve the safety of using medications.	Labeling Medications	
	Reducing Harm from Anticoagulation Therapy	
	Reconciling Medication Information	
Reduce the harm associated with clinical alarm systems.	Use Alarms Safely on Medical Equipment	
Reduce the risk of health care-associated infections.	Meeting Hand Hygiene Guidelines	
	Preventing Multi-Drug Resistant Organism Infections	
	Preventing Central-Line Associated Blood Stream Infections	
	Preventing Surgical Site Infections	
	Preventing Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infection	
The organization identifies safety risks inherent in its patient population.	Identifying Individuals at Risk for Suicide	
Universal Protocol	Conducting a Pre-Procedure Verification Process	
	Marking the Procedure Site	
	Performing a Time-Out	



National Quality Improvement Goals

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Measure	Explanation	Hospital Results	Compared to other Joint Commission Accredited Organizations			
			Nationwide	Average Rate:	Statewide	Average Rate:
Cesarean Birth	This measure reports the number of first-time moms with a full-term, single baby in a head-down position who delivered the baby by cesarean section.		16%	25%	16%	25%
Elective Delivery	This measure reports the overall number of mothers who had elective vaginal deliveries or elective cesarean sections at equal to and greater than 37 weeks gestation to less than 39 weeks gestation. An elective delivery is the delivery of a newborn(s) when the mother was not in active labor or presented with spontaneous ruptured membranes prior to medical induction and/or cesarean section.	 2% of 215 eligible Patients	0%	2%	0%	7%
Exclusive Breast Milk Feeding	This measure reports the overall number of newborns who are exclusively breast milk fed during the newborns entire hospitalization. Exclusive breast milk feeding is when a newborn receives only breast milk and no other liquids or solids except for drops or syrups consisting of vitamins, minerals, or medicines.	 53% of 419 eligible Patients	71%	50%	60%	43%
Unexpected Complications in Term Newborns per 1000 livebirths - Moderate Rate	The moderate rate equals the number of patients with moderate complications.	 1101% of 2088 eligible Patients	212%	1780%	208%	1789%
Unexpected Complications in Term Newborns per 1000 livebirths - Overall Rate	This measure looks at the number of full-term single babies with a normal birth weight and with no preexisting conditions, these are babies that are expected to do well and routinely go home with the mother.	 1819% of 2088 eligible Patients	1508%	3084%	1325%	2913%



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Unexpected Complications in Term Newborns per 1000 livebirths - Severe Rate	The severe rate equals the number of patients with severe complications.	 718% of 2088 eligible Patients	Top 10% Scored at Least: 501%	1303%	Top 10% Scored at Least: 315%	1124%



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