

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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Summary of Quality Information

Accreditation Programs Accreditation Decision Effective Date Last Full Survey Last On-Site Date Survey Date Norvey Date Hospital Accredited 8/13/2022 8/12/2022

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

Other Accredited Programs/Services

- Hospital (Accredited by UHMS Clinical Hyperbaric Facility Level 1)
- Hospital (Accredited by American College of Surgeons-Commission on Cancer (ACoS-COC))

		Compared to other Joint Commission Accredited Organizations		
		Nationwide	Statewide	
Hospital	2022National Patient Safety Goals	${igodot}$	*	
	National Quality Improvement Goals:			
Reporting Period: Jan 2022 - Dec 2022	Perinatal Care	(m) ²	@ ²	

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Footnote Key

- 1. The Measure or Measure Set was not reported.
- 2. The Measure Set does not have an overall result.
- **3.** The number of patients is not enough for comparison purposes.
- 4. The measure meets the Privacy Disclosure Threshold rule.
- 5. The organization scored above 90% but was below most other organizations.
- 6. The Measure results are not statistically valid.
- 7. The Measure results are based on a sample of patients.
- 8. The number of months with Measure data is below the reporting requirement.
- The measure results are temporarily suppressed pending resubmission of updated data.
 Test Measure: a measure being
- evaluated for reliability of the individual data elements or awaiting National Quality Forum Endorsement.
- **11.** There were no eligible patients that met the denominator criteria.
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Locations of Care

* Primary Location

Locations of Care	Available Services
Virginia Mason Federal Way Outpatient Surgery Center DBA: Virginia Mason Federal Way Outpatient Surgery Center 33501 First Way South Federal Way, WA 98003	Other Clinics/Practices located at this site: • Clinics at federal way are not hospital based programs Services: • Administration of High Risk Medications (Outpatient) • Ambulatory Surgery Center (Outpatient) • Anesthesia (Outpatient) • Perform Invasive Procedure (Outpatient)

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Virginia Mason Medical Center * DBA: Virginia Mason Medical Center 1100 Ninth Avenue Seattle, WA 98101	 Services Allergen Extract (Inpatient) Brachytherapy (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Cardiac Catheterization Lab (Surgical Services) Cardiothoracic Surgery (Surgical Services) Cardiothoracic Surgery (Surgical Services) Cardiothoracic Surgery (Surgical Services) Cardiototarcur Unit (Inpatient) Coronary Care Unit (Inpatient) Coronary Care Unit (Inpatient) Carloscapustic Services) Dialysis Unit (Inpatient) Ear/Nose/Throat Surgery (Surgical Services) Dialysis Unit (Inpatient) Ear/Nose/Throat Surgery (Surgical Services) Gl or Endoscopy Lab (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Sterile Medication Compounding (Inpatient) Hazardous Medication Compounding (Inpatient) Surgical ICU (Intensive Care Unit) Tansplant Surgery (Surgical Services) Urlasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Urlasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Urlasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Urlasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Urlasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services) Urlogy (Surgical Services) Urlog	

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2022 National Patient Safety Goals

Hospital

Safety Goals	Organizations Should	Implemented
Improve the accuracy of patient identification.	Use of Two Patient Identifiers	Ø
Improve the effectiveness of communication among caregivers.	Timely Reporting of Critical Tests and Critical Results	Ø
Improve the safety of using medications.	Labeling Medications	Ø
	Reducing Harm from Anticoagulation Therapy	\bigotimes
	Reconciling Medication Information	Ø
Reduce the harm associated with clinical alarm systems.	Use Alarms Safely on Medical Equipment	Ø
Reduce the risk of health care-associated infections.	Meeting Hand Hygiene Guidelines	Ø
The organization identifies safety risks inherent in its patient population.	Identifying Individuals at Risk for Suicide	Ø
Universal Protocol	Conducting a Pre-Procedure Verification Process	\bigotimes
	Marking the Procedure Site	\bigcirc
	Performing a Time-Out	\bigcirc

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The organization has met the National Patient Safety Goal.
 The organization has not met the National Patient Safety Goal.
 The Goal is not applicable for this organization.

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National Quality Improvement Goals

Reporting Period: January 2022 - December 2022

		Compared to other Joint Commission	
		Accredited Organizations	
Measure Area	Explanation	Nationwide	Statewide
Perinatal Care	This category of evidenced based measures assesses the care of mothers and newborns.	2	0 ²

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Measure	Explanation	Hospital Results	Top Perform er Threshol d:	Average Rate:	Top Perform er Threshol d:	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.	()	() ¹²	26%	() ¹²	27%
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.	11% of 19 eligible Patients	0%	2%	0%	3%
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.	75% of 208 eligible Patients	72%	50%	78%	70%
Unexpected Complications in Term Newborns per 1000 livebirths - Severe Rate	The severe rate equals the number of patients with severe complications.	24 per 1000	5	13	5	10

* This information can also be viewed at https://hospitalcompare.io/

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This organization achieved the best possible results
 This organization's performance is better than the target range/value.
 This organization's performance is similar to the target range/value.
 This organization's performance is worse than the target range/value.
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