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“Top-ranked physicians, state-of-the-art healthcare and research facilities, and the latest in equipment, treatments and programs are just a few of the reasons why Greater Fort Lauderdale/Broward County is known as a growing hub for the healthcare industry. With some of the best medical facilities in the U.S. located here, business leaders in our community know that their employees and families will receive outstanding medical services when needed.”



Healthcare

From specialized pediatric care to long-term residential nursing facilities, Greater Fort Lauderdale's healthcare organizations deliver a full continuum of diagnostic, treatment, prevention and wellness services. Many providers are investing in attractive new patient-oriented facilities, and leading-edge medical technology as well as additional services for patients and their families.

Healthcare is also a major employment sector, accounting for more than 70,000 direct jobs in the South Florida region. In Broward, approximately 20 acute care hospitals have nearly 6,000 licensed beds and more than 3,000 affiliated physicians.

Healthcare Systems

Greater Fort Lauderdale is served by two public health systems: Broward Health and Memorial Healthcare System.

Founded in 1938, Broward Health is a nationally recognized system offering world class healthcare services to South Florida. Broward Health includes Broward Health Medical Center, Broward Health North, Broward Health Imperial Point, Broward Health Coral Springs, Chris Evert Children's Hospital, Broward Health Weston, Broward Health Community Health Services, Broward Health Physician Group and Broward Health Foundation.

Recognized nationally for excellence in healthcare, Broward Health was included on the 2010 list of the top 100 U.S. integrated healthcare networks prepared by healthcare analytics firm SDI. Broward Health also received the LIVESTRONG Community Impact Project Award. The system has numerous centers of clinical excellence that meet national standards for healthcare quality and safety.

Since its inception in 1953, Memorial Healthcare System has been a leader in providing high-quality health care services to South Florida residents. Today, it is the fifth-largest public healthcare system in the nation

and highly regarded for its exceptional patient-and family-centered care. Memorial Regional Hospital is the flagship facility of the healthcare system, which includes Memorial Regional Hospital South, Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital at Memorial, Memorial Hospital West, Memorial Hospital Miramar and Memorial Hospital Pembroke.

Memorial Healthcare System and its facilities have earned many prestigious healthcare awards. The accolades include *Modern Healthcare* magazine's Best Places to Work in Healthcare, *Florida Trend's* Best Companies to Work for in Florida, 100 Top Hospitals, Consumer Choice Award, Best-Run Hospital, Best Nursing Staff, Best Pediatric Hospital and Best Maternity Hospital. The healthcare system was also honored by the American Hospital Association with the Living the Vision award and the Foster G. McGaw award as the national model for improving the health of the community.

In the private sector, HCA, one of the nation's largest providers of healthcare services, manages four hospitals and two outpatient surgery centers in Broward. These include Northwest Medical Center in Margate, Plantation General Hospital and Medical Center in Plantation, University Hospital and Medical Center in Tamarac, Westside Regional Medical Center in Plantation, Outpatient Surgical Services in Plantation and Surgery Center at Coral Springs.

Tenet Healthcare, one of the nation's largest providers of healthcare services, operates 10 acute care hospitals in the tri-county region, including North Shore Medical Center at



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FMC Campus in Fort Lauderdale.

Baptist Health operates Baptist Medical Plaza at Davie and Baptist Medical Plaza at Coral Springs. Both offer state-of-the-art care and diagnostic imaging services.

Established in Weston in 1988, Cleveland Clinic Florida is a part of The Cleveland Clinic Foundation in Ohio, a non-profit, multi-specialty referral group practice, renowned worldwide for providing medical excellence with an emphasis on research and education. Cleveland Clinic Florida has received a number of national awards for quality care and service.

Fort Lauderdale's Holy Cross Hospital has been serving Broward patients since 1955. A full-service, non-profit Catholic hospital, sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy and a member of Catholic Health East, Holy Cross offers medical excellence with personalized patient care.

Kindred Hospitals in Fort Lauderdale and Hollywood are part of Kindred Healthcare, a national healthcare company that uses an innovative approach to long-term acute care for patients with multi-system failures. Its hospitals and pulmonary units feature an interdisciplinary environment where physicians, nurses, therapists, nutritionists and social workers combine their expertise to provide quality care.

Nova Southeastern University

Nova Southeastern University's Health Professions Division is a multidisciplinary academic health center with state-of-the-art facilities, including the College of

Osteopathic Medicine, the only such college in the southeastern United States.

Located on NSU's main campus in Davie, the Health Professions Division encompasses six colleges and a variety of academic programs. In addition to osteopathic medicine, the colleges include pharmacy, dentistry, optometry, allied health and nursing, and medical sciences.

NSU also operates local clinical centers that provide educational resources and patient care to South Florida communities. Treatment is coordinated by the nationally recognized faculty of the university's clinical colleges and programs, ensuring university-level care for all patients.

Support Organizations

Many Broward residents and businesses play leading volunteer roles in community healthcare organizations such as American Red Cross, Area Agency on Aging of Broward County, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation,



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American Heart Association, Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, Kidney Foundation of South Florida, United Way of Broward County and Henderson Mental Health Services. First Call for Help is a 24-hour

informational hotline (211) that refers callers to the appropriate service agencies for assistance. The combined strength of these organizations helps make Broward County a healthy place to live and work.

Major Healthcare Providers

Baptist Medical Plaza at Coral Springs

6264 West Sample Road
Coral Springs, FL 33067
954-837-1100
www.baptisthealthbroward.com

Baptist Medical Plaza at Davie

4741 South University Drive
Davie, FL 33328
954-837-1100
www.baptisthealthbroward.com

Broward Health Coral Springs

3000 Coral Hills Drive
Coral Springs, FL 33065
954-344-3000
www.browardhealth.org

Broward Health Imperial Point

6401 North Federal Highway
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308
954-776-8500
www.browardhealth.org

Broward Health Medical Center

1600 S. Andrews Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316
954-355-4400
www.browardhealth.org

Broward Health North

201 E. Sample Road
Deerfield Beach, FL 33064
954-941-8300
www.browardhealth.org

Broward Health Weston

2300 N Commerce Parkway
Weston, FL 33326
954-217-5000
www.browardhealth.org

Chris Evert Children's Hospital

1600 S. Andrews Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316
954-355-4400
www.browardhealth.org

Cleveland Clinic in Florida

2950 Cleveland Clinic Boulevard
Weston, FL 33331
954-659-5000
www.clevelandclinic.org

Holy Cross Hospital

4725 N. Federal Highway
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308
954-771-8000
www.holy-cross.com

Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital

1005 Joe DiMaggio Drive
Hollywood, FL 33021
954-265-JDCH (5324)
www.mhs.net

Kindred Hospital South Florida – Fort Lauderdale

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Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
954-764-8900
www.kindredhealthcare.com

Kindred Hospital South Florida – Hollywood

1859 Van Buren Street
Hollywood, FL 33020
954-920-9000
www.kindredhealthcare.com

Memorial Hospital Miramar

1901 SW 172nd Avenue
Miramar, FL 33029
954-538-5000
www.mhs.net

Memorial Hospital Pembroke

7800 Sheridan Street
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024
954-962-9650
www.mhs.net

Memorial Hospital West

703 N. Flamingo Road
Pembroke Pines, FL 33028
954-436-5000
www.mhs.net

Memorial Regional Hospital

3501 Johnson Street
Hollywood, FL 33021
954-987-2000
www.mhs.net

Memorial Regional Hospital South

3600 Washington Street
Hollywood, FL 33021
954-966-4500
www.mhs.net

North Shore at FMC Campus

5000 W. Oakland Park Boulevard
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33313
954-730-2808
www.tenethealth.com

Northwest Medical Center

2801 N. State Road 7
Margate, FL 33063
954-974-0400
www.northwestmed.com

Plantation General Hospital

401 NW 42 Avenue
Plantation, FL 33317
954-587-5010
www.plantationgeneral.com

University Hospital & Medical Center

7201 N. University Drive
Tamarac, FL 33321
954-721-2200
www.uhmhealth.com

Westside Regional Medical Center

8201 W. Broward Boulevard
Plantation, FL 33324
954-473-6600
www.westsideregional.com