annual report 2023



Our mission is the relentless pursuit of optimal health for every child within our reach. We work toward that goal every day, with every child who comes to see us — no matter if it's for a simple COVID test, a specialist visit or a stay in our newborn intensive care unit.



inpatient visits

Beds	181
Admissions	8,296
Observations	5,363
Patient days	37,414
Average stay	4.51
Average daily census.	120.2

Top inpatient diagnoses

- Intentional self-harm
- Bronchiolitis and other upper respiratory infection
- Asthma
- Pneumonia
- Epilepsy and seizure disorders



mental health

Psychology visits16,880
Psychiatry visits12,743
Inpatient admits2,605
Day treatment patients535
Mental health risk assessments5,837
Mental Health Resource Connection referrals 6 508



outpatient visits

Total visits	560,097
Specialty care visit	s 189,177
Surgeries	13,224
ED visits	101.675

Top reasons for an emergency department visit

- Fever
- Cough
- Vomiting
- Breathing problems
- Cold symptoms

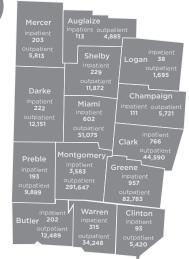
Transports 3,231
Urgent care visits48,426
Kids Express visits33,303

Top reasons for a Kids Express visit

- Sore throat
- Fever
- Ear pain
- Cough
- Cold symptoms



by the county





want to see more?

See the annual report online.







behavioral health groundbreaking

Investing resources in the behavioral health crisis facing our children by building a new space to house all acute care services, while also expanding outpatient therapy and imbedding support staff in schools and daycares.





connected

Led by teams from neurosurgery and craniofacial surgery, Dayton Children's Hospital successfully separated craniopagus conjoined twins. The hospital chronicled the boys' journey through an hour-long documentary called 'connected.'



community benefit and support



Dayton Children's is the fourth largest employer in the region and pumps hundreds of millions of dollars into the community in wages. Our success means that we can also be a key contributor to efforts that help reinvent the path to health care and support kids outside the hospital walls. In return, our community has always been generous in helping Dayton Children's go from good to great.



employees

Salaries and	
wages\$412,171,533	3
Employees 4,100	О
Employed physicians22	2
Residents48	8
Fellows	9
Nurses1,358	8
Canine co-pilots	3
Volunteers533	3
Pet therapy animals 32	2



community benefit

Community benefit	\$63,259,037
Community bu	uilding \$133,930
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community benefit report.



philanthropic support

Donations\$15,383,748
Donors7,784
Gifts 41,423
Dedicated fundraising
volunteers 650+

news-making moments



new specialty care center opens

To give patient families and staff both the best place to receive care and the best place to work, Dayton Children's opened its new, five-story specialty care center in spring 2023.



growing and expanding services so we can continue to thrive

To continue to meet the needs of the community, the hospital opened an inpatient rehab unit and announced the opening of Kids Express Centerville.



supporting our staff

Launched the nest at
Dayton Children's for
employees to have a
one-stop shop for all their
wellbeing needs and hired
a mental health support
clinician to provide support
for staff in the moment.



commitment to the next generation

Developed fellowships in emergency medicine, hospital medicine and psychiatry to foster the development of the next generation of caregivers.

honors - we have the best team , how do we know?



















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