Piedmont Atlanta Hospital

Major Services/Highlights

- Located on 26 acres in the north Atlanta community of Buckhead, Piedmont Atlanta has over 4,000 employees and a medical staff of over 1,100 physicians. More than 385 volunteers support Piedmont Atlanta in a wide variety of service areas.
- Piedmont Atlanta is a 488-bed, acute-care community hospital offering all major medical, surgical and diagnostic services including transplantation and comprehensive care.
- Founded in 1905, Piedmont Atlanta is a private, not-for-profit organization. Any hospital earnings go directly back into maintaining and improving services and facilities, and to educational, outreach and research activities. This allows Piedmont Atlanta to offer the most advanced, specialized care possible.
- Piedmont Atlanta joins other leading healthcare providers across the country by being a tobacco-free campus.
- Piedmont Atlanta has implemented a comprehensive electronic medical records and practice management system called Epic. The system allows healthcare personnel across the Piedmont Healthcare system to access patient information in real time.

Orthopaedics/sports medicine includes the Reconstructive Joint Center of Atlanta, one of the busiest total joint centers in the state and team physicians for most major Atlanta professional sports teams.

The Fuqua Heart Center of Atlanta, located on the Piedmont Atlanta campus, is an integral component of care provided by Piedmont Heart. It provides a full spectrum of cardiovascular care, including an accredited heart failure center and heart transplant.

Women’s Services includes maternity, the Jan and John Portman Newborn Nurseries and Neonatal Intensive Care Units and the Doris Shaheen Breast Health Center.

Neuroscience includes diagnosis, treatment and rehab for patients with stroke and other nervous system disorders. Neuroscience includes the Piedmont Spine Center, Piedmont Brain Tumor Center and the Piedmont Epilepsy Center.

**FY2013 Piedmont Atlanta Hospital Facts/Figures**

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OUR MISSION:
Healthcare marked by compassion and sustainable excellence in a progressive environment, guided by physicians, delivered by exceptional professionals, and inspired by the communities we serve.
The Cancer Center’s services span the entire spectrum of care - from detection, diagnosis and research to treatment, education and support. A team of cancer specialists, including board-certified specialists, patient navigators, a dedicated oncology nursing unit, surgeons, accredited technicians and nutritionists – come together to offer the newest diagnostic testing, groundbreaking therapies and surgeries, proven medical and radiation oncology and effective pain management.

Cancer Wellness offers comprehensive, complementary services and programs to anyone affected by cancer at any phase in his or her cancer journey. Cancer Wellness classes are offered free, thanks to generous philanthropic support.

Radiation Services include Gamma Knife™ radiosurgery (intracranial surgery), which was pioneered at Piedmont; Intensity Modulated Radiation Therapy (IMRT), a groundbreaking treatment that delivers high radiation doses to targeted areas; and Trilogy™ Accelerator System for image guided radiation therapy (IGRT) and stereotactic radiosurgery.

Piedmont Atlanta serves as a public cord blood collection center where more than 1,000 donations have been made since the partnership with the Cleveland Cord Blood Clinic began in 2012.

Piedmont Transplant provides kidney, pancreas and liver transplantation and has performed over 3,000 transplants since its inception in 1986. In 2012, Piedmont Heart proudly performed its first heart transplant.

The Diabetes Resource Center includes community education and support.

Sixty Plus Services includes wellness and disease-management programs, patient and caregiver support and senior health outreach.

Piedmont Atlanta offers 24-hour emergency department services including an accredited Chest Pain Center and a helipad.

The Katherine Murphy Riley Outpatient Diagnostic Center services include outpatient imaging services, diagnostic radiology, ultrasound, CT and MRI.

The Piedmont Atlanta Fitness Center is available for use by employees as well as the community.

The Piedmont Outpatient Center at Piedmont West Medical Office Park is located on Howell Mill Road at I-75 and also includes the Piedmont Cancer Center, Piedmont Imaging Center and Piedmont Surgery Center.

Clinical Educational Resources

Through a partnership with Piedmont Healthcare and Mercer University, the (virtual) Center for Health and Learning offers several joint initiatives, including nursing, pharmacy, research and other medical and allied health education programs.

Piedmont Atlanta is affiliated with more than 90 academic entities.

Each year, more than 275 nursing students do their clinical rotations at Piedmont Atlanta.

Awards and Recognition

Piedmont Atlanta is the top adult acute-care, non-academic hospital in metro Atlanta in the 2012-13 U.S. News and World Report’s Best Hospitals list. A total of 10 specialties offered at Piedmont Atlanta were listed as high-performing, including: cancer care; diabetes and endocrinology; geriatrics; gynecology; heart and heart surgery; nephrology; neurology and neurosurgery; pulmonology; and urology.

Piedmont Atlanta was awarded U.S. Department of Health & Human Services 2012 Organ Donation Medal of Honor for transplant donation rate and patient outcomes.

Piedmont Atlanta Hospital achieved Level II Accreditation in Bariatric Surgery in 2013, which recognizes Piedmont Atlanta for high quality surgical care.

In 2011 and 2010, Piedmont Atlanta ranked No. 1 among hospitals within a 50-mile radius of Atlanta according to the publicly-reported survey of patient satisfaction by HCAHPS (Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems) survey and has consistently ranked in the top five among metro Atlanta hospitals in patient satisfaction scores according to the HCAHPS survey since 2008. In April 2008 (first public release), Piedmont Atlanta ranked first of 38 hospitals in the Atlanta market in the first national standardized, publicly-reported survey of patient satisfaction by HCAHPS.

Named Best in Atlanta for Overall Cardiac Care, Cardiac Surgery and Coronary Intervention (2013) by HealthGrades®.

Named one of the nation’s “Most Wired” hospitals, according to the results of the Healthcare’s Most Wired 2012 survey.

Fully accredited by DNV GL Healthcare, including disease-specific certification for stroke.

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