

About The Miriam Hospital

The Miriam Hospital is a private, 247-bed, not-for-profit, acute care general hospital founded by Rhode Island's Jewish community in 1926. The Miriam Hospital provides a broad range of primary, secondary and tertiary medical services to adolescents and adults, with particular expertise in cardiology, oncology, orthopedics, gastroenterology, urology, bariatrics, immunology and infectious diseases. The hospital also provides a full range of pathology and radiology services as well as psychiatric consultation/liaison services. An important part of the hospital's mission, research attracts millions of dollars in internal and external funding every year to The Miriam Hospital, a major teaching affiliate of The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University.

The Miriam Hospital has maintained its designation as a Magnet hospital for nursing excellence since 1998 and in 2020 became one of the few hospitals nationwide to achieve the four-year designation for a sixth consecutive time. The American Nurses Credentialing Center's Magnet Recognition Program is nursing's top honor and is one of the most prestigious distinctions an organization can receive for outstanding nursing care. The Miriam is the first hospital in the state to be certified by The Joint Commission as a Primary Stroke Center, having met rigorous national standards and performance measurements in caring for stroke patients and offering state-of-the-art treatments.

The Miriam Hospital is home to the Center for Bariatric Surgery (accredited by The American College of Surgeons and the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery), the Total Joint Center (Joint Commission Gold Seal of Approval), and the Minimally Invasive Urology Institute (the urology program has achieved national ranking by U.S. News & World Report for the past two years).

Location and Service Area

The Miriam Hospital's main campus encompasses 22 acres on the East Side of Providence. Other sites include The Center for Cardiac, Pulmonary & Vascular Fitness at The Miriam Hospital, Dean Ornish Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation Program, the RISE TB Clinic, The Miriam Hospital Diagnostic Imaging Center, The Miriam Hospital Outpatient Rehabilitation Program, the Lifespan Ambulatory Care Center, the Weight Control and Diabetes Research Center and the Center for Behavioral and Preventive Medicine. The hospital's service area encompasses most of the cities and towns in Rhode Island and southeastern Massachusetts.

Executive Management

Maria Ducharme, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, president

David Kirshner, executive vice president and chief financial officer

Anne Schmidt, DNP, APRN-BC, CENP, CPHQ, senior vice president, patient care services and chief nursing officer

G. Dean Roye, MD, senior vice president, medical affairs, chief medical officer

Frank J. Byrne, vice president, finance

Employees

The Miriam employs 3,245 full-time and part-time personnel. The Miriam Hospital is an equal opportunity employer. For a list of available positions, visit www.lifespancareers.org.

Medical Staff

The Miriam's medical staff numbers 1,265 physicians. Board certification or eligibility in a specialty or subspecialty is required for all appointed members of the medical staff, as well as those with limited clinical privileges.

Nursing Services

The Miriam employs more than 600 registered nurses, and nearly 200 nursing assistants. The hospital has an additional pool of registered nurses who work on a per diem basis as needed to manage short-term fluctuations in workload and nurse staffing.

Year founded	1926
Statistics Fiscal Year 2020	
Employees	3,245
Affiliated physicians	1,265
Licensed beds	247
Total assets	\$609,317
Patient discharges	16,996
Emergency department visits	67,374
Outpatient visits	165,151
Outpatient surgeries	6,050
Inpatient surgeries	4,596
Net patient service revenue	\$423,370
Research funding revenue	\$27,365
Net cost of charity care and other comm	unity benefit
Charity care	\$6,655
Medical education, net	\$10,706
Research	\$3,550
Subsidized health services	\$10,995
Community health improvement service	ces
and community benefit operations	\$355
Unreimbursed Medicaid costs	\$21,438
Total cost of charity care and other community benefits	\$53,699

Licensure, Accreditations and Memberships

The Miriam is licensed by the Rhode Island Department of Health to operate 247 beds and is accredited by The Joint Commission. For the sixth time, The Miriam Hospital was designated a Magnet hospital by the American Nurses Credentialing Center, a branch of the American Nurses Association. The Miriam Hospital is a member of numerous professional organizations, including the Council of Teaching Hospitals of the Association of American Medical Colleges, New England Healthcare Assembly and Vizient. The Miriam Hospital is a Primary Stroke Center, as certified by The Joint Commission.

Directions to The Miriam Hospital

164 Summit Avenue Providence, RI 02906 401-793-2500

From Points North

Take I-95 South to Exit 25 (North Main Street). Go left off exit. Follow straight through traffic light and bear right around one way. At the first stop sign, take a left. At traffic light, take a left onto North Main Street. Proceed two blocks and take a right onto Fifth Street. Take a left onto Summit Avenue. The hospital is located on the left.

From Points South

Take I-95 North to Exit 25 (North Main Street). Take first of two sub-exits (before the bus station). Follow to the traffic light. Take a left onto North Main Street. Proceed two blocks and take a right onto Fifth Street. Take a left onto Summit Avenue. The hospital is located on the left.

From Hope Street

If you are traveling north on Hope Street, toward Pawtucket, turn left onto Fifth Street. If you are traveling south on Hope Street, toward Providence, turn right onto Fifth Street. When you reach the intersection at Summit Avenue, The Miriam Hospital main building will be on the right and the Norman and Rosalie Fain Health Centers will be on the left. For more directions, visit miriamhospital.org.