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CANCER CENTER
Making Cancer History®

M. D. Anderson Clinical Care Center in the Bay Area
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Services

For more than 60 years, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center has provided an unparalleled level of expertise at our main campus in the Texas Medical Center. In 2008, U.S. News and World Report's "America's Best Hospitals" survey ranked M. D. Anderson as the number one hospital in the nation for cancer care. M. D. Anderson has ranked as one of the top two hospitals for cancer care since the magazine began its annual survey in 1990.

Now, through M. D. Anderson Clinical Care Center in the Bay Area, we've extended our experience and services to your neighborhood. Everyone treated at the center becomes an M. D. Anderson patient, and every case and treatment plan are carefully reviewed by a team that includes a medical oncologist, a radiation oncologist if radiation treatment is required, and other specialists at M. D. Anderson's main campus, offering the best combination of M. D. Anderson's wide range of cancer expertise and local care.

On the campus of CHRISTUS St. John Hospital, M. D. Anderson provides the following services:

- Hematology
- Medical Oncology
 - Chemotherapy
- Radiation Oncology
 - CT Simulation
 - Ultrasound
 - Three Dimensional Treatment Planning
 - Respiratory Gating
 - Intensity Modulated Radiation Therapy (IMRT)
 - Image Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT)
- Laboratory
- Pharmacy
- Blood Donation

Patients

This year, more than 80,000 people with cancer will receive care at M. D. Anderson, and more than 27,000 of them will be new patients. More than 11,000 patients participated in therapeutic clinical research exploring novel treatments in 2006, making it the largest such program in the nation. Recognizing the challenge that traveling to the Texas Medical Center can present, we are proud to bring the expertise of M. D. Anderson to the Bay Area community.

Total Number of Physicians and Employees

M.D. Anderson employs more than 19,000 people, including nearly 1,400 faculty members. Our 50-member team at the Clinical Care Center in the Bay Area is trained and employed by M. D. Anderson. Two medical oncologists and one radiation oncologist lead the staff. Other staff members include nurses, patient service coordinators, pharmacists, medical technologists, phlebotomists, radiation therapists, dosimetrists, and radiation physicists.

Community Outreach Programs

M. D. Anderson Clinical Care Center in the Bay Area is actively involved in numerous Chambers of Commerce and other community organizations, and is dedicated to educating the public about cancer. In collaboration with CHRISTUS St. John, our faculty hosts a multi-disciplinary tumor board, inviting community physicians to present and discuss specific cases bi-monthly.

M.D. Anderson accepts most insurance plans; please call us for details. In 2007, M. D. Anderson provided \$196 million in un-sponsored charity care to Texans with cancer.

New Programs and Initiatives

The Clinical Care Center in the Bay Area is the first M. D. Anderson satellite to offer radiation and medical oncology, along with supporting pharmacy and blood donor services off of the main campus. M. D. Anderson continues to explore other services and programs to bring to the community setting.

Mission

The mission of The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center is to eliminate cancer in Texas, the nation, and the world through outstanding programs that integrate patient care, research and prevention, and through education for undergraduate and graduate students, trainees, professionals, employees and the public.