## **Beaumont Health Foundation**

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# **Beaumont Children's: A Leader in Pediatric Care**

Insights

As the most precious and vulnerable members of our community, children deserve access to the best health care available. Beaumont Children's has become the go-to provider for exceptional pediatric care in Southeast Michigan with tens of thousands of families preferring Beaumont as their top choice.

#### What We Do

Each year, between Beaumont's eight hospital campuses and dozens of outpatient clinics and treatment centers, Beaumont Children's provides care for more than 200,000 infants, children and teenagers. Whether they are being swaddled for the first time or receiving life-saving treatment, our youngest patients benefit from the services and expertise of more than 400 affiliated pediatricians and more than 100 pediatric medical and surgical subspecialists.

Patients come from throughout Michigan, across the country and even around the world, with parents bringing their children to Beaumont for the type of care they cannot find anywhere else.

Beaumont Children's broad range of services includes more than 30 medical and surgical subspecialties, such as cardiology, diabetes, gastroenterology, hematology and oncology, neurology, surgery, trauma and more. Other specialty highlights include:

- Neonatal intensive care units for the care of high-risk, premature and critically ill newborns. Units at Royal Oak, Troy and Dearborn are staffed by board-certified neonatologists 24 hours a day.
- Specialized pediatric emergency units at Royal Oak and Troy, in spaces specially designed for the comfort and safety of children and staffed by professionals with specialized, advanced training in pediatric emergency medicine.



- A Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at Royal Oak, where young patients with serious injuries or illnesses receive treatment from doctors who are board certified in pediatric critical care medicine.
- **Care for children with special needs** at our Center for Exceptional Families, Center for Human Development and Ted Lindsay Foundation HOPE Center.

#### Beaumont Children's: An Annual Snapshot

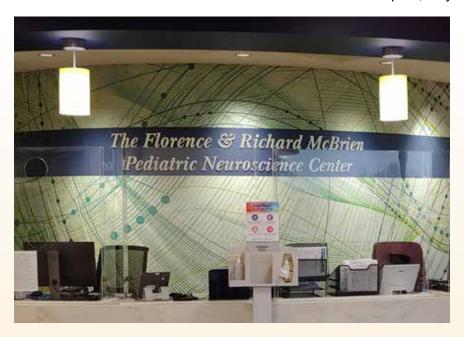
- More than 74,000 outpatient visits, including at our pediatric subspecialty clinics in Royal Oak and Troy and primary care offices in Dearborn and Farmington Hills
- More than 60,000 visits with our pediatric speech-language pathologists
- More than 31,000 pediatric occupational therapy and physical therapy visits
- More than 17,000 babies born at Beaumont hospitals
- More than 13,000 children seen in our Royal Oak and Troy pediatric after-hours clinics
- Nearly 8,000 pediatric surgeries performed
- More than 5,000 children admitted to Royal Oak, Troy, Dearborn and Farmington Hills
- More than 1,800 admissions to neonatal intensive care units in Royal Oak, Dearborn and Troy
- More than 800 admissions to the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit in Royal Oak



### Philanthropy Makes the Difference at Beaumont Children's

Much of the innovation and growth that Beaumont Children's has experienced in recent years has been the result of generous donors seeking to invest in and support visionary pediatric programs.

The impact of philanthropy was on display most recently with the opening of the *Florence and Richard McBrien Pediatric Neuroscience Center* at Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak this past March, creating a



centralized location for state-of-the-art pediatric neurology care. Led by Dr. Daniel Arndt, this program is among the most highly regarded in the nation and is home to a Level 4 Pediatric Epilepsy Center, one of only 44 pediatric-specific epilepsy centers in the country.

The Florence and Richard McBrien Pediatric Neuroscience Center ensures privacy, comfort and convenience for pediatric patients experiencing sometimes stressful neurological difficulties as well as opportunities for Beaumont's highly trained pediatric neurology team to better collaborate on new approaches to care.

Other donors have helped shape pediatric care at Beaumont, with the creation of centers and programs such as:

- The Center for Exceptional Families, providing medical and rehabilitative care for children with special needs. Supporters of this program have included dozens of community leaders including the Emil and Stella Banich Foundation, Mary and Don Kosch, Jan and Jerry Fitzgerald, the DeRoy Testamentary Fund and more.
- The *William & Marie Carls Children's Center* at Royal Oak, home to the hospital's inpatient pediatric unit. The Carls Foundation also has supported high-tech pediatric rehabilitation, epilepsy care and much more at Beaumont Children's.
- The *Ted Lindsay Foundation HOPE Center* which provides care for children with autism spectrum disorders through Beaumont's Center for Human Development.
- The Hough Center for Adolescent Health which specializes in the treatment of children with eating disorders, helping them and their families find a path to recovery.
- The Skandalaris Family Center for Children with Cancer and Blood Disorders at Royal Oak, providing comprehensive hematology and oncology care for children of all ages, and home to the specialized Gilbert Family Adolescent and Young Adult Program.





• The *Lauren and Phillip Fisher Neuropsychology and Neurogenetics Program* provides ongoing support for the specialized care of patients facing epilepsy and other neurological challenges



- The Trott Family Foundation Epilepsy Dietary Program supports care for epilepsy patients who may not respond to medications but do show improvement with specially designed diets.
- The **Ghesquiere Family Center for Children's Surgery** at Royal Oak handles pediatric surgery cases in an environment designed for the comfort and well-being of young patients and their families.
- The John A. and Marlene L. Boll Center for Human Development at Grosse Pointe provides diagnostic and therapeutic services for children facing learning and development concerns.

- The *Celani Family Comprehensive Neonatal Intensive Care Center* in the Royal Oak NICU, offering care for among the most fragile newborns.
- Coming soon: the **Troy Neonatal** Intensive Care Unit, which has been supported by a broad range of community leaders including the **Battaglia** family, the **Moceri** family and more, and is slated to begin construction in a newly expanded space later this year.



Beaumont is deeply grateful for the support of all our Beaumont Children's donors and the extraordinary impact they have had on the lives and good health of hundreds of thousands of young people in the communities we serve.



Beaumont Children's is a member of the Children's Miracle Network, a national alliance of premier hospitals for children. This nonprofit organization is dedicated to saving and improving the lives of children by raising funds for children's hospitals across North America. Each year, the 170 hospitals comprising the Children's Miracle Network provide the finest medical care, life-saving research and preventative education to help millions of kids overcome diseases and injuries of every kind. Beaumont has been the only Children's Miracle Network hospital in Southeast Michigan since 1988.



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