

# UW Medicine

## VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER

**VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER** is a 321-bed acute care community hospital and clinic network. As the oldest and largest public hospital district system in the state of Washington, it serves more than 600,000 residents in Southeast King County. With a long history of extensive community outreach, Valley reaches out beyond the walls of the hospital and clinics to serve some of the most vulnerable members of our community.

### Areas of Specialization

- Level III Trauma Center & emergency services
- Birth Center and Level III Neonatal ICU
- Breast and bone density screening
- Cancer treatment, infusion and support
- General and specialty surgery
- Gynecology, urogynecology and urology
- Imaging services
- Joint replacement and orthopedics
- Lifestyle medicine and fitness
- Nephrology
- Neuroscience, pediatric neurology, stroke and spine
- Obstetrics, midwifery and maternal fetal medicine
- Occupational health services
- Psychiatry and counseling
- Rehabilitation and children's therapies

### History

Valley Medical Center was founded as a public district hospital in 1947 after voters approved general obligation bonds to purchase Renton Hospital. In 1969, voter-approved bonds allowed the medical center to move and expand its services to care for the rapidly growing population in Southeast King County. Numerous

expansions and upgrades have occurred over the years. Valley Medical Center became part of UW Medicine in July 2011.

### FY 2018 STATISTICS

Licensed beds: 321

Employees: 3,622

Admissions: 18,409

Clinic visits: 624,802

Emergency Department  
visits: 85,098

Births: 3,536

