



General Information

Kona Community Hospital is a 94-bed full-service acute and long-term care hospital, founded in 1914, supporting a population on the west coast of the island of Hawaii of 65,000. It is a member of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation - a special agency established in 1996.

Inpatient services are divided into the following functional units: Intensive care (9 beds), Obstetrics (7 beds), Behavioral Health (11 beds), General Medical/Surgical (33 beds), and Long-Term Care (34 SNF/ICF beds).

We operate a 24-hour-emergency service, with in-house, board-certified emergency medicine physicians. Nearly 70 active practitioners are on the medical staff in the following specialties: Addiction Medicine, Anesthesiology, Cardiology, Dentistry, Emergency Medicine, Family Practice, Gastroenterology, General Surgery, Geriatric Medicine, Internal Medicine, Medical Oncology, OB/GYN, Ophthalmology, Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, Orthopedics, Otolaryngology, Pathology, Pediatrics, Podiatry, Psychiatry, Radiation Oncology, Radiology and Urology.

Diagnostic services include: Radiology, MRI, CT Scan, Ultrasound, Nuclear Medicine, Laboratory and Pathology. Ancillary treatment services include: Ambulatory Surgery, Radiation Oncology, Chemotherapy and Infusion Services, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy, Respiratory Therapy and Pharmacy.

In a typical year, the hospital has over 18,000 emergency room visits, 500 births, 900 in-patient surgeries, 2,000 out-patient surgeries, and 3,300 in-patient admissions.

Our Mission: To provide and enhance accessible, comprehensive health-care services to our community that are: quality-driven, customer-focused and cost-effective.

Our Vision: To be the Provider of Choice for the Community; the Employer of Choice for Our Staff and the System of Choice for Our Medical Staff.

Our Values: Integrity, Collaboration, Caring, Commitment, Innovation and Community.



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