Sibley Memorial Hospital

Sibley Memorial Hospital, in Northwest Washington, D.C., has a distinguished history, building on more than 125 years of being first to provide new procedures, invest in leading-edge technologies and create exceptional facilities — all with the goal of transforming health care and becoming the national model for innovation in a community hospital.

Sibley Memorial Hospital offers advanced services for a variety of patient needs. As part of Johns Hopkins Medicine, fellowship-trained faculty physicians make up the majority of our Johns Hopkins programs, which include the Johns Hopkins Proton Therapy Center, one of the most advanced centers in the world, the Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center, the Johns Hopkins Center for Bariatric Surgery, Johns Hopkins Maternal-Fetal Medicine and our Behavioral Health program.

Sibley is also home to Grand Oaks, an assisted living residence, and the Renaissance, which houses the Center for Rehabilitation Medicine, a skilled nursing care unit and a residential Alzheimer’s unit. Outpatient services are provided in the medical building, which includes the Sibley Ambulatory Surgery Center, imaging and Sibley Primary Care. Sibley’s Renaissance Skilled Nursing Facility was recognized among the nations’ Best Nursing Homes by U.S. News & World Report in 2020-2021.

Sibley Memorial Hospital includes 200 all-private rooms, a state-of-the-art emergency department, a nationally recognized orthopaedics program, a large women’s and infants’ inpatient unit to house Washington’s busiest maternity program, and several other programs.

Our Mission

To provide excellence and compassionate care — every person, every time.

Part of a Premier, Integrated System

Sibley Memorial Hospital is a member of Johns Hopkins Medicine, one of the world’s premier, integrated health systems, with six hospitals, four community-based health care and surgery centers, more than 40 primary health care sites, managed care and home care services, and numerous overseas affiliates and management agreements.

Sibley Statistics — Fiscal Year 2020

- 288 licensed beds/207 operating beds
- 11,123 admissions (adult acute)
- 37,232 emergency visits
- 9,593 surgical procedures
- 4,009 births
- 2,383 employees
- 1,051 medical staff members
- 821 registered nurses

Key Services

Oncology

Home to the Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center’s Washington location, we offer medical, radiation and surgical oncology, palliative care, clinical trials, social services and support groups.

The Johns Hopkins Proton Therapy Center opened in 2019. Proton beam technology is a very precise form of radiation therapy that allows for shorter treatment times and fewer side effects. The center is dedicated to the advancement of state-of-the-art proton therapy care via three treatment rooms for adults, a dedicated pediatric team for children and a section for research.

The Sullivan Breast Center is staffed by dedicated breast radiologists and surgeons. Digital curved mammography and 3D mammography are available. Our mammography services are certified by the American College of Radiology Mammography Accreditation Program and the Food and Drug Administration. The Breast Center is accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers and was designated a Breast Imaging Center of Excellence by the American College of Radiology.

The Sibley Center for Gynecologic Oncology and Advanced Pelvic Surgery provides personalized, comprehensive care and expert surgical treatment using innovative techniques and the latest technology.

A dedicated team of surgical oncologists specialize in thoracic and orthopaedic cancers to treat lung, bone and soft tissue sarcomas.

Through a unique collaboration with Children’s National Hospital, Sibley offers the only dedicated pediatric radiation program in Washington, and the only academic pediatric radiation program in the region.

Groundbreaking Johns Hopkins Medicine clinical trials are available at Sibley, giving local patients access to Johns Hopkins specialists, new drugs and therapies before they are widely available.

Sibley’s Prostate Cancer Multidisciplinary Clinic connects surgeons, radiation oncologists, medical oncologists, pathologists and radiologists to discuss a patient’s case together.

Obstetrics

Sibley enjoys a well-earned reputation as one of the area’s preferred places to have a baby, delivering more than 4,200 babies a year, more than any other hospital in Washington.

Our approach to childbirth is family-centered, and we work with each family to help provide the birthing experience they desire.

Two floors are dedicated to women and infants, featuring large private rooms with sleep sofas, an advanced infant security system, a real-time locator system and fetal monitoring technology.
Sibley’s Maternal-Fetal Medicine Program provides specialized expertise in managing high-risk pregnancies. Program experts use sophisticated technology and testing to diagnose, monitor and consult for complex conditions and complications that can arise during pregnancy. They also offer comprehensive genetic consultation, screening, testing and interpretation of results.

Orthopaedics

- Sibley is a leader in orthopaedic medicine, including treatment of sports injuries and fractures, and hip, knee and shoulder replacements.
- The number of joint replacements Sibley performs is among the highest in the area.
- Sibley’s Center for Rehabilitation Medicine provides nonsurgical orthopaedic care including physical therapy, exercise and other rehabilitation services, and the use of a warm-water therapeutic pool.
- A dedicated orthopaedic unit offers a clinic for patient rehabilitation.

Emergency Services

- Sibley’s emergency department is certified as a Primary Stroke Center, demonstrating long-term success in improving outcomes.
- Sibley Sibley earned the bronze standard, Level 3 Geriatric Emergency Department Accreditation, from the American College of Emergency Physicians for the hospital’s leadership in providing emergency department care for geriatric patients.

Other Specialty Services

The Sibley Senior Association offers a variety of wellness programs for those 50 years and older, including Club Memory, free health screenings, exercise and fitness programs, and presentations by medical experts on important health issues.

The Johns Hopkins Center for

Bariatric Surgery at Sibley features a team of multidisciplinary experts who provide comprehensive, coordinated care to help people lose weight and restore health.

The Sibley Sleep Disorders Center, accredited by the American Academy of Sleep Medicine, offers advanced technology for the diagnosis and treatment of sleep problems.

Community Relations and Outreach

Sibley is focused on investments in health care services for underserved communities, health promotion, education and outreach. Ward Infinity is a community-focused initiative that Sibley launched through a contribution to the Sibley Foundation to support community health improvement initiatives in Wards 7 and 8 in the District of Columbia.

Awards and Recognitions

- Named one of 12 hospitals in the nation with the healthiest food options by the Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine.
- Named one of the 50 greenest hospitals in America by Becker’s Hospital Review.
- Sibley’s main operating room received the CNOR Strong designation from the Competency and Credentialing Institute.
- Sibley received a B grade in patient safety — the highest grade among Washington hospitals — from the Leapfrog Group.
- Sibley Renaissance received the 2018 Pathway to Excellence designation for long-term care centers from the American Nurses Credentialing Center.
- Sibley was named a Reader’s Pick best place to have a baby by Bethesda Magazine in 2021.
- Sibley was named the best hospital by Washington City Paper readers for the seventh year in a row in 2020.
- Sibley was awarded the 2020 Get With The Guidelines®-Stroke Gold Plus, Target: Stroke and Target: Type 2 Diabetes Honor Roll Awards from the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association.
- Sibley awarded inaugural grants to Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center recipients for the Robert L. Sloan Fund for Cancer Research.
- Sibley received a Gold Aster Award for the Candid Conversations About Cancer video series.
- The Sibley Memorial Hospital Foundation received a $5,000 grant from the Alzheimer’s Foundation of America.
- The hospital achieved 2018 LEED Gold designation.
- Grand Oaks assisted living facility earned the 2018 Bronze National Quality Award from the American Health Care Association and National Center for Assisted Living.
- Sibley was ranked as high performing for hip and knee replacement surgeries by U.S. News and World Report in 2020.
- Sibley has been rated the following by the 2020 CareChex Awards by Quantros:
  - Top 10% in the nation for general surgery
  - Top 100 in the nation for hip fracture care
  - Top 100 in the nation for major bowel procedures
  - Top 10% in the nation for major orthopaedic surgery
- Sibley was ranked as one of the nation’s 100 best hospitals for spine surgery by Healthgrades' 2021 Specialty Excellence Awards.