For over 50 years, East Jefferson General Hospital has been deeply rooted in the community, providing extraordinary care to East Jefferson Parish. We look forward to continuing that tradition while also bringing additional services and advanced treatments to our patients.

Treating our community like family is the only way we know. We’ve been sharing the love with our community since 1971 through our commitment to one-of-a-kind care for every body, from head to toe. Our national accolades speak for themselves. East Jefferson is the only hospital in Louisiana to have obtained a fifth Magnet re-designation for our commitment to nursing excellence. We’re proud to be an amazing place to work and an extraordinary place for patients to receive care.

"At East Jefferson General Hospital, the heart and soul of our organization is our people. Our team is committed to providing the best care possible for our patients and community and ensuring we all have our healthiest days ahead of us."

Gregory A. Nielsen
Interim Chief Executive Officer
East Jefferson General Hospital

Our history and growth

1971
Opened our doors on Valentine’s Day to serve the growing suburbs on the East Bank of Jefferson Parish

1973
Launched our Volunteer Program, providing more than 80K hours of service to care for our community

2002
Became Louisiana’s First Nurse Magnet Hospital and the first to hold that prestigious distinction four times consecutively

2005
One of only a handful of hospitals in our region to never close during or in the immediate aftermath of Hurricane Katrina

2017
The first of three consecutive years being named #1 in Louisiana by CareChex in Overall Hospital Care

2020
Joined LCMC Health, ensuring the highest level of care for our community for generations to come

2022
Achieved our fifth Magnet designation, and fourth re-designation.

Specialties
• Brain and Spine Care
• Cancer Care
• Heart and Vascular Care
• Primary Care
• Orthopedics
• Surgery
• Women’s Health

Location
4200 Houma Blvd.
Metairie LA 70006
504.503.4000
ejgh.org

Dreaming of a healthier future.

Personalized care you can count on

East Jefferson General Hospital
LCMC Health

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The care you need, close to home
With Primary Care locations in Metairie, Lakeview, Old Metairie, Kenner and River Ridge as well as a free-standing Imaging clinic in Metairie, we’re right where you need us, when you need us.

Payer mix
- 61.7% Medicare and Medicare HMO
- 24.4% Managed Care
- 11.2% Medicaid
- 2.8% Self and Other Pay

EJGH by the numbers
- 1,872 Employees
- 561 Physicians
- 132 Active volunteers
- 407 Inpatient Beds
- 9,069 Surgeries
- 143,521 Primary & Specialty Clinic Visits
- 38,453 ER Visits
- 839 Deliveries

Source: information annualized based on December 31, 2022 data available.

Awards and accreditations
- CareChex
- Medical Excellence
- #1 Market: Overall hospital care
- Top 10% State: Stroke care
- Top 10% Nation: Overall hospital care, Overall medical care
- Patient Safety: Top 10% Nation, Overall hospital care
- Magnet since 2002, first in Louisiana, fifth re-designation in 2022
- Spring & Fall 2022 Grade A Hospital Safety Grade by Leapfrog
- CMS 4-Star rating, the region’s highest rating
- 2022 American Heart Association award: Get with the Guidelines Heart Failure Gold Plus and Target Heart Failure Honor Roll; Get with the Guidelines Stroke Gold Plus and Target Stroke Honor Roll Elite
- Baby Friendly Designation since 2016
- 2021-2022 Louisiana Birth Ready Plus Designated
- American College of Cardiology (ACC) Transcatheter Valve Certification (First in Greater New Orleans area).
- 2022 ACC Heart Failure Accreditation, both hospital and clinic; hospital’s fourth accreditation and the clinic’s first.
- Joint Commission Thrombectomy Capable Stroke Recertification since 2018
- U.S. News & World Report Hospital Rankings and Ratings for High Performing: Orthopedic Service Line, Heart Failure, and Stroke
- Pulmonary Rehabilitation Program Certification and Cardiac Rehabilitation Program Certification from the American Association of Cardiovascular & Pulmonary Rehabilitation (AACVPR)
- American College of Radiology Accreditation in CT, Mammogram, MRI, Nuclear Medicine, Ultrasound, Radiation Oncology, and PET
- Awarded Blue Distinction Center Facility BDC+ (Blue Distinction Center Plus) for Hip & Knee
- AASM (American Academy of Sleep Medicine) accreditation (Sleep Lab)
- CAP (College of American Pathologist) accreditation (ABG Lab)
- 2022 Louisiana Nurses Foundation Nightingale Registered Nurse of the Year Award – Susie Amick, Lactation Consultant, Women & Newborn Care