

Magnet Recognition

American Nurses Credentialing Center

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The ANCC Magnet Recognition Program® is the highest credential a healthcare organization can achieve. A Magnet designation indicates to patients and the public that these organizations have met the most stringent, evidence-based standards of nursing excellence in patient care delivery.

Bakersfield Memorial Hospital has applied to the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) for the prestigious designation of Magnet.

We invite patients, family members, staff, and other interested parties to provide feedback via email or direct mail.

- All comments must be submitted by **May 1, 2026**.
- Anonymous comments should be sent in writing to the Magnet Program Office.
- Please note that ALL COMMENTS WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL and will not be shared with the organization.

Send Comments to: Beckie Mathews
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Magnet Recognition Program Office
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Email Comments to: magnet@ana.org

Why is Magnet important?

Magnet recognition acknowledges the invaluable contributions of nurses in all healthcare settings and among all populations worldwide. It is a results-driven recognition that fosters nurse engagement and the role nurses play as interprofessional team members to improve patient outcomes and reduce healthcare costs.

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