

About Dignity Health – St. Mary Medical Center

St. Mary Medical Center was founded by the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word in 1923. It has grown to a 389-bed acute care nonprofit hospital with all private rooms, offering a full range of inpatient, outpatient, and related health and wellness services to the greater Long Beach area. As part of Dignity Health, the fifth largest health care system in the nation and the largest hospital provider in California, St. Mary Medical Center is committed to building healthy communities by offering accessible, affordable care.

St. Mary Medical Center offers a unique balance of leading-edge technology and quality care provided by more than 550 physicians and over 1,400 staff members.



Quality Medical Care

- Cancer Care
- Emergency & Trauma Services (Level II)
- Gastroenterology
- Heart Care
- HIV Treatment and Prevention
- Maternity Care
- Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (Level III-B)
- Oncology
- Orthopedics
- Palliative Care
- Pediatrics
- Rehabilitation Services
- Stroke Care
- Surgical Services
- Surgical Weight Loss
- Women's Health

Our Mission

We are committed to furthering the healing ministry of Jesus. We dedicate our resources to:

- Delivering compassionate, high-quality, affordable health services;
- Serving and advocating for our sisters and brothers who are poor and disenfranchised; and,
- Partnering with others in the community to improve the quality of life.



Dignity Health®
St. Mary Medical Center

Healing the Community

St. Mary Medical Center is committed to providing health care, community events, educational programs, and other services to improve the long term health of the community. Specialty programs include:

CARE Center

HIV treatment and prevention program, including PrEP Center of Excellence.

Families in Good Health

Low Vision Center

Mobile Clinic

Provides preventative health screenings, resources, and health insurance enrollment.

Health Education Programs

Support individuals living with chronic conditions, those at risk of falling or needing access to care through special programs for older adults.

A Commitment to Excellence

A recognized leader in excellence, innovation, and community services, Dignity Health – St. Mary Medical Center provides a full complement of services.

Healthgrades Quality Recognitions

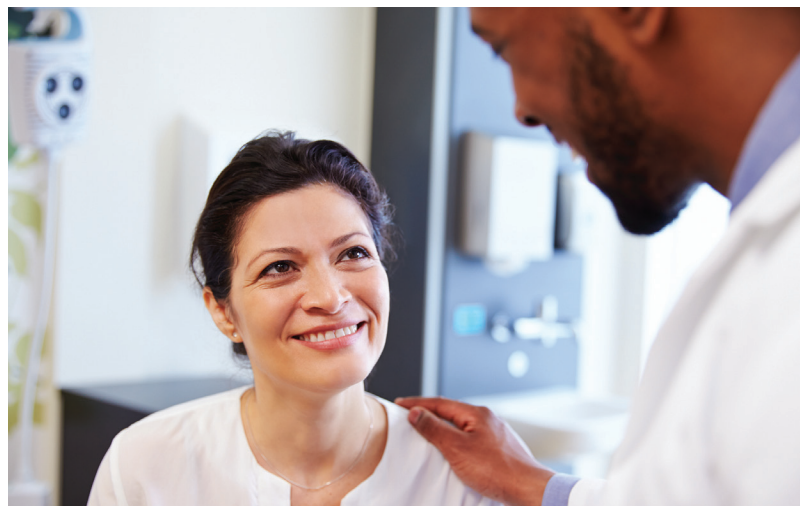
Healthgrades is the leading independent health care ratings company, which ranks hospitals, and offers patients an educational guide in the selection of caregivers in their own communities. St. Mary Medical Center is proud to receive these Healthgrades honors.



Named Among the Top 5% in the Nation for Patient Safety (2013-2017)

Named Among the Top 5% for Obstetrics and Gynecology (2017)

Named Among the Top 5% for Labor and Delivery (2017)



Baby-Friendly® Designation by World Health Organization



St. Mary Medical Center is one of less than 450 U.S. hospitals and birthing centers designated as Baby-Friendly.® Becoming a Baby-Friendly facility is a comprehensive, detailed, and thorough journey toward excellence in providing evidence-based, maternity care with the goal of achieving optimal infant feeding outcomes, and mother/baby bonding.

Key Quality Achievements

American College of Radiology
Breast Imaging Center of Excellence



2017 Practice Greenhealth
Environmental Excellence Award

Leader in LGBTQ Healthcare
Equality by the Human Rights
Campaign



**Blue
Distinction®
Center+**

Blue Distinction Center
for Bariatrics

Blue Distinction Center
for Cardiac Care



Dignity Health®
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Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery
Accreditation and Quality
Improvement Program

