

A Community Partner

We are committed to providing quality care to our communities. As part of an investor-owned hospital system, we pay more than \$3.1 million in local taxes that go toward the improvement of local infrastructure and community programs.

We take the complex issues facing the uninsured very seriously. As such, Desert Regional Medical Center has adopted Tenet's Compact With Uninsured Patients policy. The program offers discount rates to all uninsured patients who receive treatment at our hospital, regardless of their income level.

Charities We Support

- Hanson House Foundation
- Palm Springs Boys & Girls Club
- Desert AIDS Projects
- Healthy Families
- SafeHouse of the Desert
- Stroke Recovery Center
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Desert Sheriff Search & Rescue



Desert Regional Medical Center

Desert Regional Medical Center is located in Palm Springs. The hospital's emergency/trauma services is the Coachella Valley's only designated trauma center servicing more than 800 miles to the Arizona border.

Desert Regional Medical Center offers a vast array of specialty services including the Comprehensive Cancer Center; the Women and Infant Center with the area's highest level, full community level, neonatal intensive care unit (NICU); the Maternal Fetal Medicine Center for high-risk pregnancies; the Bariatric Specialists program; the Institute of Clinical Orthopedics and Neurosciences; the valley's only acute inpatient rehabilitation unit, a hospital-based psychiatric and hospice services, the Hospice of Desert Communities; the Wellness Center; the Health Key Plus senior program; and Healthy Beginnings maternity program.

This highly dedicated facility has been featured in "Champions of Industry" on the Discovery Channel and listed in Forbes magazine.

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Tenet Healthcare Corporation, through its subsidiaries, owns and operates acute care hospitals and related ancillary health care businesses, which include ambulatory surgery centers and diagnostic imaging centers. Tenet's hospitals and related health care facilities are committed to providing high quality care to patients in the communities they serve. For more information, please visit www.tenethealth.com.



Our Commitment to the Community



Awards & Distinctions

- American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (ASMBS) Bariatric Surgery Center of Excellence®
- Society of Chest Pain Centers Accredited Chest Pain Center with Percutaneous Intervention
- 2008 UnitedHealth Premium® Specialty Centers for Total Joint Replacement, Cardiovascular Surgery and Interventional Cardiology
- CIGNA 2008 Centers of Excellence for Angioplasty and Total Knee Replacement
- CIGNA 2008 quality designations for Angioplasty, Coronary Artery Bypass Graft, Cesarean Section, Heart Attack, Total Hip Replacement, Total Knee Replacement and Adult Pneumonia
- 2008 American Heart Association *Get With The Guidelines*SM Bronze Performance Achievement Award for Heart Failure
- Blue Cross and Blue Shield Blue Distinction® Center for Bariatric Surgery
- One of 13 Highest Value Hospitals by The Leapfrog Group



Patient Statistics

Admitted	18,433 Patients
Delivered	3,578 Babies
Cared for	56,153 ER Patients
Performed	5,592 Inpatient Surgeries
Performed	5,890 Outpatient Surgeries

Local Taxes

Property Tax	\$1,337,887
Sales Tax	\$1,682,000
Total Local Taxes	\$3,019,887

Economic Impact

Total Employees/FTEs	1,967
Salaries/Wages/Benefits	\$132,119,352
Capital Funds Reinvested	\$6,827,233
Total Economic Impact	\$138,946,585

All numbers as of 12/31/2008

Charity and Discounted Care

Charity Care	\$32,156,337
Discount to the Uninsured	\$29,072,873

Our Medical Services

- 24-hour Emergency Department
- Acute Inpatient Rehabilitation
- Bariatric Services
- Bloodless Medicine and Surgery*
- Comprehensive Cancer Center
- Comprehensive Breast Center
- Cardiac/Heart Care
- Diabetes Management
- Hospice of the Desert Communities
- Institute of Clinical Orthopedics and Neuroscience
- Spine Care Program
- Women and Infants' Center
- Wound Care Center

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* "Bloodless" means medical or surgical treatment without the use of banked (stored) allogenic blood or primary blood components. Blood loss often occurs during surgery. A bloodless program endeavors to minimize blood loss by utilizing special blood conservation methods.