

St. Francis Medical Center

Capability Document

This document provides guidance to referring hospitals and employed and affiliated physicians about usual and customary capabilities provided at St. Francis Medical center. This document changes often, and the most current document can be obtained by calling **318-966-4233**.

No Capability for Emergency Care	Clinically Specific Capability	Current Capability
<p><i>There is currently no capability to care for emergency patients that fall within the below categories.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Behavioral Health Services • Multi-System Trauma (including all burns) • Pediatrics (0-15 years) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Psychiatric Emergencies (0-18years) • Oncology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Induction Chemotherapy (Leukemia) • Hematology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Exchange Transfusions (Sickle Cell Acute Chest) • Ophthalmology • Orthopedics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Acetabular Fractures ◦ Musculoskeletal oncology ◦ Tibial Plateau Fractures • Transplant Medicine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Includes solid organ, cornea, bone marrow and fecal transplants • Oral and maxillofacial surgery • Transfers for forensic evaluation only (Sexual assault, foreign body retrieval) • Esophageal Injuries • Emergent Aortic Arch • Oncology and Hematological Emergencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Includes plasmapheresis • Pulmonary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Pulmonary stents or debulking procedures 	<p><i>Patients that present with these conditions will need some additional medical information to ensure that clinical capability is available.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plastics and Hand Surgery (non-reimplantation) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Limited on-call coverage depending on surgeon on call, please call PACE to identify capability and specifics • Dermatology (no inpatient services) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Unless systemic disease can accept and have OP follow up (Hospitalist to determine) • Pediatrics (0-15 years) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Trauma and Medical Conditions • Adolescent Patients (16-18) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Patients will be accepted based on the admitting specialist who must have agreement from all reasonably needed services prior to acceptance • Lateral Transfer(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Transfers request from hospitals with published same service capabilities shall be reviewed by transfer center medical director or designee. • Otolaryngology (ENT) Emergencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ No traumatic injuries ◦ Limited on-call coverage, please call House Supervisor for current call coverage • Neurosurgery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Includes isolated traumatic SDH 	<p><i>If there is capacity, Patient Care Access clinical providers can accept these patients to the Emergency Department. See note about behavioral health below.¹</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Medicine and Intensive Care • General Orthopedic Emergencies • Cardiology (General and Interventional) • Emergency Medicine (Seen in ED and likely discharged after procedure or consult) • Gastrointestinal Emergencies (including ERCP) • Neurology (Stroke and Non-Stroke) • Obstetrics and Gynecology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Includes precipitous deliveries and newborn medicine • Surgical Emergencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Includes thoracic, vascular, cardiovascular • Pulmonary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ EBUS • Hemodialysis- Vascular Access Complications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Currently, no capacity to revise HD shunts but can manage and stop hemorrhage and replace with temporary HD catheter. • Inmates requiring admission • Emergent Valvular Cases • Endocrine Emergencies