

Michael David Antonio Angelo,  
Pediatric liver transplant patient



**Care that will make you  
both feel better.**



**UHealth Jackson**  
Children's Care



# Accomplishing extraordinary things every day for children of all ages.

Parents from across the globe trust the experts at UHealth Jackson Children's Care to care for their children—from small injuries to complex medical conditions. For parents in South Florida, this expertise is just a short drive away, with convenient access points throughout South Florida.

## Every pediatric specialty imaginable

From urgent care and emergency care to cancer treatments and organ transplants, there is no childhood injury or illness beyond our capabilities. Consider that peace of mind, knowing we have the doctors and technologies your child needs—and a whole lot more.

In fact, UHealth Jackson Children's Care is the only pediatric program affiliated with an academic medical center in South Florida. That means children and their parents get access to cutting-edge medical science, including clinical trials, the latest technology, and up-to-the-minute research. The same doctors who provide our bedside care are also driving innovation and training the pediatricians of tomorrow.

## Holtz Children's Hospital

This is our flagship pediatric hospital, serving children from infancy through young adulthood. It is one of the largest children's hospitals in the southeastern United States and is consistently ranked among the nation's best by *U.S. News & World Report*.









## Setting the right tone for children

We've taken extraordinary steps to help young patients feel safe and stay positive. Holtz Children's offers a creative arts studio, music recording studio, and an Exploratorium movie theater, where patients and their families can enjoy films, play video games, and spend time together outside of patient rooms. Waiting areas and patient rooms also feature fun décor, kid-friendly art and themes that include jungle adventures, boat voyages, balloon rides, and space travel.

### Certified child life specialists

Welcoming walls, fun furniture, and uplifting activities are just part of the story. Holtz Children's takes a holistic approach, overseen by certified child life specialists. These experts provide emotional support for patients and their families, teaching coping skills to make hospital stays less stressful, which reduces the need for sedation in some procedures and promotes a faster recovery.

### Music therapy

Music therapy can help our youngest patients accomplish individualized goals with the support of a board-certified music therapist. Our music therapists work with each patient and their family to improve their hospital stay and achieve optimal recovery, while supporting their emotional needs through music activities using instruments and song.



## Multifaceted child life program

- Professional support from certified child life specialists
- Recreational and play therapies
- "Safe" playrooms, where no medical procedures take place
- Special visitors, including artists, musicians, and professional athletes



# The entire alphabet of pediatric care

## Pediatric emergency department

When your child is injured or suddenly becomes ill—and your parental instincts tell you it’s an emergency—we have dedicated pediatric emergency departments throughout Miami-Dade County at the following locations: The Chaplin Family Pediatric Emergency Room at Holtz Children’s, Jackson North Medical Center, Jackson West Medical Center, and Jackson South Medical Center. These pediatric ERs feature kids-only reception lounges, kid-themed examination rooms, and dedicated trauma rooms. They are staffed by board-certified, pediatric emergency medicine physicians, as well as friendly staff trained to address the special needs of any patient on the autism spectrum or with related disabilities. With the help of The University of Miami-Nova Southeastern University Center for Autism and Related Disabilities (UM-NSU CARD), our centers are underway to earning autism-friendly designations and will be equipped with sensory-friendly rooms.

## Pediatric intensive care unit (PICU)

For critically ill children, we offer the Carnival Cares for Kids Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU). This ICU, just for kids, features a multidisciplinary team with pediatric critical care doctors, nurses and nurse practitioners—plus pediatric pharmacists and pediatric respiratory therapists. This is medical care at the highest level, with continuous monitoring until young patients are stabilized. The PICU includes 24 large private rooms where parents are allowed to stay overnight with their child. The unit is also equipped with two operating rooms, as well as the latest life-saving technologies, including extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO).

## Neonatal intensive care unit (NICU)

We have world-class neonatal doctors standing by, ready to provide whatever care your little miracle needs. Complications, expected and unexpected, are our specialty and every parent, new and experienced, can take comfort in that. Our advanced NICU at Holtz Children’s Hospital—The Schatzi and Stanley Kassal Project: Newborn Neonatal Intensive Care Unit—is seamlessly integrated with Jackson Health System’s maternity services, and is the largest in South Florida. With 126 beds, of which 66 are Level III, our team is prepared to care for the most critically ill newborns. Here, UHealth—University of Miami Health System neonatologists, specialized nurses, and respiratory therapists manage complications ranging from premature births to congenital defects to life-threatening illnesses. Jackson North is also prepared to care for critically ill newborns at their Level II NICU.

## Urgent care centers

For routine illnesses and minor injuries, our UHealth Jackson Urgent Care centers provide expert care close to home—with no appointment necessary. Every urgent care center is staffed by a board-certified UHealth—University of Miami Health System physician and every child will get the precise care they need—including children with autism or related disabilities. Our urgent care centers have all been designated autism-friendly by the University of Miami-Nova Southeastern University Center for Autism and Related Disabilities (UM-NSU CARD), meaning they have specially trained staff and rooms equipped to meet the needs of these patients. Every child can find comfort here.

# A greater number of subspecialties than our smallest patients can count

More than 30 in all, each featuring an expert team backed by UHealth-University of Miami Health System and University of Miami Miller School of Medicine. For our young patients—and their parents—that means access to top pediatric specialists. Doctors who teach other doctors. It also means access to the latest technologies, most advanced clinical care, and groundbreaking research.

## Pediatric cardiac care

An internationally respected team specializing in comprehensive care for congenital or acquired heart conditions—everything from routine care to complex heart surgery, even transplants. We are the first in Florida to become an Accredited Pediatric Heart Failure Institute and the only comprehensive pediatric and congenital heart program in Miami-Dade County.

## Pediatric organ transplantation

We offer a full range of organ transplants including heart, lung, heart-lung, kidney, liver, intestinal, and multivisceral—as well as intestinal rehabilitation and life-saving support for failing hearts and lungs, for infants through young adults. The Miami Transplant Institute (MTI), part of the UHealth Jackson network, is among the top transplant centers in the nation and has been a leading transplant center for more than 50 years.\*

\*Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network/United Network for Organ Sharing (OPTN/UNOS), January 2022.

## Pediatric neurosciences

Our pediatric neurologists and neurosurgeons provide the most comprehensive care for children and adolescents with injuries or disorders affecting the brain, spinal cord, and nervous system.

## Pediatric hematology/ oncology, and blood and bone marrow transplant

Our providers are part of Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, which is part of UHealth-University of Miami Health System and is South Florida's only National Cancer Institute-designated cancer center. We're renowned for treating a wide variety of cancers, and our pediatric blood and bone marrow transplant program is the only one in South Florida to be continuously accredited. The Hemophilia Treatment Center is internationally recognized and the only South Florida federally funded program, able to treat both congenital and acquired bleeding and clotting disorders. Our sickle cell disease program follows more than 500 patients with a formal program to help patients successfully transition from pediatric to adult care.

## Pediatric nephrology

Consistently ranked among the top programs in the nation, Holtz Children's is also home to the Comprehensive Children's Kidney Failure Center. Our experienced pediatric nephrology team excels in the treatment of hypertension, kidney stones, nephritis, and early renal failure in children.

## Pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology, and nutrition

Our expert team treats all conditions related to a child's digestive system, including nutrition, motility, and structural issues. We are experts in the treatment of liver failure and other hepatology conditions. For gastrointestinal challenges, we prioritize less invasive options, such as intestinal rehabilitation—though we are also leaders in transplant.

## Pediatric endocrinology

Recognized year after year in the "Best Hospital Rankings" by *U.S. News & World Report*, we specialize in caring for children who have conditions that affect their hormones and growth.





## And more...

- Adolescent Medicine
- Adolescent and Pediatric Gynecology
- Comprehensive Spina Bifida
- Pediatric Allergy and Immunology
- Pediatric Behavioral Health
- Pediatric Dermatology
- Pediatric Dentistry
- Pediatric Endocrinology
- Pediatric General Surgery
- Pediatric Genetics
- Pediatric Infectious Diseases
- Pediatric Ophthalmology
- Pediatric Orthopedic
- Pediatric Otolaryngology (Ear, Nose and Throat)
- Pediatric Palliative Care (PediPals)
- Pediatric Plastic Surgery
- Pediatric Pulmonology
- Pediatric Radiology
- Pediatric Rehabilitation
- Pediatric Urology

# When little ones face big challenges

## Managing chronic conditions

Any family that has faced a chronic or congenital condition understands that hospitalization and hospital-based care are a regular part of life. At UHealth Jackson Children's Care, we offer a seamless transition of care into adult programs when needed. If your child faces these circumstances, you can count on our expertise in helping kids address the complex medical and emotional issues related to many life-altering disorders, including:

- Cancer
- Sickle cell disease
- Crohn's disease, colitis, and inflammatory bowel disease
- Cystic fibrosis
- Kidney disease
- Congenital heart disease
- Cardiomyopathy
- Liver and intestinal disease
- Organ transplantation
- Blood and bone marrow transplant
- GI motility and chronic abdominal pain
- Spina bifida and other congenital disorders
- Diabetes and endocrine disorders
- Hemophilia and other clotting disorders
- Asthma, allergy, and immunology conditions

We are also home to PediPals, our palliative care team, with medical professionals skilled at relieving pain through the mind, body, and spirit. PediPals connects patients and their families to community resources, helps them cope with the psychological effects of illness, assists them with pain management, and participates in anticipatory planning.







## Ryder Trauma Center

With locations at Jackson Memorial Hospital and Jackson South Medical Center, Ryder Trauma Center is staffed by expert trauma surgeons and specialists from UHealth - University of Miami Health System. We offer world-renowned trauma services to both children and adults.

Ryder Trauma provides access to medical transport services, including dedicated pediatric ambulances, fixed-wing aircraft, and emergency helicopters. With skilled pediatric and neonatal physicians, fellows, nurses, and respiratory therapists available 24/7, we can easily arrange for fast, efficient transport of severely ill or injured children from referring hospitals across the region.

# Serving every corner of South Florida and the world

UHealth Jackson Children's Care is a healthcare network built just for kids. It features academic-based health care by experts trained in every pediatric specialty, and offers access to the latest advancements in pediatric medicine. This is children's care so good, parents fly in from around the world seeking treatment for their children.





## Pediatric Hospital

### Holtz Children's Hospital

1611 N.W. 12th Ave.,  
East Tower  
Miami, FL 33136

**305-585-KIDS (5437)**

## Pediatric Emergency Departments

### Chaplin Family Pediatric ER at Holtz Children's Hospital

1611 N.W. 12th Ave.,  
East Tower  
Miami, FL 33136

### Jackson North Medical Center Pediatric ER

160 N.W. 170th St.  
Miami, FL 33157

### Jackson South Medical Center Pediatric ER

9333 S.W. 152nd St.  
Miami, FL 33176  
Coming Soon

### Jackson West Medical Center Pediatric ER

2801 N.W. 79th Ave.  
Doral, FL 33122

## Pediatric Primary and Specialty Care Clinics

### Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center – Alex's Place

1475 N.W. 12th Ave.  
Miami, FL 33136

### Batchelor Children's Research Institute

1580 N.W. 10th Ave.  
Miami, FL 33136

### UHealth Jackson Specialty Care at Jackson South Medical Center

9380 S.W. 150th St.  
Suite 290B  
Miami, FL 33176

### UHealth Jackson Specialty Care at Jackson West Medical Center

2801 N.W. 79th Ave.  
Doral, FL 33122

### Mailman Center for Child Development

1601 N.W. 12th Ave.  
First Floor  
Miami, FL 33136

### UHealth Pediatrics at Corporate Lakes Professional

1855 N. Corporate Lakes Blvd.  
Suite 3  
Weston, FL 33326

### UHealth Pediatrics at Desai Sethi Medical Center

1150 N.W. 14th St.  
Suite 410  
Miami, FL 33136

### UHealth Pediatrics at Kendall

8932 S.W. 97 Ave.  
Suite 10  
Miami, FL 33176

### UHealth Pediatrics at The Lennar Foundation Medical Center

5555 Ponce De Leon Blvd.  
Third Floor  
Coral Gables, FL 33146

### Shriners Children's Orthopedic Center at UHealth Jackson Children's Care

1611 N.W. 12th Ave.  
Second floor,  
Ambulatory Care Center West  
Miami, FL, 33136

## UHealth Jackson Urgent Care Centers

### Coral Gables

3737 S.W. 8th St.  
Coral Gables, FL 33134  
*Opening summer 2023*

### Doral

7400 N.W. 104th Ave.  
Doral, FL 33178

### Country Walk

13707 S.W. 152nd St.  
Miami, FL 33177

### Keystone Point

13120 Biscayne Blvd.  
North Miami, FL 33181

### Cutler Bay

18910 South Dixie Hwy.  
Cutler Bay, FL 33157

### North Dade

16555 N.W. 25th Ave.  
Miami Gardens, FL 33054

For updates and more information, visit [ExpertKidsCare.org](https://www.expertkidscare.org).

To request an appointment with one of our pediatric specialists, call **305-586-PEDI (7334)**.



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Your support is important to UHealth Jackson Children's Care. To find out how you can get involved,  
contact Jackson Health Foundation today at **305-585-GIVE (4483)** or **[JacksonHealthFoundation.org](https://JacksonHealthFoundation.org)**.



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# Medical excellence for a global community

*Jackson International connects patients from around the world with expert treatment for complex medical and surgical care. Jackson International provides a one-of-a-kind medical concierge and hospitality program. The program, which supports international patients and their families, assigns a hospitality coordinator who provides compassionate, professional, and personal assistance 24 hours a day.*



## Luxurious patient reception center

The VUMI International Patient Reception Center at Jackson Memorial Hospital is an upscale oasis for international patients and their families. The center features first-class hospital amenities in addition to luxurious waiting areas, examination rooms, and a full-service business center.

## 24-Hour access to expert medical care

Our hospitality coordinators are always available to assist with every aspect of inpatient and outpatient stays. Calling **+1 305-355-1212** connects the caller with foreign medical graduates trained to facilitate all aspects of emergency medical transfers.

### Jackson International

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