

A CALL TO SERVE

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More than 65 years ago, the Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange came together with a community eager to bring leading-edge health care to the region “to create a hospital that would rival all others.” Today, the volunteers who serve on the Providence St. Jude Memorial Foundation Board of Directors play a central role in making sure that high-quality, compassionate health care continues to exist for everyone in our community — including those who are most vulnerable.

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As health care continues to experience transformational change that brings with it new challenges and opportunities, philanthropic support will be more important than ever to our ability to aggressively pursue the latest innovations and advancements in patient care — today, tomorrow and into the future.

Providence St. Jude Medical Center has a celebrated history of quality and innovation, and, with the community’s help, is poised for an even brighter future. To this end, we seek to partner with like-minded people who believe in our work and mission, and are willing to serve and support our journey to dramatically enhance the health and well-being of the region.

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Who we are

Providence St. Jude Medical Center is a faith-based, not-for-profit hospital located in Fullerton, California. Established by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange in 1957 and part of the Providence family, St. Jude has grown into one of the state's most respected and technologically advanced hospitals.

Through nationally recognized programs and services that place us among the top tier of hospitals nationwide, we offer a level of care that not only exceeds community benchmarks, but allows us to restore the health and dignity of those we serve.

Medical services

As a 320-bed acute care hospital with 700 of the area's finest physicians on staff, Providence St. Jude offers nearly every medical specialty and sub-specialty. Whether for the birth of a baby, lifesaving surgery or a routine mammogram, Providence St. Jude continues to set the standard for medical care and offers the community the most comprehensive array of services and programs.

Our areas of specialty include breast care, cancer, cardiac, maternity, orthopedics, digestive health, rehabilitation and neurosciences/stroke.

One extraordinary health system

As part of the Providence family, St. Jude is proud to serve alongside 50 other hospitals, more than 800 clinics and a comprehensive range of health and social services across Alaska, California, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, Texas and Washington.

In service to all

Beyond the walls of the hospital, each year, Providence St. Jude Medical Center invests time and resources into local communities to increase access to health care for vulnerable populations and provide local residents with the support they need to make their neighborhoods healthier and safer. Initiatives include neighborhood health clinics, community education and outreach programs, senior support services, youth and family wellness programs, and homeless support services.

Providence St. Jude Medical Center has become one of Southern California's **most advanced and respected hospitals.**

Our Mission

As expressions of God’s healing love, witnessed through the ministry of Jesus, we are steadfast in serving all, especially those who are poor and vulnerable.

Our Vision

Health for a Better World.

Our Promise

“Know me, care for me, ease my way.”

Awards and Recognition

Providence St. Jude’s commitment to safeguarding and improving the lives of patients and families is evident in a long list of national awards and honors, including:

- “Best Regional Hospital” recognition in Los Angeles and Orange County, in 14 types of care, by *U.S. News & World Report*
- Magnet® Recognition for nursing excellence
- Healthgrades - Among America’s 100 Best Hospitals - #1 for Stroke Care and #4 for Critical Care in California
- “A” Rating for Safety from The Leapfrog Group
- Women’s Choice Award for America’s Best 100 Hospitals for Patient Experience
- Advanced Comprehensive Stroke Center Certification by The Joint Commission
- Advanced Certification for Total Hip & Knee Replacement by The Joint Commission
- Named California’s only designated center of excellence for innovative robotic techniques
- Accreditation from the Commission on Cancer by the American College of Surgeons for Providence St. Jude Crosson Cancer Institute
- Certified Quality Breast Center by the American College of Surgeons for Providence St. Jude Kathryn T. McCarty Breast Center
- Nationally ranked rehabilitation program, #1 in Southern California; accreditation by National Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities in both spinal cord and brain injury (inpatient and outpatient) and accreditation in comprehensive stroke rehabilitation
- Modern Healthcare - Best Place to Work in Healthcare recognition
- *Newsweek* - World’s Best Hospitals recognition



OUR VALUES

Compassion

Jesus taught and healed with compassion for all.
— **Matthew 4:24**

We reach out to those in need and offer comfort as Jesus did. We nurture the spiritual, emotional and physical well-being of one another and those we serve. Through our healing presence, we accompany those who suffer.

Dignity

All people have been created in the image of God.
— **Genesis 1:27**

We value, encourage and celebrate the gifts in one another. We respect the inherent dignity and worth of every individual. We recognize each interaction as a sacred encounter.

Justice

Act with justice, love with kindness and walk humbly with your God. — **Micah 6:8**

We foster a culture that promotes unity and reconciliation. We strive to care wisely for our people, our resources and our earth. We stand in solidarity with the most vulnerable, working to remove the causes of oppression and promoting justice for all.

Excellence

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart.
— **Colossians 3:23**

We set the highest standards for ourselves and our ministries. Through transformation and innovation, we strive to improve the health and quality of life in our communities. We commit to compassionate, safe and reliable practices for the care of all.

Integrity

Let us love not merely with words or speech but with actions in truth. — **1 John 3:18**

We hold ourselves accountable to do the right things for the right reasons. We speak the truth with courage and respect. We pursue authenticity with humility and simplicity.



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Board of Directors: Roles and Responsibilities

Board members of the Providence St. Jude Memorial Foundation support Providence St. Jude Medical Center by providing and generating philanthropic support, lending expertise and communicating the mission and purpose of our hospital to the broader community.

Each board member is expected to participate by:

- 1. Attending Foundation meetings**
Board members hold office for a three-year term and are asked to attend four Foundation meetings per year. Board members may serve up to three consecutive three-year terms at the recommendation of the Board of Directors.
- 2. Understanding the Foundation's fundraising program and strategies**
As we build capacity for our fundraising efforts, board members are asked to learn about our fundraising initiatives and collaborate with our professional staff.
- 3. Making a personal annual gift**
Each board member is expected to make an annual gift. We ask that Providence St. Jude Medical Center be considered a top philanthropic priority for the year and understand that peoples' ability and capacity to give can vary widely. The goal is to achieve 100% Board participation. Securing gifts from every board member demonstrates leadership by example and is critical to the credibility of the Foundation as we solicit others for gifts.
- 4. Identifying prospective donors and opening the door with introductions**
Identifying and engaging new people with the hospital is an important way to grow a committed base of donors for the future. Opening doors with other like-minded people in the community will make each campaign the most successful it can be.
- 5. Identifying potential board members**
Board members are asked to bring forward people within their networks who may be strong members for the Foundation. We also ask that board members actively participate in the recruitment and engagement of potential new members.

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Roles and Responsibilities *continued*

6. Attending special events

Board members are asked to attend important events as hosts and ambassadors of the Foundation.

7. Joining task forces and subcommittees

Each board member is asked to join a task force or subcommittee that aligns with his/her interest. These groups identify and execute action plans for a specific area of fundraising. They meet regularly and report out to the overall board during board meetings, providing updates on their goals, timelines and accomplishments. Examples of committees may be finance, board development or special events.

8. Communicating about the hospital's great work

It is critical for every board member to act as a personal advocate for the Foundation and our hospital. Whenever appropriate in social and business settings, we ask that board members convey the hospital's philanthropic case for support.

9. Helping to cultivate donors

When a lay-leader engages a prospective donor and shares the reasons why he/she is involved with the Foundation, it can be very effective. We encourage our board members to work closely with the Foundation staff to cultivate meaningful relationships with potential donors during personal meetings, lunches, dinners, tours, hosting parlor events and bringing friends to events.

10. Soliciting contributions when appropriate

Peer-to-peer solicitations can be very effective and inspiring. When appropriate, the Foundation staff can assist with these conversations.

11. Thanking our donors

A personal and warm expression of appreciation will encourage donors to give again and again. Board members may be asked to sign letters, make calls and host appreciation events. This is an important step in the stewardship of the Foundation's donors.

Philanthropic support for Providence St. Jude will accelerate long-range **innovation and excellence** in clinical care

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JOIN US

The legacy of philanthropic service set forth by our Memorial Foundation Board of Directors has enabled Providence St. Jude to accelerate long-range innovation and excellence in clinical care, access to the latest breakthroughs in technology and treatment options, and enhancements to the patient experience. We invite you to join us, and answer the call to serve.



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Providence St. Jude Medical Center has evolved to meet the health needs of the community by developing **nationally recognized centers and institutes of excellence**, and meeting or exceeding stringent performance standards year after year in specialties such as cancer, stroke and neurosciences, cardiac services, digestive health, inpatient/outpatient rehabilitation and orthopedics.



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