

INFORMATION FOR REGIONAL HEART CENTER PATIENTS AND FAMILIES



The UW Medicine Regional Heart Center (RHC) provides a full range of cardiac care—from acute inpatient through outpatient clinic and diagnostic care—at hospital and clinic locations around the region. Each patient’s care is coordinated by a multi-disciplinary team of cardiologists, surgeons, nurse practitioners, social workers, financial counselors and palliative care professionals. We are humbled to serve you in the following areas:

General Cardiology Services

- **Preventive and consultative services** for all varieties of heart problems including cardiac risk assessment, coronary artery disease, arrhythmias such as atrial ablation, valve disease, cholesterol management and high blood pressure management
- **Diagnostic and imaging services** including exercise stress testing (treadmill testing), electrocardiograms (ECG/EKG), echocardiography, computed tomography (CT) angiography, nuclear medicine stress testing and cardiac magnetic resonance (MR) imaging

Advanced Therapies and Hybrid Procedures

- **Interventional cardiology:** Improved catheterization instruments and imaging enable our interventionalists to unblock arteries, repair structural heart defects and repair or replace aortic, pulmonary and mitral heart valves.
- **Cardiothoracic surgery:** Our surgeons perform open and minimally invasive procedures including transplantation, mechanical circulatory assist device implantation, coronary artery bypass grafts (CABG), aortic and mitral valve repair and complex surgery of the aorta.
- **Electrophysiology/Arrhythmia:** We have extensive experience diagnosing and treating conditions that confuse the heart’s normal rhythm, with expertise in implantation, management and extraction of pacemakers and defibrillator devices.

(over)



To make an appointment

Call the UW Medicine Contact Center at **206.520.5000**.

Advanced Heart Failure Program

We provide diagnostic, medical and surgical options for patients with heart failure who may or may not ultimately require transplantation, including mechanical circulatory devices such as a ventricular assist device (VAD) or total artificial heart (TAH). These implanted pumps are used to support normal blood flow for an extended period of time in patients with end-stage heart failure, allowing many to resume a life outside the hospital while considering further treatment options. The RHC's VAD program was the first in the region to receive The Joint Commission's certification, reflecting our expertise in individualizing devices to each patient. Our transplantation team, which includes surgeons, nurses, cardiologists, coordinators and diagnosticians, performs 20 to 30 heart transplants per year, far outpacing other heart-transplant sites in the Pacific Northwest.

Adult Congenital Heart Disease (ACHD) Specialists

The ACHD program is a collaborative effort of cardiologists, cardiac surgeons and other specialists with advanced training in congenital heart conditions. Many of our clinicians treat patients at both UW Medical Center and Seattle Children's, which can help younger patients as they mature and transition from pediatric to adult healthcare.

Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy (HCM) Services

The Regional Heart Center established a dedicated, multi-disciplinary clinic for patients with HCM (a thickening of the heart muscle) that includes cardiovascular specialists and surgeons, radiologists, medical geneticists and counselors. This consolidation of patient care fosters clinical expertise, optimizes the care experience for patients, and encourages clinical and translational research.

UW Medicine Regional Heart Center Clinic Locations

UW Medical Center

1959 N.E. Pacific St.
Seattle, WA 98195

Eastside Specialty Center

3100 Northup Way
Bellevue, WA 98004

Edmonds

21701 76th Ave W.
Edmonds, WA 98026

Harborview Medical Center

325 Ninth Ave
Seattle, WA 98104

Northwest Hospital

Summit Cardiology
1536 N. 115th St., Suite 200
Seattle, WA 98133

Northwest Hospital

Cardiology at Mill Creek
1025 153rd St SE #200
Mill Creek, WA 98012

Valley Medical Center

Southlake Clinic Cardiology
4011 Talbot Rd. S., Fifth Floor
Renton, WA 98055

Summit Cardiology at UW Medicine in Ballard

1455 NW Leary Way, Suite 350
Seattle, WA 98107

UW Medicine Regional Heart Center | Box 356171 | Seattle, WA | 98195
206.520.5000 | uwmedicine.org/heart