

Stroke Program

The Stroke Program at Blessing Inpatient Rehabilitation provides special care for patients who have undergone a neurological event and are in need of opportunities to improve physical and/or cognitive abilities.

Our specialized equipment, along with the clinical expertise of our physiatrist, rehab nurses, and therapists assist each patient with recovery and returning functional movement, speaking and swallowing.

Once admitted to the Blessing Inpatient Rehabilitation Program, you will be evaluated by a team of therapists and examined by specially trained rehab nurses. During your stay, be assured we measure your progress using an inter-disciplinary approach where the physicians, nurses and therapists are in constant communication to develop and deliver the best possible care. All will be working together to assist you with gaining independence with self-care, activities of daily living, mobility and communication.

Throughout rehab, you will have the ability to access Blessing's room service for nutrition needs, provided around your therapy times.

Prior to your discharge, you and your caregiver will have the opportunity to personally work with the therapists, nurses and discharge planner to assist your caregiver in ways to best meet your healing needs. For example, the nurse will discuss medications and answer questions you might have. The therapists will show your caregiver specially the best way to work with you once you leave the inpatient rehab unit. The discharge planner will work with you to coordinate services you will need after discharge.

Diagnostic Averages (Oct 2022 - Sept 2023)

Stroke

	<u>Blessing</u>	<u>National</u>
Average Age	71	69
Avg. Length of Stay (days)	19	16
Male	43%	53%
Female	57%	47%
Functional Change		
Self Care	9	10
Mobility	11	11
Walking	8	12
Wheelchair	4	3
Discharge Location		
Community	69%	72%
Long Term Care	23%	16%
Acute Care	9%	11%

Total Number of Patients with Stroke: 70

Average Number of Therapy Hours Each Day: 2.2

Patient Satisfaction

Inpatient Rehab Favorable Rankings for all Diagnosis

Overall Quality of Care	97%
Overall Quality of Therapy Care	100%
Overall Quality of Provider Care	95%
Overall Quality of Nursing Care	96%

The logo for Blessing Hospital, featuring a large, stylized blue letter 'B' followed by the words 'BLESSING' and 'HOSPITAL' in a blue, serif font.

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