



Emergency Services (Enter from Nall Avenue)

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We accept all major health insurance plans in the Kansas City area.

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We're Here When You Need Us

Emergency Services at Menorah Medical Center is the best place to go if the worst ever happens to you or your family. Your emergency is our emergency. And that's why our patients receive care from an experienced team of emergency physicians, specially trained nurses, technicians and other healthcare professionals within minutes of arriving through our doors.

The Emergency Services team at Menorah offers emergency care 24 hours a day, and is staffed by Emergency Room physicians 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Employing the latest techniques and technology, Menorah works closely with the area's ambulance services to ensure the best possible care, beginning even before patients arrive at the hospital so Emergency Physicians can plan for treatment even before arrival.

Emergency Services provides medical and nursing care for patients of all ages. Emergency Services excels in the immediate treatment of any medical emergency, for initiating lifesaving procedures, and for providing emergency care for chronic medical problems and for minor illnesses or injury.

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The average wait time for patients to see a physician in our Emergency Department is less than the time it takes to get a manicure. From stitches to strokes, our emergency physicians are ready to care for you 24-hours a day, every day.



Benefits of an Accredited Hospital



- Standardized care that results in extreme efficiency.
- Intervention therapies for those experiencing heart attacks.
- Cooperative relationships between emergency physicians, nurses, cardiologists and pharmacists.
- Ongoing commitment to patient safety.



Specializing in the Care of Heart and Stroke

Menorah is the only hospital in Johnson County *dual* certified as an Accredited Chest Pain Center and Certified Stroke Care Center.

Accredited Chest Pain Center

Chest pain can be the result of many different causes. And if it's being triggered by a heart attack, there's no time to lose. That's why Menorah has been accredited by the Society of Chest Pain Centers. Should chest pain be the result of a heart condition, you can feel confident in the care you receive at Menorah.

Certified Stroke Care Center

Time is critical when someone is experiencing a stroke. The Emergency Services team at Menorah is ready to respond quickly and effectively with its Certified Stroke Care Center. Our physicians, nurses and pharmacists are organized for a team response to strokes. The accreditation by the Society of Chest Pain Centers was awarded to Menorah for demonstrating expertise and commitment to quality patient care and treatment of chest pain.

Now That's Fast!

Menorah's door-to-balloon time is amongst the fastest in the city. Door-to-balloon time measures the time it takes for the hospital's team to get a cardiac patient from the emergency department into the cardiac cath lab and insert a catheter to open up the blockage.



Most Often, Emergency Services Care for Patients with:

- Cardiac problems, including heart attacks and stroke victims
- Automobile, motorcycle and other vehicular accidents
- Falls
- Accidents resulting in broken bones or other orthopedic problems
- Playground, athletic, workplace and school related accidents
- Asthma and other breathing emergencies
- Severe pain and/or bleeding
- Poisoning
- Acute behavioral health problems or emotional distress
- Acute exacerbation of chronic disease or illness
- Injuries caused by violence
- Burns

Our highly trained professional nurses and physicians possess the skills necessary to provide excellent healthcare to our patients. Our nurses and physicians are trained in Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support and Trauma Care.

Pediatric Care

Injuries send more children to the hospital than all diseases combined. And if your child needs emergency care, his or her fear of a strange environment can add to the stress. Coming to the Emergency Department doesn't have to be frightening for your child. Special care from the special staff at Menorah can help make a scary experience much easier.



Know the Signs of a Heart Attack and Stroke

Heart Attack Warning Signs

- Classic crushing chest pressure below the breastbone with pain and tingling down the left arm, accompanied by profuse sweating, shortness of breath and light-headedness.
- Men are more likely to describe symptoms similar to these.
- Women with coronary heartdisease tend to have what physicians refer to as “atypical” symptoms, which include:
 - New episodes of fatigue
 - Shortness of breath
 - Sleeplessness
 - A feeling of anxiousness
 - Indigestion

Stroke Warning Signs

- Sudden weakness or numbness of the face, arm or leg on one side of the body
- Sudden dimness or loss of vision
- Loss of speech, trouble talking or understanding speech
- Sudden, severe headache with no apparent cause
- Unexplained dizziness, unsteadiness or sudden falls, especially along with any of the previous symptoms

Not all of these signs occur in every attack. If you notice one or more of these signs and they last more than a few minutes, don't wait. Call 9-1-1 right away!