

ORTHOPEDICS

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Rank	Hospital	U.S. News Score	Reputation (%)	Mortality	Discharges (3 years)	Nursing index	Nurse Magnet hospital	Technology (of 4)	Patient/community services (of 8)	Trauma center
1	Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.	100.0	54.2	0.56	10,257	2.8	Yes	4.0	8	No
2	Hospital for Special Surgery, New York	98.1	50.8	0.03	9,606	1.9	Yes	4.0	6	Yes
3	Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston	59.8	30.0	1.29	4,071	1.9	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
4	Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore	51.4	20.3	0.77	1,829	2.3	Yes	4.0	8	Yes
5	Cleveland Clinic	48.3	18.0	0.65	4,469	1.5	Yes	4.0	7	No
6	Rush University Medical Center, Chicago	39.7	8.2	0.23	3,731	2.0	Yes	4.0	8	Yes
7	University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Iowa City	39.0	12.9	0.96	2,163	1.5	Yes	4.0	8	Yes
8	UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles	37.9	10.0	0.59	1,598	2.2	Yes	4.0	6	Yes
9	Duke University Medical Center, Durham, N.C.	36.2	9.9	0.73	3,052	1.8	No	4.0	7	Yes
10	University of Washington Medical Center, Seattle	35.6	8.4	0.44	1,182	2.2	Yes	4.0	7	No
11	Barnes-Jewish Hospital/Washington University, St. Louis	34.7	7.5	0.69	3,113	1.7	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
12	University of Pittsburgh Medical Center	34.2	8.7	0.85	3,785	1.9	No	4.0	8	Yes
13	New York-Presbyterian Univ. Hosp. of Columbia and Cornell	34.1	9.6	0.92	3,657	1.4	No	4.0	8	Yes
14	NYU Hospital for Joint Diseases, New York	33.5	7.5	0.84	4,374	1.5	Yes	3.5	8	Yes
15	New England Baptist Hospital, Boston	31.5	4.9	0.17	5,157	1.4	No	4.0	6	No
16	University of Michigan Hospitals and Health System, Ann Arbor	31.1	3.7	0.26	1,684	2.4	No	4.0	8	Yes
17	Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston	30.9	4.4	0.48	2,830	2.3	No	4.0	7	Yes
18	Harborview Medical Center, Seattle	30.3	7.5	0.84	1,068	2.2	No	3.5	7	Yes
19	Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia	30.2	5.1	0.74	4,288	1.7	No	4.0	8	Yes
20	Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Chicago	28.4	4.4	0.72	2,922	1.6	No	4.0	7	Yes
21	University of Chicago Hospitals	27.5	2.3	0.35	1,401	2.3	No	4.0	6	Yes
22	Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas	27.5	1.4	0.62	4,997	1.7	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
23	Stanford Hospital and Clinics, Stanford, Calif.	26.9	3.3	0.75	2,629	1.6	No	4.0	8	Yes
24	William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, Mich.	26.8	0.7	0.66	7,161	1.8	Yes	4.0	8	Yes
25	University of California, San Francisco Medical Center	26.5	3.7	0.67	1,732	2.3	No	4.0	7	No
26	University of Utah Hospitals and Clinics, Salt Lake City	26.4	3.1	0.79	2,122	2.2	No	4.0	8	Yes
27	University of Minnesota Medical Center, Minneapolis	26.4	2.2	0.61	2,012	1.8	No	4.0	8	Yes
28	USC University Hospital, Los Angeles	26.1	2.9	0.42	1,711	2.8	No	3.0	6	No
29	Summa Health System, Akron, Ohio	25.9	0.0	0.44	4,185	1.8	No	4.0	8	Yes
30	St. Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta	25.9	0.5	0.26	2,895	1.3	Yes	4.0	6	No
31	Sarasota Memorial Hospital, Fla.	25.8	0.0	0.47	5,245	1.6	Yes	4.0	8	No
32	LDS Hospital, Salt Lake City	25.4	0.0	0.59	2,850	1.9	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
33	Ohio State University Hospital, Columbus	25.4	0.7	0.54	611	1.7	Yes	4.0	8	Yes
34	Methodist Hospital, Omaha, Neb.	25.2	0.0	0.52	2,605	1.4	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
35	Mission Hospitals, Asheville, N.C.	25.2	0.0	0.56	7,067	2.5	No	4.0	7	Yes
36	University Hospitals of Cleveland	25.2	2.6	0.82	2,827	1.4	No	4.0	8	Yes
37	Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, Pa.	25.1	0.5	0.74	3,349	2.0	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
38	Abbott Northwestern Hospital, Minneapolis	25.0	0.0	0.57	4,983	1.7	No	4.0	8	Yes
39	Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia	24.9	5.3	1.09	603	1.7	No	4.0	8	Yes
40	University Medical Center, Tucson, Ariz.	24.8	1.3	0.67	1,031	2.1	Yes	3.5	7	Yes
41	St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital, Houston	24.8	0.5	0.61	2,712	1.7	Yes	4.0	8	No
42	Edward Hospital, Naperville, Ill.	24.7	0.0	0.29	1,353	2.0	Yes	3.0	5	Yes
43	University of Colorado Hospital, Denver	24.6	0.7	0.65	859	2.1	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
44	Clarian Health Partners, Indianapolis	24.6	1.6	0.94	4,908	1.7	Yes	4.0	7	Yes
45	Tampa General Hospital	24.5	0.7	0.49	3,060	1.7	Yes	2.0	5	Yes
46	Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village, Ill.*	24.4	0.7	0.36	1,352	1.3	No	4.0	6	Yes
47	University of Alabama Hospital at Birmingham	24.4	1.6	0.85	2,244	2.0	Yes	3.5	7	Yes
48	Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, Ky.	24.4	0.0	0.43	1,591	1.5	Yes	4.0	8	No
49	University Health System, San Antonio	24.3	2.3	0.62	611	1.4	No	3.0	8	Yes
50	St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center, Phoenix	24.3	0.0	0.51	1,661	2.2	No	4.0	8	Yes

*Hospital did not respond to 2004 American Hospital Association annual survey. Data in red are taken from previous surveys.

Note: Apparent ties are due to rounding. Terms are explained on Page XX.

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