

Affiliates

Prisma Health–Midlands and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Columbia
Residency and Fellowship Programs

William Jennings Bryan Dorn VA Medical Center

The William Jennings Bryan Dorn VA Medical Center (WJBD) opened in 1932 at its current location and has since expanded to include seven community-based outpatient clinics (CBOCs) located throughout South Carolina. The seven CBOCs located in Anderson, Florence, Greenville, Orangeburg, Rock Hill, Spartanburg and Sumter counties serve eight sub-markets and 32 counties.

In 2018, WJBD area of responsibility was officially renamed the Columbia VA Health Care System. In Fiscal Year 2018, Dorn VAMC had a total of 81,895 unique patients, including 8,660 female veterans. That same year, there were 1,132,711 outpatient visits. The medical center is a level 1C teaching hospital delivering a full range of patient care services utilizing state-of-the-art technology, education, and research. There are 34 residency positions provided from three Graduate Medical Education affiliates. Other affiliations are robust for training of nurses and allied health professions.

Comprehensive health care is provided through primary care, tertiary care and long-term care in areas of medicine, surgery, psychiatry, physical medicine and rehabilitation, cardiology, neurology, oncology, dentistry, geriatrics and extended care. The facility is accredited by the American College of Surgeons, the Commission on Accreditation for Rehabilitation Facilities in the Health Care for Homeless Veteran Program, the Psychosocial Rehabilitation and Recovery Care, the Outpatient Interdisciplinary Pain Program, the Mental Health Intensive Case Management program, and the Commission on Laboratory Accreditation of the College of American Pathologists. All surveys and accreditation visits since January 2016 have been successful including the Joint Commission Survey, the CAP Survey and the Unannounced Community Living Center Survey.

The medical center has a Molecular Pathology Section that conducts cutting edge technological tests (e.g. polymerase chain reaction (PCR), HCV Genotype, CT/NG, HPV, etc.) to all VA medical facilities across VISN 7 (Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina).

William S. Hall Psychiatric Institute

The William S. Hall Psychiatric Institute is licensed by the state of South Carolina as a specialized hospital with a separately licensed 37-bed residential treatment facility for children and adolescents. It provides inpatient psychiatric services, treatment for alcoholism and drug abuse or addiction, and residential treatment for adolescents.

Patients are admitted from throughout the state with referrals from community mental health centers, juvenile parole boards, Department of Social Services, the family court system and the Department of Juvenile Justice. Patients are admitted through the probate or family courts or are voluntarily admitted. Outpatient services include the Assessment and Resource Center.