# **EXCELA HEALTH MEDICAL GROUP**

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### **Our Philosophy**

We provide high quality, patient-focused, cost effective care in an environment that fosters teamwork, respect and compassion.

- We strive to be the premiere regional medical group practice, seeking ways to demonstrate quality and acting in the community's best interest.
- We are committed to serving as an integral part of Excela Health and its mission "To improve the health and well-being of every life we touch" by providing quality care with a compassionate and caring spirit for the residents of Westmoreland and surrounding counties.

#### **Our Vision**

Our vision is to have patients equate quality of care with every member of our Excela Health Medical Group. Patients will know that regardless of which physician they see, that physician provides the same high standard of care with the highest possible quality outcome.

- We set quality standards for physicians, by physicians.
- We unify compensation to work toward elimination of direct internal competition.
- We work toward a fiscally responsible physician organization.

## **Technology for Providers**

- *Allscripts* is our electronic medical record format, connecting all outpatient physician offices with *Cerner*, Excela Health's inpatient system services, for quick, convenient access to patient records.
- **PerfectServe** is a communication tool that provides secure communication among the entire care team. It reduces the communication cycle time and speeds the time to treatment for the patient.

## **Technology for Patients**

- ExcelaHealth.me, our electronic patient portal powered by Follow My Health, allows patients to communicate with their physician's office, request prescription refills, and keep track of upcoming appointments, among other functions.
- The *Find a Physician* tool, located on ExcelaHealth.org, provides a complete listing of our physicians along with locations, an online appointment function and Press Ganey star ratings. Individuals can also call *1-877-771-1234* to make an appointment.

#### **Awards and Accolades**

Excela Health and Excela Health Medical Group have been recognized for quality, safety and care provision by the following organizations:

- Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield continues to recognize Excela Health Westmoreland Hospital as one of the first in the nation to receive a Blue Distinction Center Plus<sup>SM</sup> designation in the area of cardiac care as part of the Blue Distinction Center for Specialty Care® program. Excela Health's maternity care, bariatric surgery program and knee and hip replacement program (called JointWorks) have also been named as Blue Distinction Centers Plus.
- Excela Health Latrobe and Westmoreland Hospitals were recognized as **Get With**The Guidelines® Stroke SILVER PLUS Achievement Award and Target: Stroke<sup>SM</sup>

  by the American Heart Association and the American Stroke Association.
- Excela Health Latrobe Hospital and the Family Medicine Residency Program are the recipients of the 3rd annual DeWitt C. Baldwin, Jr. Sponsoring Institution Award given by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education and Arnold P. Gold Foundation.

For a complete list, visit ExcelaHealth.org | search quality.



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## By The Numbers

Physicians in the Excela Health Medical Group: 219

Residents receiving training in the primary care practices:

PAs, CRNPs, CRNAs 175

Excela Health Medical Group employees: 832

Physician offices:

Excela Health Medical Group total patient visits: 611,000

#### Insurances

Our Policy? To Accept Yours. We Accept All Major Insurances:

- Aetna
- Cigna
- Coventry Health Care
- Highmark
- United Healthcare
- UPMC Health Plans
- And many others



### Who We Are

Integrated, multi-specialty practices comprise the Excela Health Medical Group. The practices are staffed with physicians specializing in:

## **Medical and Surgical Specialties**

- Anesthesia
- Behavioral Health
- Cardiovascular Care
   Cardiology
   Electrophysiology
   Interventional Cardiology
- ENT (Ear, Nose, Throat)/Otolaryngology
- Gastroenterology
- Hospital Medicine

Critical Care Medicine (Intensivist) Hospitalist/Nocturnist

- Neurology
- Obstetrics and Gynecology Neonatal Care
- Occupational Medicine
- Orthopedics and Sports Medicine Athletic Training Concussion Management
- Orthopedic Surgery

   Foot and Ankle
   General
   Hand
   Hip and Joint

- Pain Management
- Palliative Care
- Physiatry/Physical Medicine/ Rehabilitation
- Primary Care

   Family Medicine
   Geriatrics

   Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
  Pulmonology
- Surgery Specialties

   Bariatric
   Breast
   Cardiothoracic
   Colorectal
  - Endocrine General Neurological Thoracic Vascular

Wound Care

The group also serves as the training site for the dually accredited Excela Health Family Medicine Residency Program with training sites located in Latrobe, Mount Pleasant and Saltsburg. The Excela Health School of Anesthesia, in conjunction with Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, offers a Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice entry level degree program.

### Clinically Integrated Network – Bridges Health Partners

Bridges Health Partners, LLC was formed in 2017 by affiliates of Butler Health System, Excela Health, St. Clair Hospital and Washington Health System. It integrates these systems' independent and employed medical staffs and supports the movement away from fee for service medicine by implementing an integrated, regional network of care focused on quality and outcomes improvement. The network is comprised of seven hospital campuses with more than 1,450 licensed beds and 1,000 employed and affiliated physicians practicing in primary care and specialty group practices, surgery centers, urgent care clinics, imaging and diagnostic centers, skilled nursing, and home care and hospice. The Bridges Health Partners is dedicated to delivering the best quality care at a lower cost to patients where they live and work.

## Medical Mall Concept at Excela Health

To make health care more accessible to our communities, Excela Health offers medical services under one roof so that seeking care is a "one-stop shopping" experience. The locations - known as Excela Square at Norwin, Excela Square at Latrobe, Excela Square at Frick and Excela Square at Ligonier - provide people with an array of services including outpatient blood work and x-ray, outpatient rehabilitation, cancer services, outpatient surgery, primary and specialty physicians' care and more, close to home with services varying at each location. All feature convenient hours, free parking and courteous staff so that the patient experience exceeds expectations.

