

South Carolina Hemophilia Treatment Center

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Hours

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Helping patients live well with bleeding disorders

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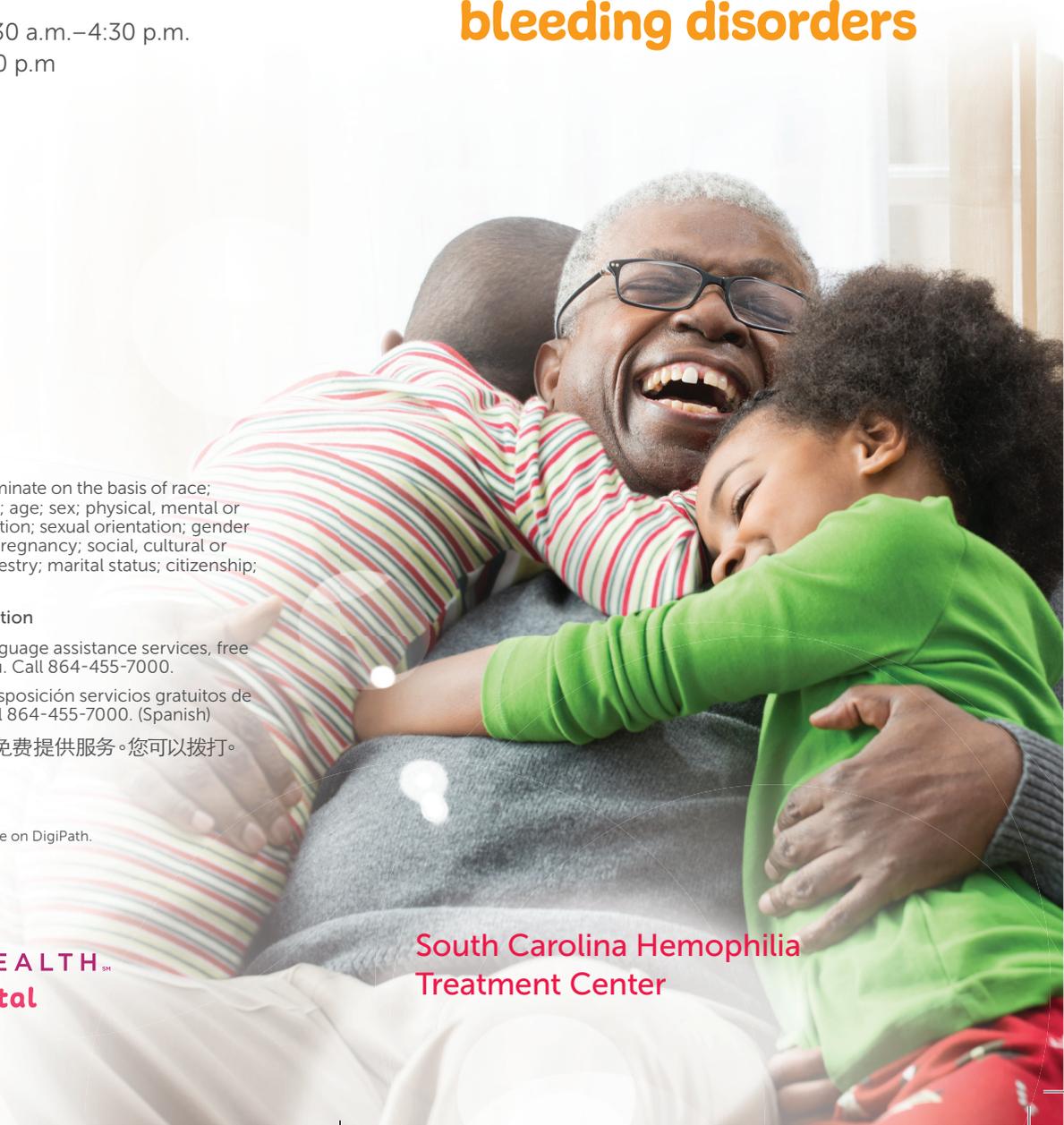
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Leaders in care

When your patient or client presents with hemophilia or other bleeding disorder, please allow us to serve as your resource. We've gathered a comprehensive team with the expertise for advanced care under one roof at the South Carolina Hemophilia Treatment Center at Prisma Health Children's Hospital—Midlands.

Our mission is to expand hemophilia treatment care to all residents of South Carolina with hemophilia or other types of bleeding disorders. In addition, we are a connection hub for physicians, community partners and residents throughout the state.

Please review this brochure to learn more about our services.

"I don't know where we would be without our HTC. The access to quality care, information and community connections have been lifesaving."

– Aaron and Brantley Smith

Steps to take if you have a bleed and are going to the ER

1. Call the HTC or on-call hematologist to report your bleed.
2. Bring factor dose(s) to the ER.
3. Notify the ER staff that you are having a bleed and are a patient of the HTC.



Assisting the larger hemophilia community

Our patients play a role in impacting the future of hemophilia through participation in the broader hemophilia research and advocacy community. For instance, federally supported HTC work closely with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's "Community Counts" program, which collects data to monitor the health of people with hemophilia and uses data to advance knowledge and affect health practices for hemophilia and other related disorders.

The HTC also has close partnerships with and access to resources from educational and advocacy community organizations, such as Hemophilia of South Carolina (HSC). Each summer, along with HSC, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, and other state agencies, the HTC hosts a summer camp for children affected by bleeding disorders.

Our care team

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What is an HTC?

A hemophilia treatment center (HTC) is a special healthcare facility with a team of physicians, nurses and other health professionals delivering comprehensive healthcare services to patients and families with hemophilia and other bleeding disorders within a single treatment facility.

The National Hemophilia Foundation states that the "concept of comprehensive care is to treat the whole person and the family, through continuous supervision of all the medical and psychosocial aspects of bleeding disorders. Comprehensive care is total care because every facet of the person is addressed, including their physical, emotional, psychological, educational, financial and vocational factors. The development of comprehensive care over the past 30 years has greatly improved the quality of life for people with bleeding disorders, helping them to be more independent and productive."

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, HTC patients are 40% less likely to die of hemophilia-related complications and 40% less likely to be hospitalized with bleeding complications.



Why choose us?

The South Carolina Hemophilia Treatment Center at Prisma Health Children's Hospital–Midlands serves as **the state's only federally supported comprehensive HTC**. We serve approximately 150 patients with hemophilia, including approximately 60 pediatric patients and 90 adults. In addition to those with hemophilia, we serve patients with all types of bleeding disorders, including von Willebrand disease.

SC HTC provides access to physicians, nurses, physical therapists and social workers with extensive training in taking care of patients with complex bleeding disorders. We emphasize prevention services to help reduce or eliminate complications. We connect patients with community groups that provide education

and support. In addition, we are a resource to all physicians throughout the state who are providing care to our patients.

What services are provided?

Our comprehensive care model includes access to:

- Hematologists
- Nurses
- Lab medical technologists and pathologists
- Specialists, including dentists, gynecologists, orthopedists, physical therapists, social workers and mental health professionals
- A wide range of ancillary supplies
- 24-hour phone contact
- The HTC's 340B factor purchasing program
- Twice-a-month hemophilia clinics
- Partnerships with advocacy organizations
- Staff from Hemophilia of South Carolina

