

# Welcome

Our goal is to make your visit as easy and convenient as possible. If you need directions or other information, please ask any employee or volunteer. Employees can be identified by their photo ID badge, and volunteers wearing blue jackets are stationed throughout the hospital to help you.

## Finding Your Way – COLOR CODES

To help you find your way, we have assigned colors to different areas of our campus. The department list (to the right and continued inside) tells you the colored section where that service is located, as well as the building/wing and the floor. The areas of our campus include:

- Blank Children's Hospital**
- Critical Care Unit and Cath Lab (Northeast Addition)**
- Education and Research Center**
- Emergency Department**
- Methodist Plazas I, II and III (1212, 1215 and 1221 Pleasant Street)**
- North Wing**
- South and East Wings**
- Powell and Maternity Center**
- Younker**

Please refer to the map inside and the color-coded directories on the walls throughout our campus to find the area you are looking for.

**Administration (UnityPoint Health - Des Moines)**  
 Education and Research Center  
 1415 Woodland Avenue, 2nd Floor  
 Admissions - see "Patient Registration"

### BLANK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

#### CLINICS AND OUTPATIENT DEPARTMENTS

- Administration** - Blank, 1st Floor
- Advocacy and Outreach** - Anna Blank Building, lower level
- Blank Children's ER** - Emergency Department, 1st Floor
- Child Life Therapy** - Blank, 5th Floor
- Hannah Gensler Learning Center and Safety Store**  
North Wing, 1st Floor (near main entrance)

#### INPATIENT UNITS

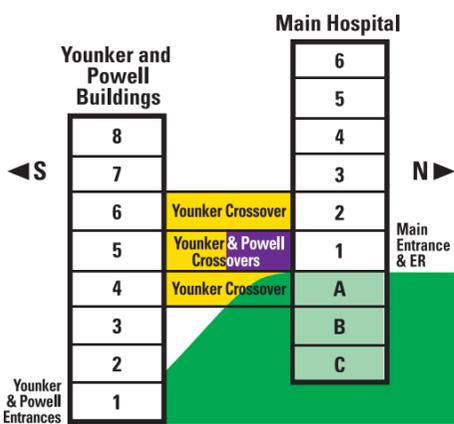
- Audiology** - Powell, 3rd Floor
- Adolescent Medicine** - Methodist Plaza I, 1212 Pleasant, 4th Floor
- Cancer and Blood Disorders**  
Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 5th Floor
- Diagnostics** - Methodist Plaza I, 1212 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Endocrinology** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Gastroenterology** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 6th Floor
- General Pediatrics** - Methodist Plaza II, 1212 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Infectious Diseases** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Infusion Center** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Neurology** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 1st Floor
- Orthopedics** - Methodist Plaza II, 1215 Pleasant, 3rd Floor
- Pediatric Surgery** - Anna Blank Building, 2nd Floor
- Pediatric Therapy Services** - Blank, 1st Floor
- Psychiatry** - Anna Blank Building, 1st Floor
- Pulmonology** - Methodist Plaza I, 1212 Pleasant, 2nd Floor

### DINING

- Southview (Main) Cafeteria** - South Wing, Level B
- Gateway Cafe** - Younker, Level 1
- atrium Foodservice** - Methodist Plaza Atrium

## Tips to help you find your way

- Keep in mind that our campus is built on a hill. **The 5th floor of Younker/Powell is the same level as the 1st floor of the main hospital.** Look for the crossovers to travel to and from each side of the campus.



- Look for wall directories throughout our campus (next to elevators and at hallway intersections). Major areas of the hospital are listed and **color-coded**. As you get closer to a given area, the directories will become more detailed listing the departments located in that area.
- Most elevators are labeled with overhead signs and are named according to the areas they serve.

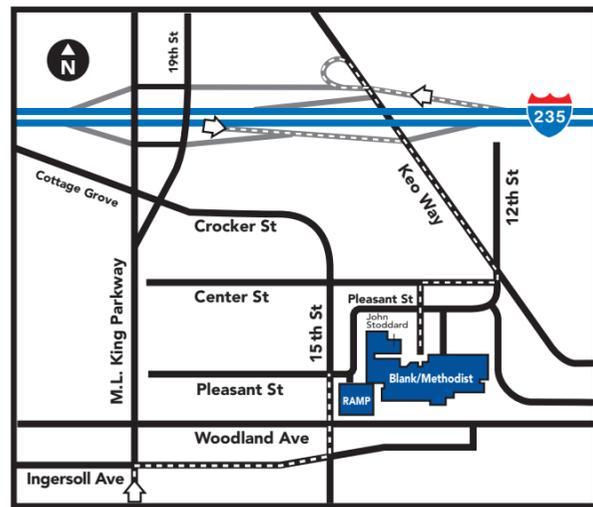
### PATIENT REGISTRATION

Most patients arriving for outpatient tests and labs need to register at Patient Registration on North 1, near the main entrance (entrance #2).

Patients having a surgical procedure, cath lab procedure or cardiovascular or neurological test, must register in the Surgery Center on East A (entrance #7).

### Important Phone Numbers

Chaplain.....	241-6212
Emergency Department	
Adult .....	241-6213
Pediatric .....	241-6611
Main Hospital Number .....	241-6212
Patient Access/Registration .....	241-5089
Patient Transport .....	241-7999
Public Safety (Security).....	241-6476
(lost and found, escorts, vehicle jump starts and unlocks)	
Valet Services.....	241-7999



Iowa Methodist Medical Center  
 Blank Children's Hospital  
 1200 Pleasant Street | Des Moines, Iowa

#### To Methodist/Blank Children's from I-235 (eastbound and westbound):

- Exit I-235 at Keo Way South.
- Follow Keo Way south to 12th Street.
- Turn right on 12th Street and follow the road up the hill to the Methodist/Blank Children's campus.
- Visitor parking is available on the north and south sides of the campus, or in the ramp on the west side of the campus.

#### To Methodist/Blank Children's from the south (Fleur Drive/airport):

- Take Fleur Drive north to Ingersoll Avenue. (Fleur Drive will become MLK Jr. Parkway shortly before reaching Ingersoll)
- Turn right on Ingersoll Avenue and continue to 15th Street.
- Turn left on 15th Street and continue north to Pleasant Street.
- Turn right on Pleasant Street.
- Visitor parking is available on the north and south sides of the campus, or in the ramp on the west side of the campus.

# Map and Directory

## Iowa Methodist Medical Center

## Blank Children's Hospital

