

# Advocate Lutheran General Hospital Inpatient Rehabilitation Fact Sheet 2019 Diagnosis: Amputation

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Our program typically treats patients with amputation resulting from:

- Trauma
- Infection
- Poor circulation
- Cancer

**Total number of patients with an amputation treated in 2019: 9**

**Average age of patients with an amputation treated in 2019: 62 Years**

**Average length of stay for patients with an amputation treated on our Rehab Unit in 2019: 17 days**

## Our program offers:

- Peer visitors
- Adaptive recreational activities
- Resources and support for adjustment to limb loss and improving body image

## Program facts

- 78% of our patients with amputation in 2019, return to home once they have achieved their established goals.
- 11% of our patients with amputation in 2019, were discharged to a skilled nursing facility.
- The Advocate Lutheran General Hospital rehabilitation program exceeds regional and national averages in achieving independence with mobility, dressing, grooming, speech, language and mental skills.
- Our rehab team has the skills and capabilities of treating patients following an amputation as we serve more disabled and medically complex patients than those served in other facilities in the region and nation.
- It is not uncommon for some patients to need additional medical attention and our physician can transfer patients to a medical floor in the hospital, if needed. 11% of our patients with amputations transferred to a medical floor in 2019.
- The overall patient satisfaction for 2019 was in the top 10 percent of the nation. Our patient satisfaction for patients with amputations was 92% in 2019.



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