

Advocate Lutheran General Hospital

Inpatient Rehabilitation Fact Sheet 2019

Diagnosis: Stroke

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Our program typically treats patients with the following types of Strokes:

- Ischemic (blood vessel that supplies blood to the brain is blocked by a blood clot)
- Transient Ischemic Attack (blood vessel in the brain becomes weak and bursts open)
- Hemorrhagic (mini strokes)

Total number of patients with a stroke treated in 2019: 244

Average age of patients with a stroke treated in 2019: 71 years

Average length of stay for patients with a stroke treated on our Rehab Unit in 2019: 16 days

Our program offers:

- Peer Visitors
- Support Groups

Program facts

- 71% of our patient with a stroke diagnosis in 2019, returned home once they achieved their established goals.
- 21% of our patient with a stroke diagnosis in 2019, went 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 with a stroke 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. 7% of our patients with a stroke diagnosis 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 a stroke diagnosis was 92% in 2019.

