



Leapfrog Top Hospitals 2006 (50 hospitals)

Akron General Medical Center (Akron OH)
Aurora Sinai Medical Center (Milwaukee WI)
Baystate Medical Center (Springfield MA)
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (Boston MA)
Brigham and Women's Hospital (Boston MA)
California Pacific Medical Center - Pacific Campus (San Francisco CA)
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center (Los Angeles CA)
Clarian Health - Indiana University Hospital (Indianapolis IN)
Clarian Health - Methodist Hospital (Indianapolis IN)
Cleveland Clinic Foundation (Cleveland OH)
Duke University Hospital (Durham NC)
Evanston Hospital (Evanston IL)
Hackensack University Medical (Hackensack NJ)
Henry Ford Hospital (Detroit MI)
Kaiser Permanente San Diego Medical Center (San Diego CA)
Lahey Clinic (Burlington MA)
Maine Medical Center (Portland ME)
Massachusetts General Hospital (Boston MA)
Mayo Clinic Rochester - St Mary's (Rochester MN)
Memorial Health University Medical Center (Savannah GA)
Memorial Hospital (Chattanooga TN)
Montefiore Medical Center: Jack D. Weiler Hospital of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine
(Bronx NY)
Northwestern Memorial Hospital (Chicago IL)
NYU Hospitals Center (New York NY)
Oregon Health & Science University Hospitals and Clinics (Portland OR)
Robert Wood Johnson University Hosp (New Brunswick NJ)
Sentara Norfolk General Hospital (Norfolk VA)
Sinai Hospital (Baltimore MD)
Spectrum Health - Butterworth Campus (Grand Rapids MI)
St Francis Hospital & Medical Center (Hartford CT)
St Thomas Hospital (Nashville TN)
St Vincent Hospital & Health Services (Indianapolis IN)
St Joseph Hospital – Orange (Orange CA)
Sutter Memorial Hospital (Sacramento CA)

Swedish Medical Center - First Hill (Seattle WA)
The Johns Hopkins Hospital (Baltimore MD)
The Ohio State University Medical Center (Columbus OH)
UCSF Medical Center / Moffitt-Long Hospitals (San Francisco CA)
University Hospitals of Cleveland (Cleveland OH)
University of California – UCI Medical Center (Orange CA)
University of California Davis Medical Center (Sacramento CA)
University of Maryland Medical Center (Baltimore MD)
University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill (Chapel Hill NC)
University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority (Madison WI)
UPMC Presbyterian Part of UPMC Presbyterian Shadyside (Pittsburgh PA)
Valley Hospital (Ridgewood NJ)
Vanderbilt University Hospitals (Nashville TN)
Vassar Brothers Medical Center (Poughkeepsie NY)
Virginia Mason Medical Center (Seattle WA)
Wake Med Raleigh Campus (Raleigh NC)

Top Children’s Hospitals (9 hospitals)

Children’s Hospital (Columbus OH)
Children’s Hospital Los Angeles (Los Angeles CA)
Children’s Hospital of Orange County (Orange CA)
Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin (Milwaukee WI)
Children’s Hospitals and Clinics – Minneapolis (Minneapolis MN)
Children’s Hospitals and Clinics - Saint Paul (Saint Paul MN)
Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center (Cincinnati OH)
Lucile Salter Packard Children’s Hospital @ Stanford (Palo Alto CA)
Miller Children’s Hospital (Long Beach CA)

Methodology

Top Hospitals fully meet Leapfrog’s standard for ICU physician staffing (IPS) and the Leapfrog Safe Practices Score (SPS). The adult hospitals also meet Leapfrog’s standards for two or more of the high-risk procedures or conditions included in the Evidence-Based Hospital Referral (EHR) leap (some do not apply to children’s hospitals), which were each given equal weight. Full implementation of Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) was used to break any ties. Then, if necessary, hospitals’ ranking on overall points for the Leapfrog Safe Practices Score was used to break any remaining ties.