



FACTS ABOUT LANDSSJÚKRAHÚSIÐ



Activities

850 employees divided in approx. 30 occupational groups (700 FTE)

29 medical specialities (9 consultancies incl.)

120 hospital beds

9.000 admissions per year

60.000 outpatients per year

663.189 analysis in clinical chemistry per year

34.372 X-ray examinations per year

Landssjúkrahúsið

is the National Hospital in the Faroe Islands, specialising in 29 health care areas.

Our aim is to offer the Faroese population and international patients a high quality health service in as many areas as possible. In those areas of health care where the hospital is not specialised, we offer patients the best possible treatment through close co-operation with other hospitals in the Nordic region.

The National Hospital of the Faroe Islands can generally be considered to be on a Scandinavian level in the speciality areas present.

The hospital is a teaching hospital and is cooperating with universities and educational institutions in the Scandinavian countries and Poland.

Service level

The hospital has an acute Emergency Department and the ICU (Intensive care unit) has 5 beds, but can be expanded to 10 beds in case of emergency. The hospital has 6 fully equipped operating theatres and has new MR- and CT-scanners.

We also operate a decompression tank in cooperation with Vørn (National Rescue Services).

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Ambition and Mission

Landssjúkrahúsið provides highly professional healthcare services. We encourage and facilitate the on going training and professional development of our entire staff and promote world-class medical research.

Vision

Our patients are our main focus.

Our staff is proud to work in our hospital.

People value and respect the benefit we bring to the community.



Strategic goals

- Improve the overall quality of patient management.
- Employ highly-trained and competent staff
- Create a supportive and professional work ethic and environment
- Make effective communication and collaboration the watchwords of healthcare excellence
- Implement advanced IT to support the delivery of superior healthcare.
- Utilize all resources effectively and efficiently

Supervision

The National Hospital of the Faroe Islands is under supervision by the local representative (Landslæknin) of the Danish Health and Medicines Authority. The hospital was accredited by The Danish Healthcare Quality Programme, DDKM in February 2017.

4 Co-operation

The primary partner abroad is Region Hovedstaden in Copenhagen. The specialities listed below are organized as consultancies:

- Oncology (Ringshospitalet, Denmark)
- Urology (relay from Skejby University Hospital, Denmark)
- Neurology (Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen, Denmark)
- Child and Youth Psychiatry (Bispebjerg Hospital, Denmark)
- Dermatology (Roskilde Hospital, Denmark)
- Child Orthopaedy (Rigshospitalet, Denmark)
- Child Neurology (Rigshospitalet, Denmark)
- Plastic Surgery (Landspítali Ísland, Iceland)
- Nuclear medicine (Rigshospitalet, Denmark)
- Odontology (Private Clinic, Iceland)





Treatment of no permanent residence in the Faroe Islands

The main rule is that a person with no permanent residence in the Faroe Islands is entitled to emergency treatment in case of accident, sudden onset or worsening illness on an equal footing with persons residing permanently in the country.

However, foreign patients, who cannot claim free treatment on the basis of their social security health plan agreement with the Faroes Islands (citizens outside the Nordic Countries, Greenland and UK), will be considered private patients and thus not entitled to free treatment.

They or their employer will be responsible for their invoices, if not covered through their insurance.

The International Patient Service at the hospital can provide prices and relevant information for foreigners, treated at the hospital.

Contact

Phone 00298 30 47 50

e-mail: uttanlands@ls.fo

The Information desk

is situated by the main entrance. Opening hours are between 7am and 11pm.

Phone no. **30 45 00**

After hours medical service

available at the hospital

weekdays between 4pm and 6am, and 24 hours during weekends.

Phone no. **1870**

Emergency

Call **1-1-2**

Visiting hours

3pm - 4pm and 7pm - 8pm

Wi-Fi

Free Wi-Fi is available in all units. Choose LS-Guest as your wifi connection, when using your PC or device.



Management

CEO

Deputy CEO

Deputy CEO

Head of administration

Secretary, ext. 1010, e-mail: ls@ls.fo

Medical Centre

Chief medical physician

Head of nursing

Secretary, ext. 6103

Surgical Centre

Chief medical surgeon

Head of nursing

Secretary, ext. 5103

Psychiatric Centre

Chief psychiatrist

Head of nursing

Secretary, ext. 4103

Diagnostic Centre

Chief physician

Head of laboratory technologist, ext. 5601

Emergency Centre

Chief physician

Secretary, ext. 5710

Service centre

Chief of service centre

Secretary, ext. 1020

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