



## THE ESSENTIA HEALTH STORY

Essentia Health is an integrated health system serving patients in Minnesota, Wisconsin, and North Dakota.

Headquartered in Duluth, Minnesota, Essentia Health combines the strengths and talents of more than 15,000 employees, including more than 2,200 physicians and advanced practitioners, who serve our patients and communities through our Mission of being called to make a healthy difference in people's lives.

Essentia Health, which includes many Catholic facilities, is guided by the values of Quality, Hospitality, Respect, Joy, Justice, Stewardship, and Teamwork.

Our organization lives out our Mission by providing care with a patient-centered focus at 14 hospitals, 78 clinics, six long-term care facilities, six assisted living and independent living facilities, six ambulance services, 24 retail pharmacies and a rural health research institute.

High-quality, cost-effective care and a great patient experience and a safe work environment are commitments you can feel confident about at Essentia Health. For more information about how we make patient safety and well-being a priority, please go to <https://www.essentiahealth.org/about/quality/>.

Essentia Health is accredited as an Accountable Care Organization by the National Committee for Quality Assurance. For a fuller list of our awards and recognitions, both Essentia-wide and by hospital, please go to <https://www.essentiahealth.org/about/awards-recognition/>.

If you are a member of the media, we hope that you will find the following range of additional information about Essentia Health helpful: <https://www.essentiahealth.org/about/for-the-media/>.