

2021

Quick Facts

Altru Health System | altru.org

Licensed Beds

Altru Hospital: 257
Altru Specialty Center: 40

Utilization Statistics

Inpatient Discharges: 11,631
Surgeries and Procedures: 10,543
Births: 1,517
Emergency Visits: 32,822
Urgent Care and Express Care Visits: 27,844
Total Clinic Visits: 520,262
Outpatient Therapy Encounters: 148,359

Medical Group Practice

Physicians: 202
Residents: 28
Advanced Practitioners: 131
Specialties: 67
Grand Forks Practice Locations: 14
Regional Clinics: 9

Employees

Individuals: 3,607

Net Revenue

\$652 Million

Altru Home Health

Home Health: 15,078

Patient Transportation Services

Ambulance Dispatches: 10,045 Calls for Service
CareFlight: 288 Transports

*All statistics for 2021



Mission

Improving Health, Enriching Life

Vision

Deliver world-class care to the residents of our region.

Values

Our Patients

Meeting the needs and expectations of our patients is our highest priority.

Our Care

We provide quality care that is demonstrated to achieve the best results for patients.

Our Team

We work as a team and treat each other with honesty, loyalty and respect.

Our Communities

We are committed to improving the health of our communities.

Behavior Standards

Integrity

We will always do the right thing even when no one is watching.

Acknowledge

We will create a welcoming, healing environment.

Meaningful

We will provide an exceptional patient experience.

Accountability

We will accept responsibility for our actions and behaviors.

Listen

We will listen and seek to understand.

Team

We will work together to deliver world-class care.

Respect

We will treat others with respect.

Understand

We will seek to understand and respond genuinely.

Rich History

1892

The roots of Altru Health System date back to 1892 when St. Luke's Hospital was built in downtown Grand Forks (renamed Deaconess Hospital in 1899).

1900

Three pioneering physicians established a clinic and achieved several firsts in North Dakota, including: the first board certified ear, nose and throat specialist, radiologist, internist, surgeon and obstetrician. Their practice would become known as the Grand Forks Clinic in 1940.

1907

Sisters of St. Joseph of Caron opened St. Michael's Hospital, a 60-bed facility.

1958

Outpatient medical rehabilitation facility opened on University of North Dakota campus with staff of eight.

Mid 1960s

Leaders of Deaconess Hospital, St. Michael's Hospital, the Grand Forks Clinic and the University of North Dakota Medical Center Rehabilitation Hospital discussed the problems of lack of space for expansion, duplication of services and a growing community and region.

1971

Deaconess and St. Michael's Hospitals became legally, but not physically, one The United Hospital.

1972

Organizers broke ground for the first facility on Medical Park, a 90-acre campus of medical services and facilities.

1974

As the first building on Medical Park, The Rehab was a \$4.3 million, 88-bed building.

1976

Construction of The United Hospital, an acute care hospital, on Medical Park was completed. The next facilities to follow were Valley Medical Associates, P.C. and the Grand Forks Clinic. The medical complex grew to include an orthopedic clinic, nursing home, chemical dependency center and a unique senior living center.

1977

Grand Forks Clinic participated in the founding of the North Central Cancer Treatment Group, and The United Hospital organized the first paramedic training program in the state.

1978

Grand Forks Clinic acquired Drayton Clinic.

1982

The region's first cardiac catheterization laboratory (cath lab) was established at The United Hospital.

1983

The United Recovery Center building was completed, creating The United Health Foundation.

1985

The first heart donated for transplant in North Dakota occurred at The United Hospital. Grand Forks Clinic acquired Roseau and Greenbush Clinics and Northwestern Clinics in Crookston, Fertile and Erskine.

1986

Parkwood Place opened its doors. Grand Forks Clinic acquired Red Lake Falls Clinic and opened a branch clinic in Warroad.

1988

Cardiac services expanded to include open heart surgery.

1992

The Rehab dedicated first Easy Street environment in North Dakota.

1995

The Rehab and The United Hospital merged. The Rehab 1,2,3 was dedicated, making it the third of its kind in the nation.

1997

The United Health Services and the Grand Forks Clinic merged to form Altru Health System.

1998

Altru's Diabetes Center was founded to provide accessible, comprehensive care using the latest and best treatment and management options. Altru acquired Cavalier Clinic.

2000

Altru Cancer Center came into existence and eventually was the first healthcare facility in North Dakota to provide prostate seed implants and three-dimensional conformal radiation therapy.

2001

Altru Cancer Center began providing High-Dose Rate Brachytherapy. Altru acquired Lake Region Clinic.

2002

Altru Hospital expanded its cath lab.

2003

Altru began offering stereotactic breast biopsies. Altru Hospital received HealthGrades' annual Distinguished Hospital Award for Clinical Excellence.

2005

Altru acquired Grand Forks Family Medicine Residency. Altru Health System was recognized for service excellence under the J.D. Power and Associates Distinguished Hospital Program.

2007

Altru opened Truyu Aesthetic Center.

2009

Altru Cancer Center became first in North Dakota to provide TomoTherapy, the most advanced and precise cancer treatment to date.

2010

Epic was implemented throughout the health care system, allowing for electronic health care records. Altru Wellness Village was established in south Grand Forks.

2011

Altru was announced as the first member of the Mayo Clinic Care Network, a network of health care delivery organizations which benefit from having access to Mayo Clinic expertise and clinical resources.

2012

Fueled by unprecedented physician growth, Altru acquired facilities in south Grand Forks (South Washington Medical Park) to further support its mission - Improving Health, Enriching Life.



2013

Altru improved access throughout the region, completing clinic expansion in Devils Lake and opening Altru Clinics in Thief River Falls and East Grand Forks.

2014

Altru Specialty Center opened at the South Washington Medical Park offering a clinic, elective orthopedic and podiatry surgeries, a joint replacement center and inpatient rehabilitation.

2015

Altru Advanced Orthopedics opened a new location at Altru Professional Center, offering specialized care and advanced procedures, including hip, knee and shoulder replacements, hand surgery and medical orthopedics.

2016

Altru partnered with Medica to develop Altru & You with Medica, North Dakota's first Accountable Care Organization (ACO).

2017

Altru announced a bold new era in care for the region, including a \$250 million investment, a new 21st century hospital, expanded clinic services, new technology, cutting-edge surgical and emergency services and a population approach to healthcare.

2018

Altru unveiled 25 Year Masterplan that includes Phase 1 "Hospital in the Park." The first phase showcases the new hospital that will be designed and constructed over the next five years. Altru was named a 2018 Most Wired hospital by CHIME.

2019

Altru leaders and staff broke ground on our new state-of-the-art hospital. Altru was named 'Best Hospital in North Dakota' by U.S. News and World Report.

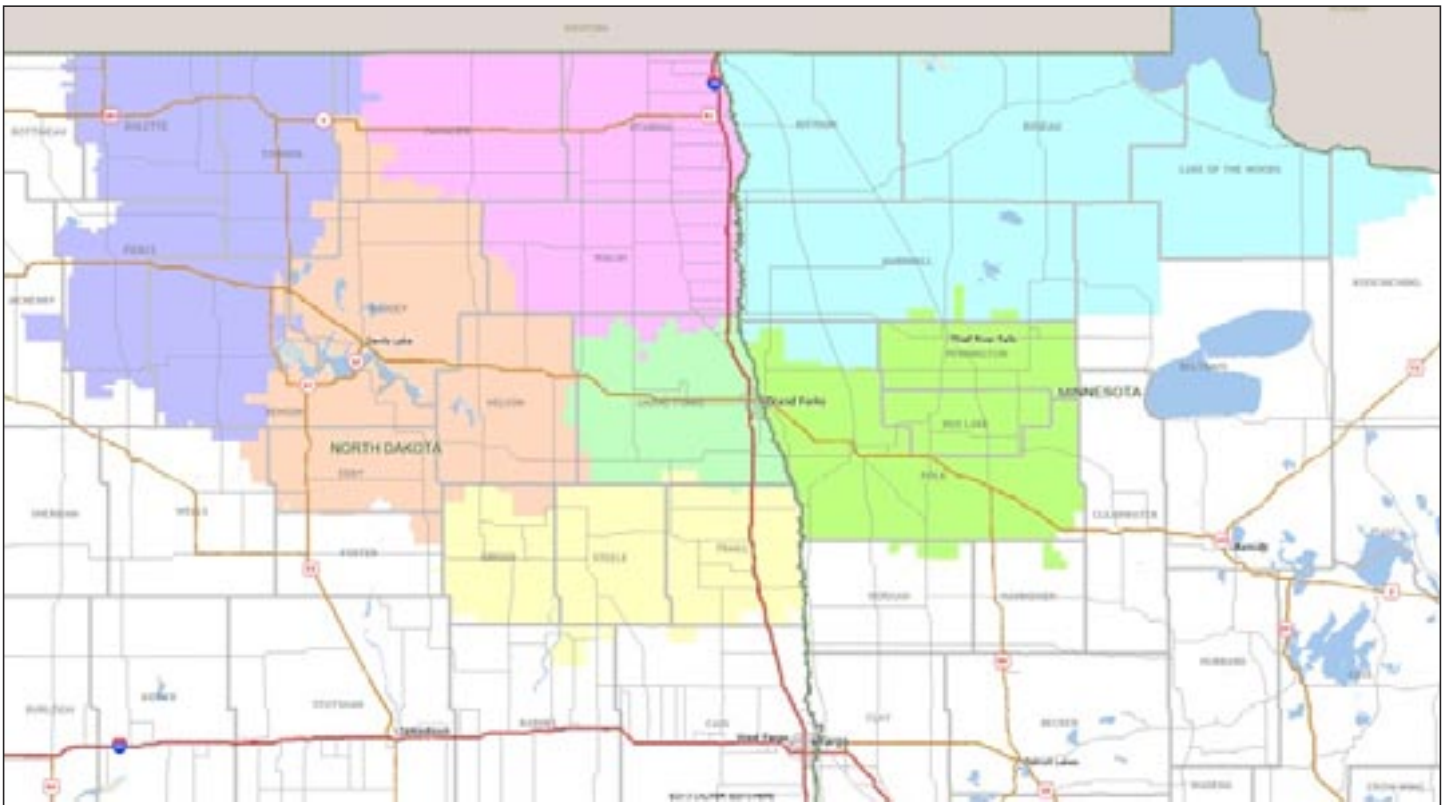
2020

Altru teams adapted through the COVID pandemic. The initiation of the COVID hotline, curbside testing, home visit program and so much more changed the lives of many.

2021

The Altru team continued to navigate the COVID pandemic, notably leading community-wide vaccination efforts in partnership with Public Health. A joint venture agreement was entered into with Encompass Health for the future Altru Rehabilitation Hospital. Construction of the new hospital in Grand Forks resumed and Altru announced the intent to expand services in Devils Lake.

Service Area



- Northwest Service Area
- Northeast Service Area
- Central Service Area
- East Service Area
- North Service Area
- West Service Area
- South Service Area

Altru Locations

Grand Forks

Altru 1300 Columbia
1300 S. Columbia Road

Altru 860 Columbia
860 S. Columbia Road

Altru Business Center
2401 DeMers Avenue

Altru Cancer Center
960 S. Columbia Road

Altru Family Medicine Center
1380 S. Columbia Road

**Altru Family Medicine
Residency**
725 Hamline Street

Altru Health Foundation
2501 DeMers Avenue

Altru Hospital
1200 S. Columbia Road

Altru Professional Center
4440 S. Washington Street

Altru Performance Center
1375 S. Columbia Road

Altru Specialty Center
4500 S. Washington Street

Dak Minn Blood Bank
3375 DeMers Avenue

**Sanny and Jerry Ryan Center
for Prevention and Genetics**
4401 South 11th Street

Regional Clinics

Altru Clinic | Crookston
400 S. Minnesota Street
Crookston, MN

Altru Clinic | Devils Lake
1001 7th Street NE
Devils Lake, ND

Altru Clinic | Drayton
1003 N. Main
Drayton, ND

Altru Clinic | East Grand Forks
607 DeMers Avenue
East Grand Forks, MN

Altru Clinic | Erskine
23076 347th St. SE
Erskine, MN

Altru Clinic | Greenbush
19120 200th Street
Greenbush, MN

Altru Clinic | Roseau
711 Delmore Drive
Roseau, MN

Altru Clinic | Thief River Falls
1845 Hwy. 59 South, Ste. 800
Thief River Falls, MN

Altru Clinic | Warroad
412 N. Main Avenue
Warroad, MN

Altru's Specialty Care
301 Mountain Street East
Cavalier, ND

Truyu Aesthetic Center

North Dakota
Grand Forks
Devils Lake

Minnesota
East Grand Forks
Thief River Falls

Yorhom Medical Essentials

North Dakota
Devils Lake
Grand Forks

Regional Therapy

North Dakota
Aneta
Cavalier
Cooperstown
Devils Lake
Drayton
Grafton
Grand Forks
Hatton
Langdon
Larimore
McVille
Park River
Rugby
Walhalla

Minnesota
Crookston
East Grand Forks
Erskine
Karlstad
Red Lake Falls
Thief River Falls



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