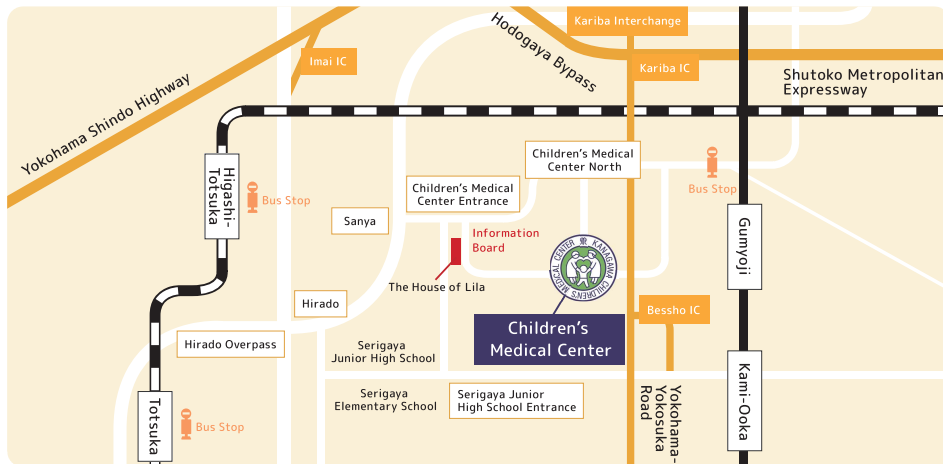


Access



Keikyu Line

From "Gumyoji Station"

Take one of the following buses
at "Gumyojiguchi" bus stop
(7 minutes' walk from the station)

- Route "井10" bound for "Children's Medical Center"
- Route "東01" bound for "Higashi-Totsuka Station East Exit"
- Route "横44" bound for "Totsuka Station East Exit"
- Route "戸45" bound for "Totsuka Station East Exit"



JR Line

From "Higashi-Totsuka Station" East Exit

- Route "東01" bound for "Idogaya Shimocho"

From "Totsuka Station" East Exit

- Route "横44" bound for "Yokohama Station East Exit"
- Route "戸25" bound for "Children's Medical Center"
- Route "戸45" bound for "Sakuragicho Station"

From "Yokohama Station" East Exit

- Route "横44" bound for "Totsuka Station East Exit"

For all buses, please get off at "Children's Medical Center".
Please use public transportation as much as possible.

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About Consultation

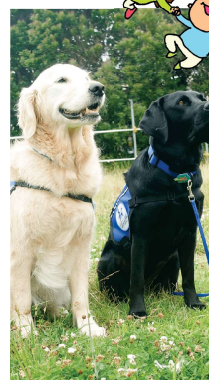
Medical treatment at the center is by appointment only,
based on referrals from medical institutions.

Consultation hours 8:30~15:00

Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays



Kanagawa Children's Medical Center



The Best Medicine for Children's Life and Happiness



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Kanagawa Children's Medical Center



We provide best medical care for children's better health and welfare improvement.

We work together for your "Life" and "Happiness"

Overview

Kanagawa Children's Medical Center (KCMC) was established in 1970 as a highly specialized medical center for children.

The center consists of the General Hospital (340 beds) and the Institute for Disabled Children (90 beds), and provides medical and welfare services to meet the needs of children with illness or disability.

We have 14 wards including PICU and NICU.

Yokohama-Minami School for Special Needs Education is located within the center.

In 2013, the center was designated as a "core hospital for pediatric cancer".

We focus on providing the best medical services and promoting clinical research.

Basic Policy

1. We put the lives and safety of our patients first.
2. We provide medical care with respect for the patients and their families.
3. We provide highly advanced medical care and engage in clinical research.
4. We provide a medical and educational environment that takes children's development into consideration.
5. We strive to develop human resources involved in perinatal and pediatric medicine, and health and welfare.
6. We contribute to the enhancement and improvement of perinatal and pediatric medicine in cooperation with related local institutions.
7. We strive for highly transparent hospital management and information disclosure.

Children's Charter

1. Children shall be provided with a safe and comfortable environment to receive treatment.
2. Families shall be arranged to actively participate in children's treatment.
3. Children and families have right to be fully informed and to participate in decisions about children's health, and shall be protected from unnecessary medical procedures and/or examinations.
4. Children have right for palliative care to alleviate physical, emotional, and social suffering.
5. Children and families shall be given detailed explanations appropriate to their age and level of understanding.
6. Children shall be cared for by staff whose training and skills enable them to respond to the physical, emotional, and developmental needs of children and families.
7. Children shall have full opportunity for play, recreation and education suited to their age and condition, and shall be in an environment staffed and equipped to meet their needs.
8. Children and families' privacy shall be respected all times.
9. Continuity of care should be ensured for children.



The best team-based care achieved through multidisciplinary collaboration

As the only general hospital specializing in pediatrics in Kanagawa prefecture, we perform surgeries for pediatric heart disease and congenital abnormalities, and provide advanced, specialized medical care for intractable diseases.

Moreover, as one of Japan's leading general hospitals specialized in pediatrics with two facilities for disabled children, we willingly accept patients who require medical attention, including respite care.

One of our center's features is team-based care. Most of patients and their families visit us with various issues in addition to their disease, and we need to respond with multifaceted approach.

In modern medicine, medical care can no longer be sustained by just one doctor. How to build team-based care as a collaborative effort among multidisciplinary professionals is a challenge for the future.

Actively promoting inter-professional collaboration, we strive to improve the quality of medical care and to provide efficient medical services.

The Kanagawa Prefectural Hospital Organization is fulfilling its role as a prefectural hospital, providing safe, reliable, and high-quality medical care, and strengthening and stabilizing its management base. This center serves as a core hospital for pediatric cancer, a comprehensive perinatal maternal and child medical center, and a core hospital for allergy disease medical care. Meanwhile, every one of us is working together to provide the stable medical care needed by people in the prefecture through operational improvements and efficient management.

Pediatric medicine is medicine toward the future.

Children are the hope for the future.

Hoping for a wealthy and healthy future, we would like to support society in terms of medicine and welfare.

We will continue to strive to be a children's hospital that reaches out to children and their families.

Kanagawa Children's Medical Center CEO, Tatsuo Kuroda



Centers & Departments

Clinical Departments

General Medicine, Emergency and Critical Care Medicine, Hematology and Oncology, Endocrinology and Metabolism, Infectious Diseases and Immunology, Nephrology, Genetics, Blood Transfusion, Allergy, Neurology, Cardiology, General Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Rehabilitation, Plastic Surgery, Neurosurgery, Cardiovascular Surgery, Dermatology, Urology, Ophthalmology, Otolaryngology, Radiology, Dentistry, Anesthesiology, Pathology, Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, Neonatology, Maternal Medicine, Fetal Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynecology

Nursing Department

Nursing department consists of nursing for outpatient department, 14 inpatient wards, central operating room, 2 facilities for disabled children, and a nursing education department, and focuses on providing daily nursing care and training nurses.

Department of Medical Safety Promotion

Department of Medical Safety Promotion establishes rules related to medical safety, collects and disseminates information, and promotes medical safety across the organization.

Infection Control Office

Infection Control Office promotes infection control measures to prevent nosocomial infections and the spread of infectious diseases prevalent in the community.

Palliative Care Promotion Office

Palliative Care Promotion Office promotes support activities to alleviate the physical, mental, and social suffering of patients and their families, as well as dissemination and support to local medical institutions.

Children's Cancer Center

Children's Cancer Center provides medical care, clinical research, and consultations working with multiple professions, and strives to improve the quality of pediatric cancer care throughout the region.

Administration Office

General Affairs Division/Corporate Planning Division/Medical Affairs and Clinical Information Management Division

Medical Technology and Development Support Office

Radiation Technology /Examination /Pharmacy /Nutrition Management / Clinical Engineering /Clinical Psychology /Speech-Language-Hearing / Physical Therapy /Occupational Therapy



Regional Cooperation and Family Support Office

Regional Cooperation/Maternal and Child Health Promotion/ Medical Welfare Consultation / Discharge and Home Medical Care Support Regional Cooperation and Family Support Office provides consultations to children and their families regarding their medical care. We strive to collect and provide health, medical, and welfare-related information, work with local medical institutions, and support home medical care.

Patient and Family Medical Dialogue Promotion Office

In cooperation with Medical Safety Promotion Office, each profession provides support to ensure smooth communication between patients' families and medical professionals. We work to improve the quality of medical services by providing opportunities for staff to exchange their opinions.

"Hidamari" Facility for children with severe motor and intellectual disabilities

Children with both severe intellectual disabilities and motor disabilities live in while receiving medical care.

"Tsubasa no Ki" Facility for children physically disabilities

Children with limb or trunk deformities or functional disabilities are admitted to restore their functions and independence through surgery and rehabilitation.

Clinical Research Institute

Clinical Research Laboratory/Clinical Trial Management Office/Library Clinical research Laboratory Institute conducts various types of research and provides general coordination and support for research activities. Clinical Trials Management Office promotes pediatric clinical trials. The library provides staff with information for research and self-improvement. We also have an outpatient library for patients and their families.



Kanagawa Children's Medical Center treats patients under the age of 15, excluding obstetrics and gynecology and internal medicine (maternal), by a "referral appointment" from a primary medical institution or a health center.

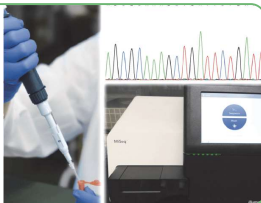
Children's Cancer Center

The Center was designated as a "core hospital for pediatric cancer" by the Minister of Health, Labor and Welfare in April 2013, and was designated as a "pediatric cancer affiliated hospital" in Yokohama City in April 2015. In response to these designations, Children's Cancer Center was established in June 2015 as a cross-sectional promotion organization, and was officially positioned as a department of the hospital in April 2024. We work with multiple professions to provide medical care, clinical research, and consultations, and strive to improve the quality of pediatric cancer care throughout the region.



Medical Genome Center

The Medical Genome Center (MGC) was established in November 2015 aiming to: establish a system as a core facility for genomic medicine in Kanagawa Prefecture, serve as a clinical center (base hospital) for the Initiative for Undiagnosed Diseases (IRUD), cultivate human resources involved in genomic medicine, and support research on rare and intractable pediatric diseases. Team MGC, a multi-disciplinary team including bioinformatics experts, addresses the issue of how to utilize genomic information in medical practice.



Genetic Counseling Center

Specialized physicians and certified genetic counselors provide counseling for children and families with congenital or genetic diseases. Anyone can receive consultation, whether they are receiving treatment at Kanagawa Children's Medical Center or not. In principle, no referral letter is required.



About Fetal Care

Based on the belief of "Fetus as a patient (treating a fetus as a patient)", various doctors and medical staff, including those from the Fetal Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynecology, neonatology, cardiology, and surgery departments, work together to provide fetal diagnosis, fetal treatment, information to parents before delivery, and manage pregnancy and childbirth.



Adult Transition Support Center

Children with chronic diseases and disabilities must face various challenges as they grow into adults. In Adult Transition Support Center, we have repeated discussions among relevant professionals about what support to provide and think about it together with the patient.



Yokohama-Minami School for Special Needs Education

Yokohama-Minami School for Special Needs Education is located within this center. We offer a variety of teaching methods to meet the educational needs of each child, including classroom lessons for each grade level based on the child's disease, physical condition, disability, and learning progress, bedside lessons during visits to hospital wards, and departmental lessons at facilities for children with severe mental and physical disabilities.



Hospital Initiatives



Volunteer Activities

The volunteer activities at our center are collectively known as the "Orange Club." Currently, about 300 volunteers devote themselves to support staff, patients, and families. Their activities include, helping patients and families in outpatient department and each ward, taking care of siblings, storytelling, gardening, handicraft, sewing, and more.

Organizing Seminars

As a specialized medical facility for children, we engage in treatment and life support for children with intractable childhood diseases. Accordingly, since 2002, we have held "Children's Health Seminars" with our staff as lecturers. The seminars address on easy-to-understand themes that are in high demand, and are attended by many local residents.



Facility Dogs

In our center, facility dogs work full-time with us. They accompany children for examinations, help with gait training, and assist with other treatment-related activities. Together with handlers who have clinical experience as nurses, they relieve stress and anxiety of children undergoing treatment and give them courage to undergo treatment. They also provide healing and fun for the siblings and families of the patients.

Peer Supporters

Parents with experience in raising children with disease and disability are available to provide consultation.

Date: Tuesdays to Thursdays, 10 am to 2 pm

※No reservations required

Place: Patient Library, 1st floor of the main building



Accommodation for patients and their family, "The house of Lila"

"The house of Lila" is an accommodation for patients and their families.

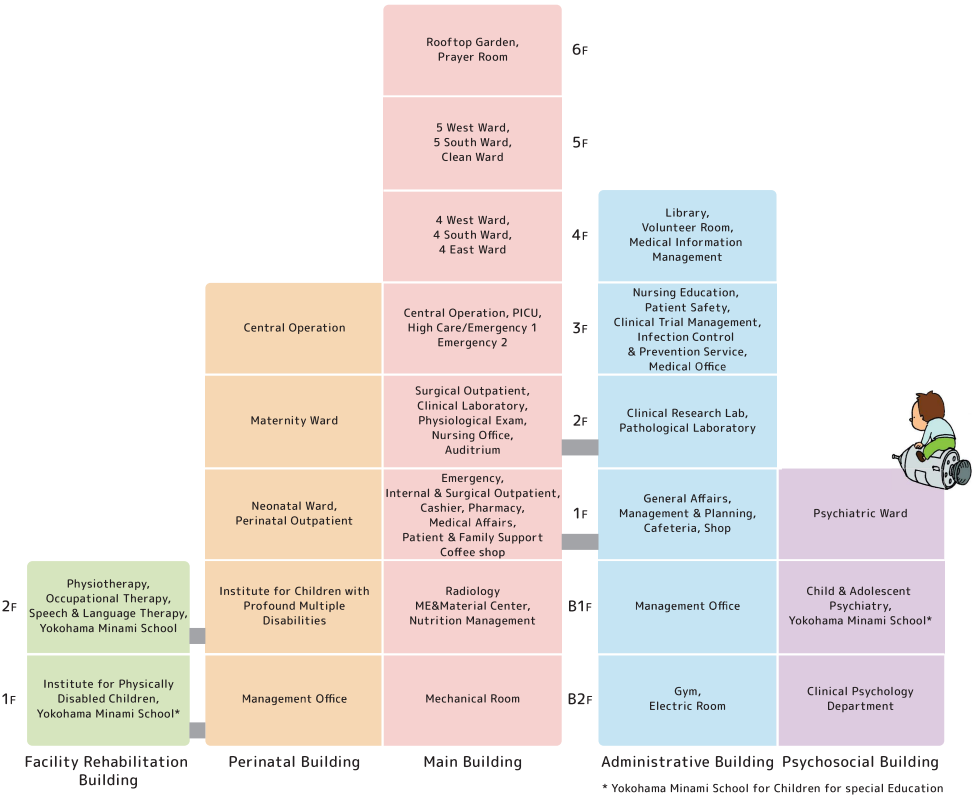
In order to reduce the financial burden and provide emotional support, the certified NPO Smile of Kids works with us to manage and operate the house. Day care for siblings is also available.

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Buildings Layout

Facility Layout



Wards		Number of beds	Details
Main Building	5 West	30	Medical ward for infants, school children, and short stay
	5 South	30	Medical ward for infants and short stay
	5 Clean	15	Wards for bone marrow transplants, chemotherapy
	4 West	30	Medical and Surgical wards for school children, adolescents and short stay
	4 South	30	Surgical ward for infants and short stay
	4 East	30	Surgical ward for infants, school children and short stay
	3 PICU	10	Pediatric Intensive Care Unit
	3 HCU/Emergency 1	14	High Care Unit (Emergency, post-IUC, etc)
	3 HCU/Emergency 2	30	High Care Unit (Emergency, post-IUC, etc)
Psychiatric Ward		40	Child and adolescent psychiatry ward
Perinatal Building	2 Maternity Ward,MFICU	30	Gynecology ward (including 6 beds for MFICU)
	1 Neonatal Ward,NICU	51	Neonatal ward (including 21 NICU)
Total number of beds in the Hospital		340	
Institute for Disabled Children		90	Institute for Physically Disabled Children (50) Institute for Children with Profound Multiple Disabilities (40)
Total number of beds in the Center		430	

Facilities



Cafeteria (1st floor, Administrative Building)

Weekdays

7:30 ~ 18:00



Convenience Store
(1st floor, Administrative Building)

Weekdays

8:00 ~ 21:00



Coffee Shop
(1st floor, Main Building)

Weekdays

7:30 ~ 19:00

Weekends and Holidays

10:00 ~ 17:00

Amenities

With the cooperation of many people, the main building is decorated with a wide range of artwork to create a warm and nurturing therapeutic environment. The study rooms and playrooms in wards, and outpatient play areas are equipped with the necessary learning materials, supplies, and furniture through donations.

- Stained glass in the nursing area and in the aisle
- Relief and stained glass in the prayer room
- Artwork in the alley between the wards and the outpatient offices
- Original designed benches in the outpatient waiting area
- Outpatient library
- Rooftop garden
- Animal pieces, mobiles on the walls and in the atrium

