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Asante Rogue Regional Among “100 Best” in U.S.

Asante Rogue Regional Medical Center has been included among “America’s 100 Best Hospitals” by Healthgrades, a Denver-based company that helps consumers make decisions about doctors and medical facilities.



The Healthgrades list recognizes hospitals that rank among the top 2 percent nationally for at least three consecutive years, based on what Healthgrades considers the most important and objective measures of clinical quality: risk adjusted mortality and in-hospital complication rates.

Asante Rogue Regional also was rated among this year’s [top 5 percent of U.S. hospitals for overall clinical excellence](#) by Healthgrades.

The Medford hospital is the only facility in Oregon to be included in the Healthgrades “100 Best” list.

[Healthgrades](#) has gathered information on more than 3 million U.S. health-care providers. The company analyzed the top-performing hospitals and identified six conditions in which the top hospitals significantly outperform their peers: sepsis, pneumonia, heart attack, heart failure, respiratory failure and stroke. Healthgrades focused this year on heart-related conditions, and found that patients of top-rated hospitals have a 23.2 percent lower risk of dying from heart attack and a 32.1 percent lower risk of dying from heart failure.

Hospitals were rated on 35 specific conditions or procedures, and Asante Rogue Regional received top ratings of five stars for appendectomy, pacemaker procedures, respiratory failure, sepsis, colorectal surgeries, gallbladder removal surgery, gynecologic surgery, stroke, back and neck surgeries, hip replacement, spinal fusion, total knee replacement, transurethral prostate resection surgery, pneumonia, abdominal aortic aneurysm repair, carotid surgery and peripheral vascular bypass.

The Healthgrades website says the company analyzes patient outcomes for most U.S. hospitals, and its ratings inform consumers about how patients have fared at each facility.

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