Aurora Medical Center
Kenosha
Clinical Affiliations
Orientation Handbook

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Aurora Medical Center - Kenosha

Serving the community for 25 years.

74 BEdS

819* PHYSICIANS

75* SPECIALTIES

446 NURSES

PART OF A TOP 3 NOT-FOR-PROFIT HEALTH SYSTEM

Aurora Medical Center – Kenosha is a 74-bed hospital dedicated to improving the health and wellness of the people we serve in Racine, Kenosha and Northern Illinois. A nationally recognized health care provider, we offer a wide range of medical specialties in a culturally affirming and compassionate way to help all people live fully.

NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED FOR EXCELLENCE

Since 2011

Maternity Care

Age-Friendly Health Systems

Geriatric Emergency Department Accreditation

Primary Stroke Center

CLINICAL EXPERTISE AND SPECIALTIES

Cardiac Care
A comprehensive heart and vascular care program in conjunction with Aurora St. Luke’s Medical Center dedicated to prevention, diagnosis and treatment.

Cancer Care
State-of-the-art, compassionate cancer care conveniently close to home. We diagnose more cancer patients than any other health system in Wisconsin.

Emergency Care
Level IV Trauma Center; Stroke Center of Excellence.

Gastroenterology
Culture of excellence in the entire spectrum of digestive conditions of esophagus, stomach, small intestine, colon, pancreas, gallbladder and liver.

Orthopedic and Spine Care
Latest advances in surgical and non-surgical options and minimally invasive procedures, computer-assisted surgical technology and research.

Pulmonology
Advanced, robot-assisted diagnostics and innovative experts specializing in diagnosing and treating diseases of the lungs and other parts of the respiratory system.

Surgical Care
Wide range of inpatient and outpatient general, vascular, breast and plastic surgeries, using advanced medical technologies, including robotics.

Women’s Health Care
Premier labor & delivery and NICU. Mammograms, minimally invasive surgeries, proactive health and more

CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITIES

Senior Resource Nurses guide aging adults on Advanced Directives, fall prevention, managing medication and more.

Cancer Nurse Navigators serve as advocates, provide support for survivors and give recommendations for healthy lifestyle changes.

Newborn health and safety outreach educating new mothers on car seat safety, safe sleep practices, breastfeeding, infant CPR, and more.

10400 75th St. Kenosha, WI 53142 I aurora.org/Kenosha I 262-948-5600

Updated January 2024.
Location and Contact Information for Aurora Medical Center Kenosha

Address
10400 75th St
Kenosha, WI 53142
Get directions

Phone: 262-948-5600
Location type: Hospital

Hours of Operation
24 hours/day, 7 days a week.
Individual departments vary.
Hospital Emergency Information (Dial 7030-2222)

Plain Language Emergency Alert Standardization

- There are 4 plain language CATEGORIES that will serve as the CORE ANNOUNCEMENT for all emergency notifications (e.g. pager, test, overhead announcement).
- Following the Core Announcement, the type of actual emergency (in plain language) and location will be communicated.
  - Example: "Medical Alert – Rapid Response Team – Unit 40 – Room ----

Facility Alert (may include but not limited to)
- Utilities Disruption
- Fire Alarm  Electricity
- Disruption
- Hazardous Spill
- Decontamination
- Evacuation
- Incident Command
- Health Informatics & Technology (HIT/IS)

Weather Alert (may include but not limited to)
- Severe Thunderstorm
- Tornado Snow
- Storm Ice
- Storm

Security Alert (may include but not limited to)
- Missing Person: Adult/Child/Infant with description /last location Suspicious
- Package/Bomb Threat
- Security Assist Active
- Threat
- Perimeter Control/Lock Down

Medical Alert (may include but not limited to)
- Patient Surge-Stand By
- Patient Surge
- Trauma - Adult/Pediatric
- Medical Code Team - Adult/Pediatric Rapid
- Response Team - Adult/Pediatric Stroke
- Alert
- Behavioral Health Response Team Sepsis
- Alert
- STEMI Alert Help
- Response

Alcatel Telephone
## Alcatel Telephone System Quick Reference Guide

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Other Clinical Experience Requirements

Student/Faculty Parking & Entrance into the Hospital – see attached maps

- All students/faculty are to park in the Main Parking Structure, levels 4-5.
- Take the 3rd floor Skywalk from the parking structure to the Main Hospital for building access.

Identification and Badge Requests-Faculty & Students

- Students will wear their school-provided picture identification while on Aurora Kenosha Medical Center property.
- ID badges will be worn above the waist while on Aurora Kenosha Medical Center property.
- On-site clinical faculty will obtain an Aurora Kenosha Medical Center ID badge from public safety prior to the beginning of their rotation.
- Nursing faculty must obtain an Aurora issued clam shell badge at the start of their clinical rotation and must return the badge at the end. Please email Jordan.Melton@aah.org to obtain this badge.

Orientation

- System orientation requirements for instructors and students are found on the Nursing & MA Clinical Placement website
- Sinai Nursing Administration requires a site-specific onboarding session for all instructors and students at the start of each semester. Those dates and times are coordinated between the site liaison and your school placement coordinator. Invites are sent to the instructors when confirmed.

Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act (HIPAA) & Confidentiality

- Ensure that all patient specific information is kept private and confidential. This includes pre and post conference. While we encourage post-conferences off-site there are some conference rooms available. Please reach out to the site liaison to reserve a room.
- Do not make copies or print from the medical record.

Access to computer applications including Epic/EHR and WorkDay

- A network user ID (Network ID/AAH ID) is required to gain access to the Epic/SmartChart application.
- Access is requested once MyClinical Exchange compliance is complete, it can take 2-3 weeks for access to be granted.
- This process is coordinated by the System Clinical Affiliations Lead and your school as appropriate, and instructions will be provided to your school placement coordinator. Please review those instructions carefully to activate a new ID, recover a previous ID, or reset a current password.
- For access issues, please call the Service IT Desk first at (414) 647-3520
• Instructors are responsible for co-signing their students’ documentation. Please refer to the student website for resources on co-signing.
• WorkDay is the platform you will use to complete orientation e-learnings as directed by system Advocate Health

Expectations When on the Unit
• Lockers and storage are not available to faculty and students. Please limit the valuables you bring to the unit.
• Be cognizant of the noise level on the units.
• Instructors, please check in with the Charge RN to review patients and select appropriate assignments. Communicate with the staff you will be working with (i.e. tasks you can do independently, tasks that must be performed with the faculty, or tasks you are NOT permitted to do, etc.)
• Nursing faculty must directly observe student medication administration.
• Offer assistance to the RNs and CNAs to seek out additional learning experiences during your down time (i.e. hourly rounding, answer call lights, visit with patients)
• When in doubt, look up the Policy and/or Procedure

Off Unit Experiences
• Off-unit experiences will be scheduled only through the site liaison. Please do not try to coordinate with a Charge RN or unit leadership. There may be times when experiences may be limited or suspended but every effort will be made to meet a request. Encourage those requests to come early-mid semester even if requested for the final weeks.
• If a student’s patients go to another department for a procedure (i.e. radiology, GI, etc), the student may follow the patient as long as the patient and procedural department consents.

Resources
• Nursing & MA Clinical Placement website Please review entire website including the Student Nurse Skills list (use password Instructor@aah to open and review)
• AAH Nursing Hub-click on the purple stethoscope icon on any computer to go to the Hub
• AAH Student Undergraduate Nurse and Student Nursing Assistant Policy (in Policy Tech)
• Help Desk number: (414) 647-3520