

Pediatric Rehabilitation

Our Facility

Pediatric Rehabilitation LevineChildrens.org/rehab Our 13 bed, dedicated pediatric rehabilitation unit is located on the 4th floor of Atrium Health Levine Children's Hospital. All our rooms are private with in-room sleeping accommodations for a parent or caregiver. Our family-centered care philosophy allows us to effectively treat the whole child and tend to the emotional and physical needs of our patients and their families.

Our Team

The team consists of dedicated therapists, nurses, physicians as well as social work, teacher, rehab liaison, case management and other skilled professionals. We also have direct access to the full spectrum of medical specialists found in our nationally recognized children's hospital.

Many of our nursing team members are Certified Rehab Registered Nurses (CRRN). Our pediatric rehabilitation program is CARF-accredited (<u>CARF.org</u>) which ensures we strive to meet the highest standards of quality, safety and outcomes.



Our Results

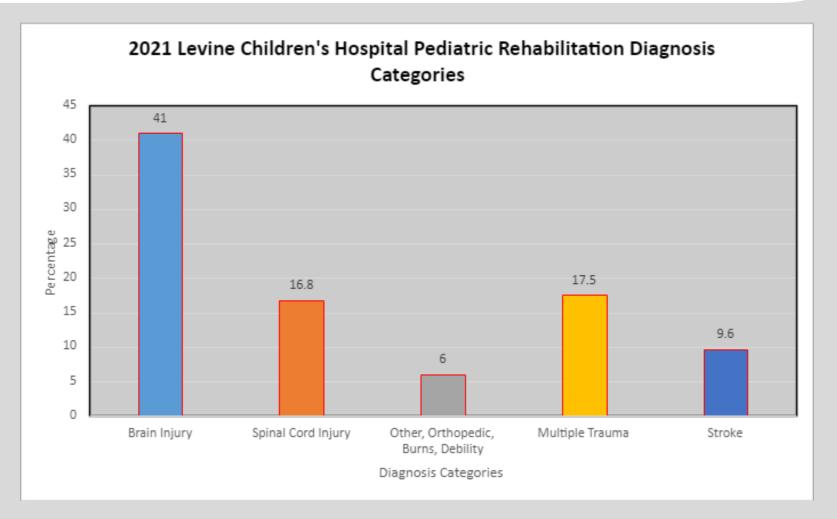
In 2021, we served 166 patients from VA, GA, NC, TN and SC. Though our largest treatment diagnosis group is brain injury, we also serve those with spinal cord injury, amputation, multiple traumatic injuries, oncologic disease, general decline in functional ability and many other diagnoses.

We utilize UDSmr (Uniform Data System for Medical Rehabilitation) and WeeFIM to measure and document functional performance in our patients. We are then able to benchmark our data with other facilities across the nation to be sure we are always working to provide the best care. We also collect, analyze and report other data such as referral information, discharge disposition and length of stay.

The following graphs and descriptions provide you with more detail about who we serve and how well we do.



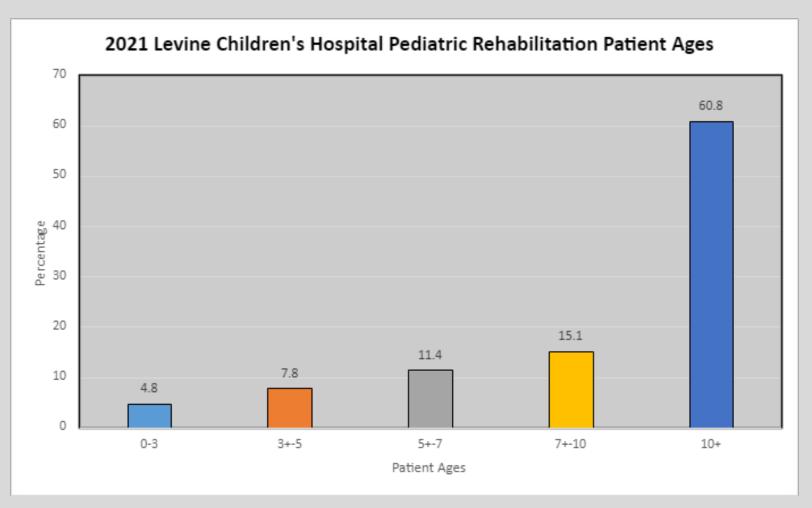
The graph below shows that we have children with a wide variety of diagnoses. Our skilled team tailors the treatment plan to provide the best care for you and your child.





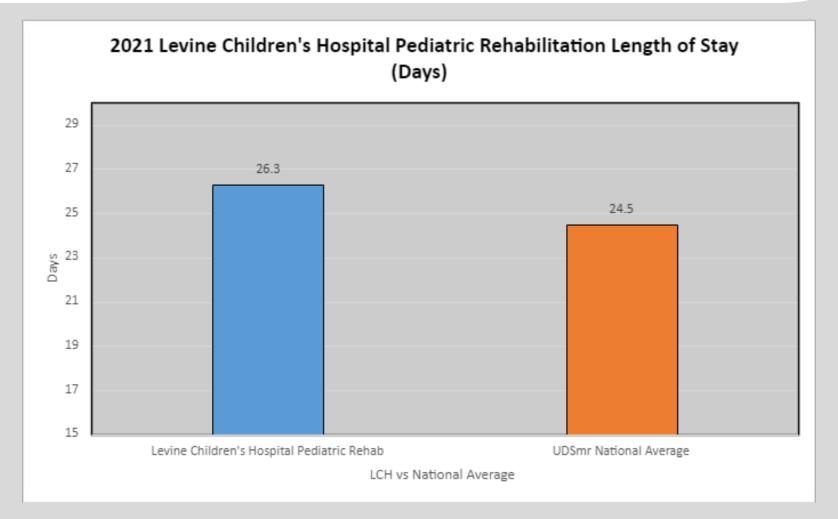
Why is this important?

From the graph below, you can see that we serve a wide range of ages. This gives all patients the opportunity to interact with others around the same age during their stay. Families and caregivers can also get to know each other, often sharing experiences and forming strong supportive relationships.





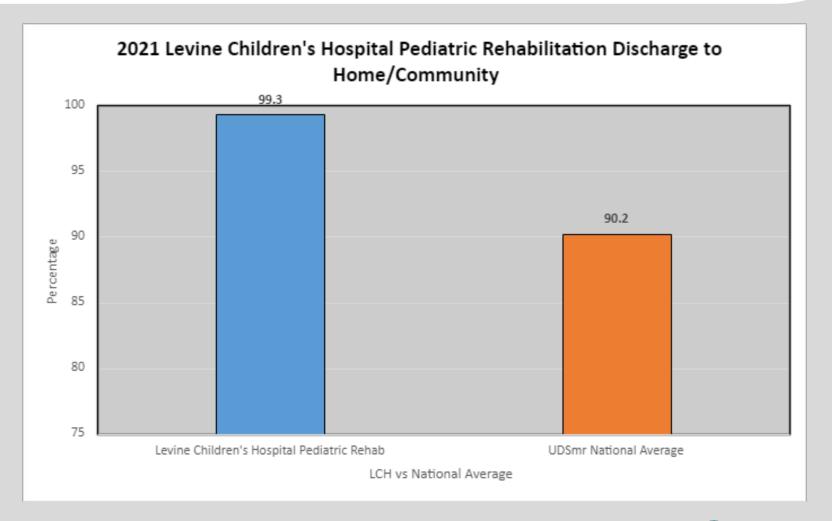
The graph below shows the average amount of time our children stay with us. The length of time will vary depending on your child's needs. For 2021, our average length of stay was just under 4 weeks which was 1.8 days longer than the national average. This means our patients can reach their goals and go home consistent with the national average for pediatric rehabilitation facilities.





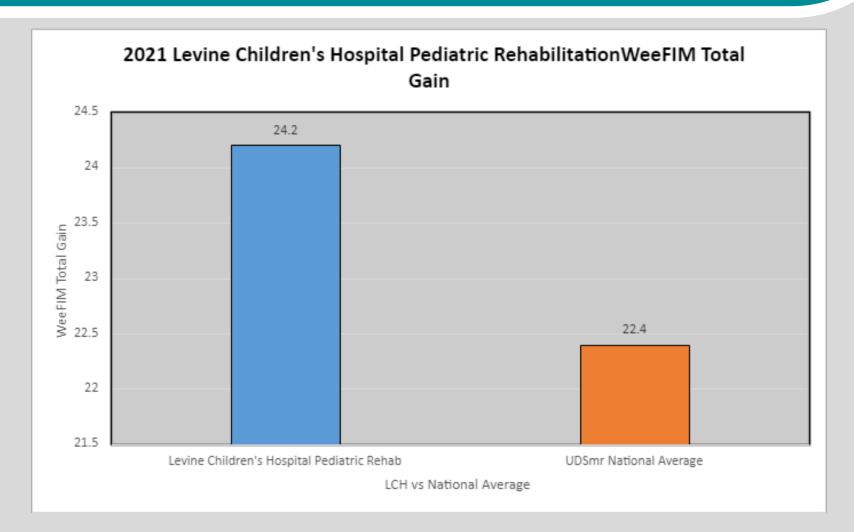
From the graph below, you can see that almost all our children are able to return home with their family or caregiver. Those that didn't go home went to other facilities. Our team uses the many resources available to prepare for and provide support for the transition home.

* Excludes patients who had interrupted rehab stays due to acute care needs.



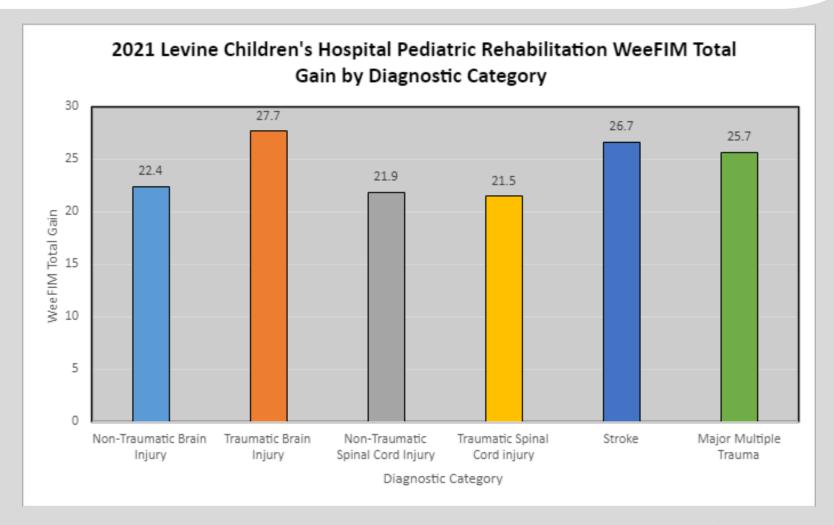


This measurement helps us track the functional progress our patients make towards their goals. Whether our patients are with us for 2 weeks or 4 weeks, we are always working to maximize their function and provide the necessary education to allow continued progress after rehab. See the next slide for more detailed information.



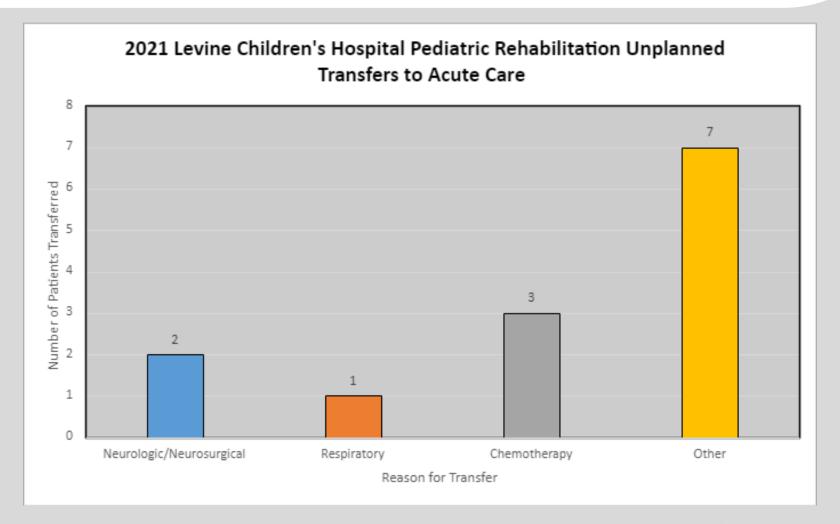


This shows more detail about the functional gains divided into our most common diagnosis categories.





This measurement helps us track the number of patients who are transferred to the acute care setting during their rehabilitation stay. Though we are always working to minimize these transfers sometimes it is necessary. When appropriate, patients may return to the rehabilitation unit to complete their stay.





We use a third-party vendor to help us measure patient satisfaction. This helps us track how satisfied our patients and families are with their rehabilitation stay. We strive to maintain the highest ranking and utilize feedback on our surveys to make changes and improvements.

