

Where Bold *Begins.*

THE CAMPAIGN FOR USA

Progress starts with bold choices — and at the University of South Alabama, those choices fuel human potential, drive medical innovation and strengthen the economic vitality of our region for generations to come. We are committed to being the Gulf Coast's leading force for progress, health and opportunity.

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*Transforming Children's
Healthcare along the Gulf Coast*

The University of South Alabama was founded from a bold vision.

Today, that vision lives on through compassionate care, breakthrough innovation, and a commitment to patients and families along the Gulf Coast.

At USA Health Children’s & Women’s Hospital, we are building on that legacy as the region’s leading academic medical center dedicated to children and women. As part of an integrated health system, we are uniquely positioned to support patients throughout their healthcare journey, providing access to specialized care from infancy to adolescence and connecting them seamlessly to adult care.

When the unexpected happens, our specialized teams are ready to step in and help. As the region’s only hospital with a Level III neonatal intensive care unit, we provide critical support for our smallest patients, while comprehensive pediatric services extend that same level of care throughout childhood. From complex surgeries and cancer treatment to pediatric intensive care and neurodevelopmental disorders, our team is grounded in a family-centered approach.

Together, we have the opportunity to grow our system of care that surrounds children with compassion, connects families to the support they need, and ensures every child has access to quality care close to home.



Deborah Browning, MSN, RN
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FAST FACTS

30+

pediatric specialties, including cardiology, developmental and behavioral medicine, endocrinology, emergency medicine, infectious diseases, interventional radiology, oncology, neurology and more

122,000+

ambulatory pediatric network visits annually

Region’s leading Pediatric Infusion Center

offering advanced therapies for cancer, sickle cell disease and chronic conditions using child-focused distraction and comfort techniques

2,600+

babies delivered each year, more than any other hospital in the area

Child life specialists, recreation therapists and visiting pet teams supporting hospitalized children’s emotional and developmental needs

35,000+

children treated annually in the Pediatric Emergency Center

1,000+

newborns admitted to the Level III neonatal intensive care unit annually



Impact on the Gulf Coast

USA Health Children’s & Women’s Hospital plays a vital role in the health of our region by:

- Providing critical care for medically complex and high-risk pediatric patients
- Reducing the need for families to travel long distances for specialty care
- Expanding access to advanced services, including neurodevelopmental care, oncology, pediatric surgery, trauma care, behavioral health, telehealth and more
- Strengthening regional and community health through outreach, education, clinical partnerships and collaborative programs
- Serving as a nationally recognized Children’s Miracle Network Hospital

Fostering a brighter, healthier tomorrow for our children

A CATALYST FOR PROGRESS

Now is the time to invest in the health of our children and allow our hospital to expand and enhance the unique services provided. Together, we can be bold — transforming pediatric care and ensuring every child on the Gulf Coast has the opportunity to not just survive but thrive.

Regional Pediatric Care Network

Connect hospital care with more specialty clinics, schools, community services and regional partners to ensure access for families across the Gulf Coast

Pediatric Clinical Capabilities

Expand high-acuity specialty services, including pediatric neurology, renal care, and other complex interventions

Clinical Excellence and Research-Drive Care

Strengthen recruitment, expand research and develop innovative care models that improve outcomes

Transitional Medicine

Establish coordinated care pathways that support patients and families through every stage of development, ensuring seamless transitions and improving long-term outcomes