

Welcome to UMC Health System Nursing Services! As a nurse in our system, you will quickly find have a culture of service. Our vision is to “serve our patients in the best teaching hospital in the country.” We achieve our vision through service to each other, which includes patients, families and the West Texas and New Mexico Region. We believe a service focus contributes to the teamwork needed to create the quality care experience we want for our patients.

University Medical Center is the primary teaching hospital for Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. The Health Sciences Center is home for the Schools of Medicine, Nursing and Health Professions. We also see many other nursing students in our clinical areas from around the region. University Medical Center offers programs to support you with continuing your professional development, if desired.

The American Nurses Credentialing Center has designated University Medical Center as a Pathways to Excellence hospital since 2007. For you, it means you will join a nursing service recognized for building an environment that promotes patient-centered care, a collaborative work environment, shared governance and professional practice.

In 2013, we made the decision to seek Magnet designation. To achieve this designation, we have strengthened all aspects of our professional nursing practice leading to continuous improvement in our patient care and professional practice culture. University Medical Center focuses on quality and constant improvement. We look forward to continuing our Magnet journey.

This is a very exciting time to be a nurse at UMC Health System, and I am honored to be your Chief Nursing Officer. Come join our team and our quest to serve in the best teaching hospital in the country.

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