



Our Mission

To provide quality primary health care to people in need.

Our Community

Venice Family Clinic is the first choice in free and affordable health care for low-income, uninsured and homeless families and individuals. We serve everyone from infants, children and teens to adults and seniors. Our patients are most highly concentrated on the Westside, but many come from across Los Angeles County.

Our History & Purpose

Launched in 1970 by volunteer physicians Philip Rossman, MD, founder, and Mayer B. Davidson, MD, co-founder, Venice Family Clinic first operated in space borrowed from a small, store-front dental office after normal business hours. There was—and remains—a tremendous unmet need for affordable health care for those who live in poverty.

Today, with ten health centers, Venice Family Clinic is the medical home for people who might otherwise go without critically needed health care services.

Our Services

Our comprehensive primary health care and supportive services include:

- Medical – treatment and prevention
- Dental
- Vision
- Mental & Behavioral Health
- Laboratory Services
- Pharmacy Services
- Health & Wellness Education
- Chronic Disease Management
- Case Management
- Support Groups
- Parenting Classes
- HIV/AIDS Care
- Reproductive Health
- Prenatal Care
- Early Childhood Development
- Integrative Medicine
- Early Head Start
- Domestic Violence Intervention

In addition, we offer clinic-, shelter- and street-based outreach and care for our homeless neighbors. All of our patients can access a wide array of specialty care services offered by volunteer physicians, including cardiology, dermatology, ear/nose/throat, endocrinology, gastroenterology, nephrology, neurology, ophthalmology, optometry, orthopedics, pediatric allergy, plastic and reconstructive surgery pulmonary, podiatry, sports medicine and rheumatology.

Our Partners

VFC's most significant affiliation is with the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Health System and David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA. Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Kaiser Permanente of Southern California and Providence Saint John's Health Center are also key partners, providing residents, vital in-kind services and operating funds. VFC provides training in community primary and specialty care to nearly 300 residents and medical students each year, laying the groundwork for their life-long commitment to community health and the underserved.

Volunteers' donated services are valued at \$1.7 million per year. Donations of medications and other pharmaceuticals, plus radiology, lab, surgical and emergency services by hospitals, laboratories and others are valued at nearly \$7 million per year.

Our Achievements

- Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)
- Designated 330e, 330h and 330i Community Health Center
- Patient Centered Medical Home (NCQA Level 2 Recognition)
- American Hospital Association's Foster G. McGaw Prize
- The Pew Charitable Trust's Primary Care Achievement Award
- American Psychiatric Association's Advancing Minority Mental Health Award
- California Health Care Foundation LEAP (Leveraging Excellence, Advancing Practice Award)

The People We Serve

Patients

23,699 patients annually

Patient Visits

114,512 annually-including 82,582 primary and specialty care, 8,700 behavioral health, 5,692 dental and 12,049 health education visits, and 5,489 Children First/Early Head Start home visits.
72% now have access to health insurance; the highest percentage in VFC history
75% live below the federal poverty level
29% are children
13% are homeless
40% speak Spanish as their primary language

Race/Ethnicity

58% Hispanic origin
27% Caucasian
10% African-American
4% Asian
1% Other

Who We Are

279 full- and part-time staff
1,000 volunteers, including 379 physicians
19-member Board of Directors
94-member Foundation, Philanthropy, Emeritus and Advisory Boards

Budget

\$37.3 million annual operating budget
\$7 million from in-kind donations

Locations

Children First Early Head Start – Inglewood
Common Ground – Santa Monica
Frederick R. Weisman Family Center & Milken Family Foundation Medical Building – Venice
Irma Colen Administration Building – Venice
Irma Colen Health Center – Mar Vista
Lou Colen Children's Health & Wellness Center – Mar Vista
OPCC Annenberg Access Center – Santa Monica
Robert Levine Family Health Center – Venice
Safe Place for Youth – Venice
Sandy Segal Youth Health Center – Culver City
Santa Monica High School – Santa Monica
Simms/Mann Health & Wellness Center – Santa Monica

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