

Advocate Christ Medical Center, Oak Lawn

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The emergency department (ED) at Advocate Christ Medical Center is a state of Illinois designated Level I Trauma Center, capable of providing all essential services in-house, 24 hours a day. It is among the busiest ED's in the Midwest, treating more than 80,000 patients a year.

The ED team of board-certified emergency physicians, trauma surgeons, registered nurses, nurse liaisons, respiratory therapists, and emergency technicians is specially trained and experienced in treating patients with emergency health conditions. Resident physicians in the ED are supervised by attending physicians.

The most advanced technology and resources of one of the nation's leading medical centers is available to patients in Advocate Christ Medical Center's ED. The medical center is a smoke free facility and the largest private hospital in Illinois based on admissions, is a recognized leader in emergency medicine, cardiology, pediatrics, surgical services, oncology and women's services. Advocate Christ Medical Center is a Level III Perinatal Center – the highest designation – and home to Advocate Hope Children's Hospital.