

Hospital Reproductive Health Services

In accordance with 2SSB 5602 (Laws of 2019), the purpose of this form is to provide the public with specific information about which reproductive health services are and are not generally available at each hospital.
Please contact the hospital directly if you have questions about services that are available.

Hospital name: Columbia County Public Hospital District #1

Physical address: 1012 South 3rd. St.

City: Dayton

State: WA

ZIP Code: 99382

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An acute care hospital may not be the appropriate setting for all reproductive health services listed below.
 Some reproductive services are most appropriately available in outpatient settings such as a physician office or clinic, depending on the specific patient circumstances.

The following reproductive health services are generally available at the above listed hospital:

Abortion services

- Medication abortion
- Referrals for abortion
- Surgical abortion

Contraception services

- Birth control: provision of the full range of Food and Drug Administration-approved methods including intrauterine devices, pills, rings, patches, implants, etc.
- Contraceptive counseling
- Hospital pharmacy dispenses contraception
- Removal of contraceptive devices
- Tubal ligations
- Vasectomies

Emergency contraception services

- Emergency contraception - sexual assault
- Emergency contraception - no sexual assault

Infertility services

- Counseling
- Infertility testing and diagnosis
- Infertility treatments including but not limited to in vitro fertilization

Other related services

- Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) testing
- Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) treatment
- Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP), prescriptions, and related counseling
- Sexually transmitted disease testing and treatment
- Treatment of miscarriages and ectopic pregnancies

Pregnancy-related services

- Counseling
- Genetic testing
- Labor and delivery
- Neonatal intensive care unit
- Prenatal care
- Postnatal care
- Ultrasound

Comments; limitations on services; other services

Labor and Delivery Services are only provided in an Emergency Situation through the ED where the patient and baby would be stabilized and transferred to a higher level of care.

Ultrasound is only available 1-day a week on Thursdays

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Shane A McGuire, CEO
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Additional comments; limitations on services; other services (*continued*)

We do not have SANE nurses or providers on staff. We do have a "Care of Patients Involved in Sexual Assault" Policy/Procedure that defines proper care that in part states: "Dayton General hospital will provide immediate emergency care to stabilize the patient and arrange transport to the nearest facility with specialized trained staff, Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE), and ensure the best outcome for the patient." It goes on to state:

A. When a patient presents for medical care for an alleged sexual assault, the nursing staff will notify the patient's personal physician if the patient requests, and the Emergency Department (ED) Provider. A history will be obtained by the Registered Nurse (RN) from the patient. The patient will be informed that we can arrange transport to the next closest facility that has SANE provider that can provide the specialized care needed.

B. If patient consents, upon admission to the ED the RN will notify local law enforcement of the alleged sexual assault. If the patient does not want to report the sexual assault or file charges that is their choice.

C. Dayton General Hospital (DGH) will provide emergency medical treatment to victims of alleged sexual assault, including a minimal perineal exam for bleeding, to ensure stability for transfer. Then patients will be referred and transferred to the nearest hospital for a legal medical sexual assault exam.

D. If a patient does not want to be transferred for further exam/treatment the patient should be offered emergent birth control (Plan B is in ER Pyxis) if appropriate.

E. Nursing staff should ask the patient if they would like to have the local victim's advocate from the YWCA come to the ED to provide support to the patient. Contact info for the advocate should be given to the patient for future reference even if patient was not interested in contact at the time of the ED visit.

In cases of emergency where a device needs to be removed, we would perform that service in the ED, but some cases may require transfer for severe hemorrhaging as we do not provide surgical services. All other reproductive health services would be referred to a OB/GYN Specialist at another facility from our ED.

If a patient inquired about abortion services we would provide the patient with information on service providers for prenatal and abortion services.

As a health system with two Rural Health Clinics, we do provide contraceptive counseling, prescriptions for pills, shots, and patches, and we can remove devices in the clinic setting based on the providers comfort level. We do not place devices in the clinic.


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