

JCMC ranked tops in state for under 350 beds

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Doctors and patients have ranked Jersey City Medical Center as the top hospital with less than 350 beds in the state.

"We're enormously proud of this recognition and the trust put in our hospital by physicians and patients," said Joseph Scott, president and CEO of Liberty Health, the parent company of the hospital.

Inside Jersey Magazine and Castle Connolly Medical Ltd, a health care research and information company, announced the rankings in the Star Ledger.

Physicians across the state were asked to name top hospi-

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tals for specific medical conditions and overall care. The ranking is also established through patients' post-discharge ratings for hospitals



DOCTORS AND nurses at the Jersey City Medical Center attend to a patient.

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throughout the state.

Jersey City Medical Center came in No. 1 overall for hospitals with less than 350 beds, with Hackensack Medical Center earning the top spot among larger hospitals.

The medical center also

earned top marks in the categories of stroke care, high-risk pregnancy and neurological disorders and was ranked second for pediatric cancers, congestive heart failure and coronary bypass.

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