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Awards and Honors

Huntsville Hospital has a tradition of excellence in quality and service that has been recognized regionally and nationally, including the following achievements and awards:

#1 in Alabama in Heart Surgery

HealthGrades, 2012

Cardiac Rehab certification

American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation, 2011

Best Places to Work

Huntsville/Madison County Chamber of Commerce, 2011

Consumer Choice Award

National Research Corporation, 2002 - 2011

Full accreditation

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations, 2008 - 2011

Blue Distinction designation

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alabama, 2011

Organ Donation Medal of Honor

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2009, 2010

Three-star rating for coronary bypass surgery

Society of Thoracic Surgeons, 2008

"Get With the Guidelines" Triple Gold-Plus Recognition

American Heart & Stroke Association, 2010

Alabama Quality Award Team Showcase

- **Improving Patient Safety Through Pediatric Dose Standardization**
 - **Optimizing "Smart" Infusion Pump Safety Technology team**
 - **Clostridium Difficile Infection (CDI) Reduction team**
- Alabama Productivity Center, 2010

Best Practices Award in Health-System Pharmacy to the CDI Reduction team

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, 2010

Approved Cancer Program with commendation

American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer, 1991 - 2013

Perfect rating for Mammography program

Food & Drug Administration, 2000 - 2011

Alabama Quality Award

Alabama Productivity Center, 2003 - 2010

Perfect biannual rating for Laboratory

American College of Pathology, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2010

Primary Stroke Center certification

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, 2007

Breast Center earns "excellence" accreditation

American College of Radiology, 2008

Hospital of the Year

Mended Hearts, 2010

Fit-Friendly Company

American Heart Association, 2009

Tier 1 Hospital for fiscal, quality and patient safety awareness

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alabama, 2008

Family Friendly Business Award

Huntsville/Madison County Chamber of Commerce, 2006

Clinical Excellence Award for heart attack treatment

Voluntary Hospitals of America (VHA), 2006

Five-star rating for orthopedics and joint replacement
HealthGrades

Five-star rating for vascular surgery
HealthGrades

Among "The 100 Most Wired Hospitals" in America
Hospitals & Health Networks, 2002 - 2005

Named "National Corporation of the Year"
America's Blood Centers, 2005 (for efforts to raise blood donations)

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