

Restoring function and returning people to their lives



# Injured Worker Program 2021 Performance Report

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## **About Gaylord Specialty Healthcare**

**Gaylord Specialty Healthcare** is a rehabilitation-focused, nonprofit health system that provides inpatient and outpatient care for people at every point in their journey from illness or injury to maximum recovery.

Gaylord Specialty Healthcare is anchored by Gaylord Hospital, a long-term acute care hospital (LTCH), and includes Gaylord Outpatient Services and Gaylord Physical Therapy for patients who require diagnosis and treatment on an outpatient basis. Together, these entities deliver a complete continuum of rehabilitative care driven by technology, research, clinical experience and human compassion.

Gaylord Specialty Healthcare is widely recognized for its leadership in treating spinal cord and brain injuries, pulmonary, cardiac, amputee and stroke patients as well as sports-related injuries. It is the only rehabilitation system in CT accredited by CARF International (Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities) for both inpatient and outpatient programs in an LTCH setting.



# Why Gaylord?



Among the best in the country at helping patients recover and return to the highest quality of life.

With more than a century of patient-centered care experience, we excel at returning patients to their highest level of function after a life-altering accident or illness.

For the injured worker, we use the latest evidence-based rehabilitation and technology while supporting and educating family members in a healing environment.

# Gaylord is Highly Accredited





- CARF accreditation for all inpatient and outpatient rehabilitation programs and additional accreditation for Spinal Cord, Stroke and Brain Injury Specialty Programs
- Accredited by the Joint Commission
- Partner site of the Spaulding New England Regional Spinal Cord Injury Center - One of only 14 Model Spinal Cord Injury Systems in the U.S.
- Passy-Muir Center of Excellence One of only 12 in the U.S.
- Accredited by the American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation (AACVPR)
- The first Center of Excellence designated by Vapotherm for the use of Vapotherm High Flow Therapy

CARF accreditation in SCI, Stroke & Brain Injury - the only LTCH in the U.S.

# A **Dedicated Team of Experts**Produces Better Outcomes

Making the Workers' Compensation Process Easy & Efficient



Dedicated Workers' Compensation Physician

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Make an Outpatient Referral

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Make an **Inpatient Referral** 

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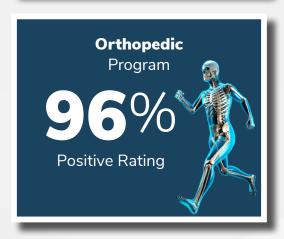
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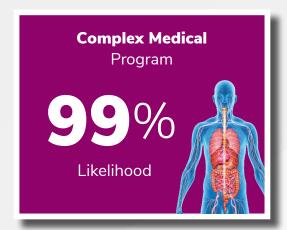
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# Our Patients Rated the Overall Assessment of their Program Highly Positive

FY2021 Press-Ganey Inpatient Satisfaction 4's & 5's









# Our Patients are Highly Likely to Recommend Gaylord's Program to Others

FY2021 Press-Ganey Inpatient Satisfaction 4's & 5's

# **Outpatient Services**

# We Specialize in Helping Injured Workers

Gaylord is ranked in the top 20 of the largest rehab providers in the nation by Modern Healthcare.

The latest technology, teamed with expert staff, allows patients to relearn skills faster and regain maximum function in order to return to work and home.

FY2021 Gaylord Outpatient Data

Number of FY2021 Workers' Compensation Patients:

417

Average Number of Visits Per Patient:

**15.6** 

Average Age of Patients:

**52.7** 

Gaylord's **Neuropsychology Department**Has a World of Experience

As part of the Gaylord Specialty Healthcare system, we offer a comprehensive concussion program and an experienced neuropsychology department serving both adolescents and adults.

# Inpatient Programs

Our Workers' Compensation

Patients are able to

Return to their Homes & Lives

Percentage of Workers' Comp Inpatients Discharged Back to the Community FY2021 Gaylord Inpatient Data

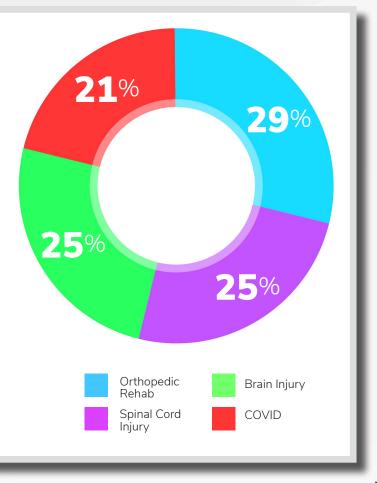


# Our Injured Worker Cases are Diverse

Gaylord is not your typical hospital. As a specialty hospital, we provide care and treatment beyond the scope of a traditional rehab hospital.

From music therapy to sporting opportunities, our team individualizes each patient's rehabilitation to inspire them to work harder and return to their highest possible level of function.

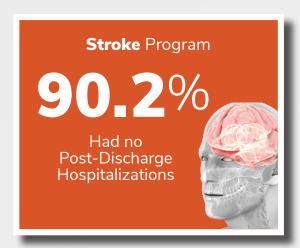
FY2021 Gaylord Inpatient Admission Data

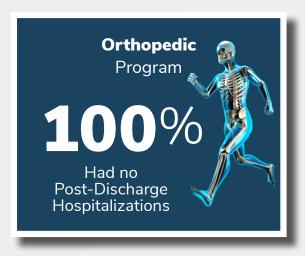


# Our Patients are Successful Post-Discharge

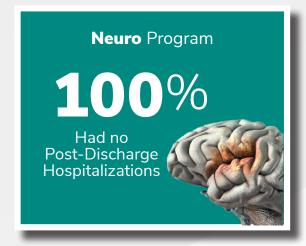
# Percentage of Patients with No Post-Discharge Hospitalizations

IT Health Track Data 4/1/2020 - 3/31/2021 Gaylord Inpatients, 90 Day Follow-up











# Gaylord Employees Make **Great Caregivers**

Satisfied employees have been shown to be up to 20% more effective than unhappy employees.

Statistics show that Gaylord employees are both satisfied with their position and satisfied with Gaylord's attention to patient care.

Our Employees Have Much More Overall Job Satisfaction than the National Average

FY2020 Gaylord Employee Survey

National Average 61%

Gaylord Specialty Healthcare

Our Employees are More Satisfied with our Commitment to Patient-Centered Care than the National Average

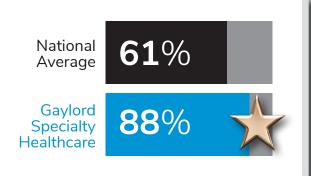
FY2020 Gaylord Employee Survey

National Average 65%

Gaylord Specialty Healthcare

Our Employees Rate us on Overall Safety Better than the National Average

FY2020 AHRQ Survey (Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality)



# The Perfect Environment to Heal

# **All Private Inpatient Rooms** - Reduces Risk of Infection

- Located on 400-Scenic Acres with Easy Access to Outdoors
- Guest Housing for Overnight Visitors/Family
- Campus-wide WiFi Access
- Large Indoor Therapy Pool
- Onsite Greenhouse for Patient Therapy Activities
- Assistive Technology Program
- Home Simulation Area
- Adaptive Sports Program Largest in the Region
- Support Groups for Patients and Caregivers
- Five Convenient Locations for Outpatient Therapy
- Health Club Style Settings for Outpatient Gyms





# Beautiful On-Campus Housing for Loved Ones Only Steps Away from the Hospital

- Guest cottage complex with four individual private suites
  - Hotel Suite Layout
  - Central Entrance
  - Free Parking
  - Free WiFi
- Five room stand-alone cottage for family use
  - Two Bedrooms
  - Living Room
  - Dining Room
  - Eat-In Kitchen
  - Free Parking
  - Free Wifi



# Our Team Utilizes Cutting Edge Technology

# **Bionic Exoskeleton Technology**

Gaylord is the first facility in Connecticut to offer the Ekso™ Bionic Exoskeleton.

The Ekso is a portable, adjustable bionic suit designed to help patients with lower-extremity paralysis or weakness, resulting from a spinal cord injury, stroke or other neurological condition, to stand and walk. Gaylord also hosts ReWalk™ Robotics clinics in it's Wallingford location.

Connecticut's Ekso Technology Experts



# ZeroG® Gait & Balance System

The ZeroG Gait and Balance System protects patients from falls while providing dynamic body-weight support as patients practice walking, balance tasks, sit-to-stand maneuvers and even stairs.

Because ZeroG is mounted to an overhead track, there are no barriers between the patient and therapist. With the only ZeroG in Connecticut, inpatients can begin rehabilitation as early as possible in a safe, controlled environment.

The Only Facility in Connecticut with ZeroG Technology





# AlterG<sup>®</sup> Anti-Gravity Treadmill

AlterG Anti-Gravity Treadmills use NASA-developed Differential Air Pressure (DAP) technology that enables unprecedented unweighting therapy and training capabilities.

This unique unweighting with air pressure comfortably lifts the user and allows him/her to walk or run at a fraction of their body weight.

**Available in Three Outpatient Locations** 





# TRAURIG HOUSE

# Residential Living Center

Traurig House is an 8 bed residential living center for acquired brain injury patients. Residential living centers are places where a person can learn to compensate for their remaining physical and cognitive deficits in a safe environment.



- Average length of stay 35 days
- Licensed as Residential Care Home 8 beds
- 24/7 staff, certified in Medication Administration, CPR & First Aid
- Five days/week Day Treatment Program within Gaylord Outpatient
- Can be referred from ANY level of care

Traurig House is the **only facility of this type in Connecticut** 

#### Goals of the Program

- Increase level of functional independence, so that the person is well prepared to live in the community
- Provide a safe place to practice physical, cognitive and communication skills
- Develop compensatory strategies to enhance independence

# For More Information:

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# Seeing is Believing:

Call us to schedule a private tour. More information available at www.gaylord.org - search: Traurig

You Tube

Find us on YouTube search: Traurig

# Traurig House Helps to Produce **Great Outcomes**

Our unique program helps patients acquire the communication, cognitive and mobility skills they'll need to enjoy an independent life and successfully re-enter their communities.

97%

Of residents Felt that they were Fully Prepared to Return Home

FY2021 Residential Living Discharge Survey

97%

Of residents were
Discharged Back
to the Community

FY2021 Residential Living Discharge Tracking Report

94%

Of residents
Rated their Overall Stay
as a Positive Experience

FY2021 Residential Living Discharge Survey



# Don't Forget:

Traurig House includes 5 days/week of intensive therapy at our world-class outpatient rehab

# Gaylord Has **Five** Convenient **Outpatient Locations**

### **Gaylord Outpatient Services**

- Neuropsychology
- Physiatry/Rehab Physicians
- Aphasia & Cognitive Day Therapy Program
- Bionic Exoskeletons Ekso™ & Re-Walk™
- Comprehensive Concussion Care
- PT, OT, Speech and Aquatic Therapy
- Vestibular Therapy
- Vision Therapy





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## **Gaylord Physical Therapy**

- Focus on improving movement, mobility, and strength to restore, maintain and promote optimal physical function
- Expertise in addressing work capacity concerns and facilitating return-to-work planning
- Work Conditioning Program
- Patient education for continued healing at home
- Manual techniques
- Therapeutic modalities
- Dry needling





#### Cheshire

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#### Cromwell

50 Berlin Road Cromwell, CT 06416 (203) 284-3020 - Phone (203) 294-8705 - Fax rehabwithapro.org



#### Madison

28 Durham Road Madison, CT 06443 (203) 284-2888- Phone (203) 294-8705 - Fax rehabwithapro.org



#### North Haven

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# Among the Best in the Country at Helping Patients Recover and Return to the Highest Quality of Life



From inpatient care to outpatient services, at four convenient locations throughout Connecticut, Gaylord provides a coordinated, interdisciplinary approach for patients who have experienced an acute illness or traumatic accident.

Gaylord is able to treat individuals who need care and rehabilitation for illness or injury related to the brain and nervous system, spine, bones and joints, respiratory complications and other conditions.

We provide our patients with the latest evidence-based rehabilitation while supporting and educating family members in a healing environment.

#### **Gaylord Hospital**

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#### **Traurig Residential Living Center**

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#### **Gaylord Outpatient Services**

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#### **Locations:**

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Physical Therapy - Cheshire 1154 Highland Avenue Cheshire, CT

Physical Therapy - Cromwell 50 Berlin Road Cromwell, CT

**Physical Therapy - Madison** 28 Durham Road Durham, CT

Physical Therapy - North Haven 8 Devine Street North Haven, CT