

AltaMed at a Glance



AltaMed Health Services is one of the largest independent federally qualified health centers in the United States. Founded in 1969, AltaMed is on a mission to eliminate disparities in health care access. Today, we serve more than 500,000 patients across Los Angeles and Orange counties, offering high-quality, culturally responsive health and human services through an integrated, patient-centered care model. Our comprehensive offerings include primary care, dental, specialty care, and other essential services, with a focus on Latino, multi-ethnic, and medically underserved communities.



Core Services and Programs

- Pharmacy
- Primary Care
- Women's Health
- Dental
- Program for All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)
- AltaMed Viva Gold (Senior Care)
- HIV Prevention and Care
- Behavioral Health
- Youth Services



More Than 55 Years of Service

Since 1969, AltaMed has improved health outcomes for Latino, multi-ethnic, and often overlooked patients in Southern California. While we have grown exponentially since our first clinic, our roots have always been in building community and our work has been guided by addressing inequities in the communities we serve — not by profit margins.



Service Delivery Sites

- 56** Primary Care Clinics
- 15** Dental Care Clinics
- 13** Pharmacies, plus 1 Infusion Center
- 10** Mobile Health Clinics
- 18** Behavioral Health Clinics
- 4** HIV Prevention and Care Clinics
- 3** Youth Services Clinics
- 16** PACE Centers and ACS Sites
- 5** Sites featuring AltaMed Viva Gold



2,000,000 Patient Visits Each Year

At AltaMed, we serve more than 500,000 patients annually in-clinic and more than two million patient visits annually, including in-clinic and virtual. We are proud to deliver culturally and linguistically appropriate health care services to all patients, regardless of insurance coverage at every stage of life. Our patients consist of public coverage beneficiaries (Medicaid, CHIP, etc.), Medicare recipients, commercial coverage patients, and uninsured. More than 40% of patients are best served in a language other than English.

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More Than 5,500 Employees

Employees are our most valuable asset. AltaMed employs more than 5,500 individuals — including over 500 providers — and encourages them to bring their best ideas and greatest strengths to work. We recruit individuals from the areas we serve to ensure we are investing in our local communities and are providing culturally relevant and culturally competent quality care.



Programs to Address Social Determinants and Health Disparities

- Civic Engagement
- Public Health Advocacy
- Workforce Development
- Health Education and Wellness
- Community Outreach and Partnerships
- Research



16 Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Centers

AltaMed serves more than 5,000 medically complex adults over age 55 each year through its Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) located in 16 centers. Our PACE program offers care coordination, transportation, social services, and meals — all in a positive, comfortable environment. It's health care that puts the focus on care, connecting seniors with peers in their community as well as the PACE staff who are committed to treating participants with dignity, respect, and compassion.



National Awards

- Health Net Centene Physician Summit Award (2020)
- Integrated Healthcare Association AMP Medicare Advantage Program Most Improved Provider Organization (2020)
- National Colorectal Cancer Roundtable National Achievement Award (2018)
- CAPE Eureka Silver Awards (2013, 2015, 2016)
- Communitas Excellence in Community Service (2021)
- Epic Implementation Gold Award (2024)



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