

Chaplain Services

Information Guide

Chaplains are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Staff chaplains are on campus 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

On-call chaplains are available for emergencies 4:30 p.m.-8 a.m. Monday through Friday, and 24 hours on Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Chaplains may be reached through the hospital operator (dial 0). On weekdays, a message may also be left by calling the chaplain office directly:

Osborn campus
480-882-4028

Shea campus
480-323-3073

Thompson Peak campus
480-324-7004

To speak with someone about a charitable gift, contact the Scottsdale Healthcare Foundation at 480-882-4517.



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For you and your family's support and comfort

Scottsdale Healthcare chaplains are available for you and your family's support and comfort. To request a visit by a chaplain, call the hospital operator or ask a staff member to make arrangements. You may also leave a phone message for the chaplain.

Chaplains are committed to providing spiritual care to all patients, families and staff of the hospital. Chaplaincy resources are for people of every faith expression-and no faith expression. The hospitals' interfaith chapels are always open for prayer and meditation.

Chaplains can assist in making referrals to community clergy for Eucharist, anointing, special rituals, or on-going pastoral care.

"I'll never ever be able to thank you for all you did for our family. Your love, your caring, your wonderful smile touched all our hearts."

"Thank you for all the caring and compassionate help you gave to me and my family. I felt so much comfort just knowing you were at the hospital and I could come to you if I needed you. Your ministry is so very important in the hospital. It is a life-line you throw people so they can go on and cope with the day-to-day crises families go through."

"Your presence and your prayers made a huge difference to us in getting through those tragic days."

Chaplain Services include:

- An interfaith chapel on the first floor of each hospital adjacent to the chaplains' office at Osborn and Shea and on the 2nd floor at Thompson Peak.
- Availability of holy writings of several faith disciplines upon request from the Chaplain
- Prayer book in each chapel for people to write their own petitions
- "Care Notes," brochures on a variety of topics
- Help with advance directives
- Support during medical emergencies
- Assistance when considering organ or tissue donation
- Assistance with difficult medical and ethical decisions
- Sensitivity to a variety of cultural traditions
- Support at the time of death
- A prayer rug in the chapels
- Roman Catholic Eucharistic Ministers and Ministers of Care making rounds on weekdays to Catholic patients who request it
- Roman Catholic Mass celebrated 9 a.m. Sundays in the chapel at Osborn, and simultaneously broadcast on the Scottsdale Healthcare Osborn TV network, Channel 2