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U.S. News Ranks Kaiser Permanente South Bay as “High Performing” in Two Areas

U.S. News & World Report’s annual study rates 32 Kaiser Permanente medical centers as ‘high performing’ in multiple specialties, procedures, and common conditions.

HARBOR CITY, CA, July 28, 2020 — Kaiser Permanente South Bay has been recognized by U.S. News as “high performing” for heart failure and knee replacement. High performers are based on evaluation of more than 4,500 medical centers and designate the top 10th percentile of hospitals nationwide. This honor comes on the heels of an ‘A’ rating for the Harbor City-based hospital in the spring 2020 Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade, a national distinction recognizing achievements providing safer health care.

“This distinction reflects the incredible work done every day by our dedicated physicians and staff,” said Margie Harrier, RN, senior vice president and area manager for Kaiser Permanente South Bay Medical Center. “Our commitment to providing high-quality, compassionate and safe clinical care continues throughout the COVID-19 pandemic.”

In its hospital analysis, U.S. News & World Report uses publicly available data such as volume, mortality rates, infection rates, staffing levels, and patient satisfaction rates, among others. For more information and complete rankings, visit [U.S. News & World Report](#).

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