your health, our commitment

Hospices Civils de Lyon
Lyon University Hospital

CARE
PROVISION
INNOVATION
EDUCATION
Hospices Civils de Lyon is France’s second university hospital centre (CHU). HCL includes a staff of 23,000 of which 5,000 are physicians and over 13,000 are nursing staff. HCL comprises 13 hospital establishments in Greater Lyon and 1 in the Var department.

### Hospices Civils de Lyon consists of the following types of establishments:

#### GENERAL PRACTICE
- Accident and emergency, obstetrics, medicine and surgery in all disciplines.

#### SPECIALIST PRACTICE
- Paediatric oncology, cardiology, neurology, paediatrics, dentistry, physical medicine and rehabilitation, etc.

#### GERIATRIC CARE
- Ageing medicine, re-education and rehabilitation care.

### Hospices Civils de Lyon, innovation stakeholders:

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<td>Successful foetal liver transplant</td>
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<td>Partial laryngectomy without tracheotomy using a surgical robot on a cancer patient</td>
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<td>Conservative treatment of uterine cancer, preserving fertility</td>
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<td>Focused ultrasound treatment of prostate cancer, sparing healthy tissue</td>
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<td>Focused ultrasound treatment of endometriosis with digestive complications, thus circumventing the need for mutilating surgery for women</td>
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CARE PROVISION

As University Hospitals and public service hospitals, the fundamental duty of Hospices Civils de Lyon is to ensure that all patients, without discrimination, have access to care, irrespective of their illness, **24/7, 365 days per year.**

Hospices Civils de Lyon offers:

**COMMUNITY CARE**

Present throughout the area to provide easier access to healthcare. Innovative and simplified treatment of all common illnesses, most frequently on an outpatient basis.

**PRIMARY HEALTHCARE**

Treatment of rare or serious illnesses, requiring a high degree of medical expertise and cutting edge equipment.

The community - hospital relationship is essential. Hospices Civils de Lyon nurtures its collaboration with healthcare partners, in particular community medicine, with a view to offering comprehensive and optimum patient treatment.

Hospices Civils de Lyon operates numerous national centres of reference for rare diseases and cancers.
INNOVATION

Research is a strategic area for Hospices Civils de Lyon. The University Hospital brings together the expertise and equipment required to conduct cutting edge and interdisciplinary research, in close collaboration with its institutional and private partners. Thus, each day it contributes to medical and therapeutic innovation and breakthroughs, for the benefit of patients.

Hospices Civils de Lyon is particularly at the cutting edge in the following fields:

- Heart, Lungs
- Cancer
- Ageing, Frailty
- Infectious Diseases
- Paediatrics
- Nutrition
EDUCATION

Each year, Hospices Civils de Lyon contributes to the higher education of nearly 3,650 healthcare professionals. It also provides in-service training for all employees to ensure that they remain at the cutting edge of expertise.

MEDICAL TRAINING:

Hospices Civils de Lyon, in collaboration with the faculties of medicine, pharmacy and dentistry, is responsible for training more than 1,800 students.

PARAMEDICAL TRAINING:

Each year, more than 1,850 paramedical staff and healthcare executives are trained at the 11 Hospices Civils de Lyon specialist schools.

Each year, Hospices Civils de Lyon trains:

- 750 doctors
- 1,150 nurses
- 150 electro-radiology technicians
- 70 hospital pharmacy dispensers
- 110 healthcare executives
- 162 nursing auxiliaries
- 160 midwives
- 50 paramedics

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Each day at Hospices Civils de Lyon means...

- 332 operations
- 1 transplant
- 28 births
- 759 visits to the emergency department
- 4,536 appointments
- 15,000 meals for patients and staff
- 32,894 calls
- 24,000 kilograms of laundry washed, i.e. 4,800 family-sized loads
Hospices Civils de Lyon has been providing its expertise to Lyon’s inhabitants for over 200 years. Also involved in the city’s urban development, Hospices Civils de Lyon’s history is inextricably linked to that of the city.

Today, Lyon is internationally renowned. It is France’s 2nd metropolitan area, with 1.55 million inhabitants, it is the capital of Europe’s 5th largest region (in terms of population and GDP) and is listed as a UNESCO world heritage site.

The city has built on its heritage to become an innovative and enterprising metropolitan area. With nearly 100,000 jobs in the sector, Lyon is one of Europe’s ten largest biotechnology and healthcare markets.

Hospices Civils de Lyon is at the heart of Greater Lyon’s healthcare ecosystem:
Hospices Civils de Lyon close to Lyon’s residents

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