As the first and only of its kind in Contra Costa County, our pediatric intensive care unit (PICU) at John Muir Health’s Walnut Creek Medical Center cares for children with medical and surgical life-threatening conditions, in collaboration with all pediatric specialties.

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Pediatric Critical Care

Our state-of-the-art Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) allows Stanford Children’s Health specialists to manage more complex cases locally.

Our PICU features:

- Eight private rooms, with amenities to accommodate families overnight
- 24/7 pediatric intensivists in-house coverage
- Full range of critical care services including high frequency ventilation and inhaled nitric oxide
- Pediatric Rapid Response (PRRT) and Pediatric Code Blue Teams
- Quality Oversight Committee, comprised of both John Muir Health and Stanford Children’s Health physicians
- Certified by California Children’s Services (CCS)
- Advanced, child-friendly technologies designed to reduce pain and anxiety
- Therapeutic, healing environment that’s conducive to family-centered care

Our multidisciplinary, pediatric critical care team includes:

- Pediatric intensivists
- Medical and surgical sub-specialists, pediatric trained
- Critical care nurses, pediatric trained
- Anesthesiologists, pediatric trained
- Radiologists, pediatric trained
- Critical care respiratory therapists, pediatric trained
- Pharmacists and nutritionists, pediatric trained
- Child life specialists

Meet Our PICU Leadership Team

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PEDiATRIC & NEONATAL TRANSFER CENTER

If there’s a medical emergency and a child requires immediate transportation, please contact us at:

(925) 938-MUIR (6847)

LOCATION

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Walnut Creek, CA 94598

PICU Direct Line: (925) 947-5230