

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN AN INPATIENT REHABILITATION (IPR) FACILITY

QUALITY OF CARE	• Is the facility accredited and licensed? • Does it specialize in the patient's condition?
OUTCOMES	• How many patients typically return home and how many are sent to another facility or back to the hospital? • Will the facility allow patients to come back to UC Health for appointments during their rehabilitation stay? • Confirm with the facility the number of days the patient can stay for therapy.
THERAPY AND STAFFING	• How much therapy is provided each day? • Are therapists available on weekends? • How often will a rehabilitation doctor see the patients? • How many nurses are available per patient?

RESOURCES

Visit websites of the Rehabilitation Facilities

Ask to talk to Facility Liaisons at UC Health

Complete In-Person Visits

Complete Virtual Tours

Visit Joint Commission Website– “Find accredited Organizations” (<https://www.jointcommission.org/>)

Visit CARF website for accreditation – “Find a Provider” (<https://carf.org/>)

WHAT IS AN INPATIENT REHABILITATION (IPR) FACILITY?

WHAT HAPPENS IN AN IPR

- IPR facilities help people get strong and independent again after serious injuries like traumatic brain injury
- Patients get daily therapy, doctor visits and 24/7 nursing care

WHO CAN GO TO AN IPR

- Patients must need at least two kinds of therapy, be able to do about 3 hours of therapy a day, need daily medical care and be medically stable enough to participate

WHY CERTIFICATIONS MATTER

- IPRs must meet strict safety and quality standards
- CARF and Joint Commission certifications help ensure excellent TBI care after a hospital stay

UC HEALTH + TRIHEALTH PARTNERSHIP

- UC Health and TriHealth work together to provide the best rehab care. UC Health Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation doctors also work at TriHealth IPR, helping keep your care smooth and connected

WHY CONTINUITY OF CARE MATTERS

- Your care team stays connected, knows your needs and shares important information so recovery is faster and safer