

## What is pneumonia?\*

Pneumonia is a serious infection that affects one or both lungs. Most cases (70% to 80%) are acquired in the community, not in a hospital or nursing home, and develop in people over age 60 or in people who have an underlying medical condition.

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## Summary display

The following display shows the death rate for each hospital. Each hospital is compared to the state death rate. If the death rate is significantly lower than the state death rate, the hospital is displayed as “Better than Average”. If the death rate is not significantly different from the state death rate, the hospital is displayed as “Average”. If the death rate is significantly higher than the state death rate, the hospital is displayed as “Worse than Average.” Hospitals with less than 30 cases are displayed as “Too few cases”. Hospitals with no cases are displayed as “No Cases”. Within each category, hospitals are listed in alphabetical order, not order of performance.

**Pneumonia death rate, 2007**

**State death rate: 4.1%**

### Better than Average

N/A

### Average

Adventist Medical Center	Providence Medford Medical Center
Ashland Community Hospital	Providence Milwaukie Hospital
Bay Area Hospital	Providence Newberg Hospital
Columbia Memorial Hospital	Providence Portland Medical Center
Coquille Valley Hospital	Providence Seaside Hospital
Cottage Grove Hospital	Providence St. Vincent Medical Center
Curry General Hospital	Rogue Valley Medical Center
Good Samaritan Regional Med Ctr (Corvallis)	Sacred Heart Medical Center
Good Shepherd Medical Center	Salem Hospital
Grande Ronde Hospital	Samaritan Albany General Hospital
Holy Rosary Medical Center	Samaritan Lebanon Community Hospital
Kaiser Sunnyside Medical Center	Samaritan North Lincoln Hospital
Lake District Hospital	Samaritan Pacific Communities Hospital
Legacy Emanuel Hospital	Santiam Memorial Hospital
Legacy Good Samaritan Hospital and Med Ctr	Silverton Hospital
Legacy Meridian Park Hospital	Southern Coos Hospital and Health Center
Legacy Mt. Hood Medical Center	St. Anthony Hospital
Lower Umpqua Hospital	St. Charles Medical Center (Bend)
McKenzie-Willamette Medical Center	St. Charles Medical Center (Redmond)
Mercy Medical Center	Three Rivers Community Hospital
Merle West Medical Center	Tillamook County General Hospital
Mid-Columbia Medical Center	Tuality Healthcare
Mountain View Hospital	Wallowa Memorial Hospital

OHSU Hospital  
Peace Harbor Hospital  
Pioneer Memorial Hospital (Prineville)  
Providence Hood River Memorial Hospital

West Valley Community Hospital  
Willamette Falls Hospital  
Willamette Valley Medical Center

**Worse than Average**

St. Elizabeth Health Services

**Too Few Cases**

Blue Mountain Hospital  
Harney District Hospital  
Pioneer Memorial Hospital (Heppner)

**No Cases**

N/A

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