

A blue-tinted photograph of a cyclist on a bridge. The cyclist is in the foreground, wearing a helmet and sunglasses, riding a road bike. The bridge has a metal railing and a perforated metal floor. In the background, another cyclist is visible, and the bridge extends into the distance. The text "City of Memphis" is overlaid in white, serif font in the center of the image.

City of Memphis

Memphis by the Numbers

1819

Memphis founded by John Overton, Andrew Jackson and James Winchester

1911

University of Tennessee Medical College Founded

19



hospitals in Memphis



Cost of living **15% below** national average

205



inductees in the **Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame** came from within a **100-mile radius of Memphis**



most charitable city in **AMERICA** according to the *Chronicle of Philanthropy*

\$ **707**

average one bedroom rent

7,000

acres of park space - one of the top urban park systems in the nation

400

songs mention Memphis - more than any other city in the world according to *Billboard Magazine*

65°

average temperature

600



bikes available through **Explore Bike Share**

100



barbeque restaurants

1971

FedEx founded, making Memphis the **busiest cargo airport in the world**

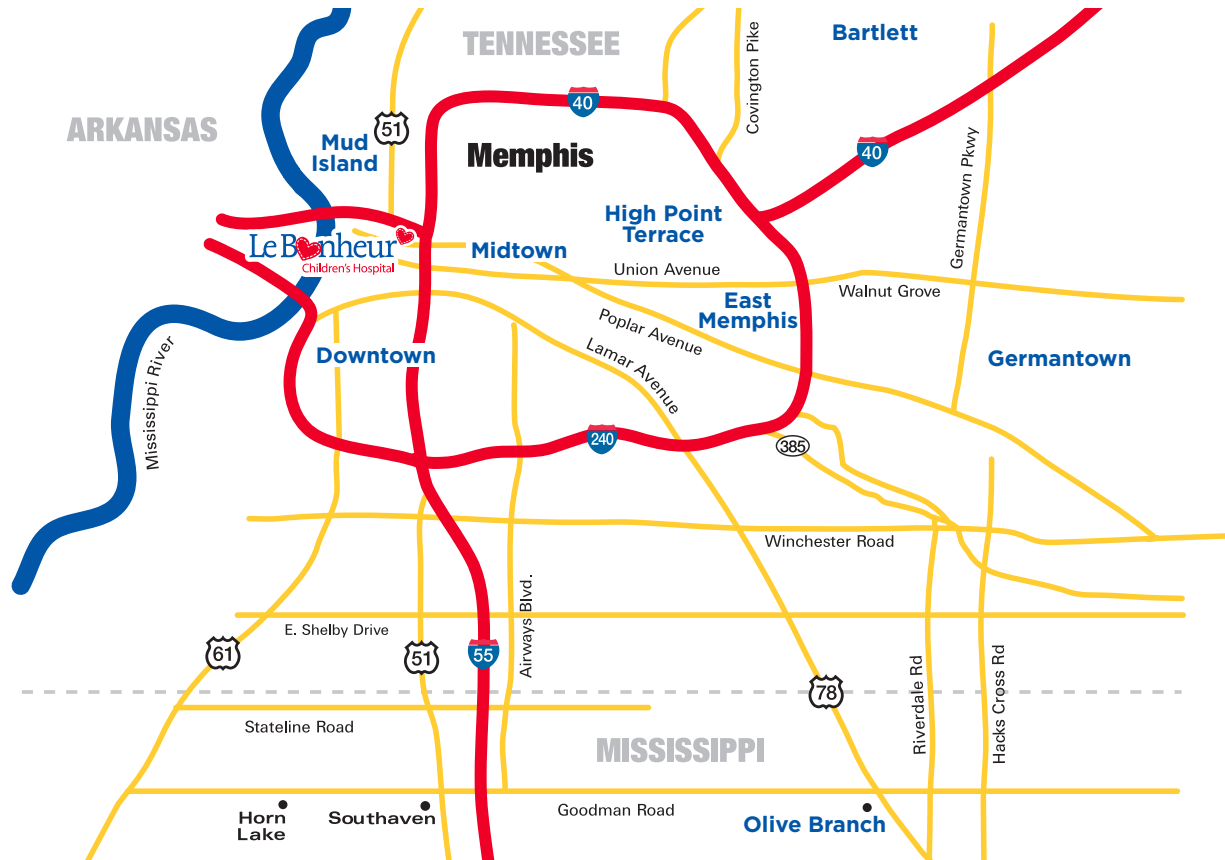
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miles of bike lanes

26

miles of Wolf River Greenway paved trail

Places to Live



Things to Do

A Saturday in Memphis

A day off from residency is the perfect opportunity to experience all Memphis has to offer. This is what a Saturday might look like in our vibrant city:

- Jump start your day with a garden and lamb omelet from **Brother Juniper's** or sweet potato pancakes from Memphis' oldest café, **Arcade Restaurant**.
- Take in the Mighty Mississippi with a walk across the **Big River Crossing**, enjoy a morning at our award-winning **Memphis Zoo** or peruse the art or daffodil show at the **Dixon Gallery and Gardens**.
- Enjoy a mid-afternoon pick me up at **Muddy's Cupcakes** or a coffee from **French Truck Coffee** in historic **Crosstown Concourse**.
- Your options for a delicious dinner experience are limitless. Enjoy an intimate meal at **Restaurant Iris**, try the world famous **Gus's Fried Chicken** or enjoy classic Memphis barbecue at **Charlie Vergos Rendezvous**.
- Nightlife options are endless in Memphis. Cheer on the **Grizzlies** at **FedExForum**, hit up a concert at **Minglewood Hall**, catch a Broadway show at the **Orpheum** or enjoy drinks and friends at **Loflin Yard** – an acre of green space in the heart of Downtown complete with a full bar and restaurant.
- Close out the night with drinks at **Earnestine and Hazel's** or skip right to the good stuff and enjoy a donut from **Gibson's** – open 24 hours to satisfy all your late-night sugar cravings.



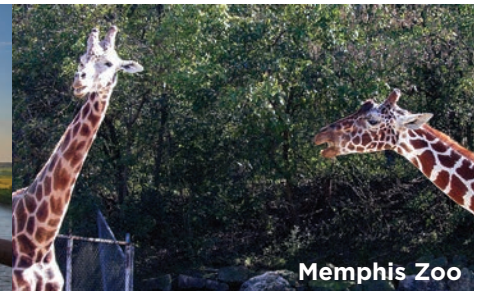
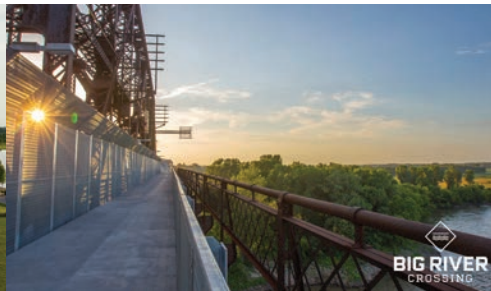
Good Eats



Music



Outdoor Activities



Sports



More







About Le Bonheur

Le Bonheur by the Numbers

June 15, 1952 **Le Bonheur** is founded

45

pediatric specialties

2.9k

employees



95k

outpatient visits per year

750

medical staff members

255 beds

6-State

catchment area



14k

hospital in-patients per year

95k

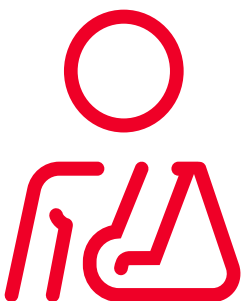
emergency department visits per year

2,500

intensive care patients per year

13k

surgeries performed per year



Awards

- *U.S. News & World Report's* Best Children's Hospitals
 - Cardiology & Heart Surgery
 - Gastroenterology & GI Surgery
 - Neonatology
 - Nephrology
 - Neurology & Neurosurgery
 - Orthopedics
 - Pulmonology
 - Urology
- American Association of Blood Banks Certification
- College of American Pathologists Certification
- Level IV Epilepsy Center
- American Board of Registration of Electroencephalographic and Evoked Potential Technologists (ABRET) EEG certification
- The Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) three star rating
- Magnet designation by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)



FAQ

How was Le Bonheur founded?

Le Bonheur's charitable roots date back to 1923 when a sewing circle under the name "Le Bonheur Club," began making clothes for underprivileged children living at Leath Orphanage in Memphis. Soon, the Club began attending to the health care needs of children in the orphanage. In 1944, when the Pediatric Society had an idea for a hospital dedicated solely to children, they contacted Le Bonheur Club. After raising \$2 million to build the facility, members of the community and Le Bonheur Club gathered on June 15, 1952, to open the doors to the hospital. As Le Bonheur Club's president released red balloons with keys to the hospital attached, the celebration served as a promise that no child would ever be turned away from Le Bonheur.

Why the name "Le Bonheur"?

The group of women who began sewing for the children of Leath Orphanage chose to name their sewing circle "Le Bonheur," which means "hour of happiness" in French.

Why is Le Bonheur's logo a heart?

Le Bonheur debuted the stitched heart icon in 2010 in conjunction with the opening of a new state-of-the-art hospital. The icon represents our dedication to taking care of children who need our talent, expertise and compassion. The stitching in the heart symbolizes our roots in Le Bonheur Club, a women's sewing circle.



Quality and Patient Safety

Quality, safety and patient outcomes are an integral part of every department and service at Le Bonheur. We view exceptional care as a journey that requires continuous improvement at the bedside as well as critical evaluation of all patient outcomes. With this mission in mind, Le Bonheur is now part of 29 national and regional registries, databases and quality care organizations:

- **ACPC-QNET:** Adult Congenital and Pediatric Cardiology Quality Network
 - **CCISC:** Congenital Cardiovascular Interventional Study Consortium
 - **CDH:** Congenital Diaphragmatic Hernia Registry
 - **CF:** Cystic Fibrosis Registry
 - **CHAT:** Children's Hospital Alliance of Tennessee
 - **CHND:** Children's Hospitals Neonatal Consortium
 - **CHSPS:** Children's Hospitals' Solutions for Patient Safety
 - **Compare:** Children's Hospital Association
 - **Crimson Continuum of Care**
 - **ELSO:** Extracorporeal Life Support Organization
 - **GAMUT:** The Ground Air Medical qQuality Transport Database
 - **ICN:** Improve Care Now
 - **IMPACT:** Improving Pediatric and Adult Congenital Treatments
 - **IPSS:** International Pediatric Stroke Study
 - **MDA:** Neuromuscular Disease Registry
 - **MHA:** Mississippi Hospital Association
 - **NAFTNet:** North American Fetal Therapy Network
 - **NAPRTCS:** North American Pediatric Renal Trials and Collaborative Studies
 - **NDNQI:** Press Ganey, National Database of Nursing Quality Indicators
 - **NHSN:** National Healthcare Safety Network
 - **NRC Health:** National Research Corporation
 - **NSQIP:** National Surgical Quality Improvement Program - Pediatric
 - **PC4:** Pediatric Cardiac Critical Care Consortium
 - **PHIS-CHA:** Pediatric Hospitals Information System – Children's Hospital Association
 - **SRTR:** Scientific Registry of Transplant Recipients
 - **STS:** Society of Thoracic Surgeons
 - **THA:** Tennessee Hospital Association
 - **TQIP:** Trauma Quality Improvement Project
 - **VPICU:** Virtual Pediatric Intensive Care Units Database
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The Children's Foundation Research Institute (CFRI), a partnership between Le Bonheur, UTHSC and the Children's Foundation of Memphis, is committed to making new discoveries in pediatric medicine.

Research Facilities

Le Bonheur investigators have access to state-of-the-art research facilities and support that provides the best opportunity to find new diagnostic tools, treatments and cures. Some of the facilities include:

- **Administrative Core:** oversees all aspects of CFRI operations
- **Grant and Contract Management:** assists researchers in securing funding
- **Regulatory Core:** ensures research is carried out in compliance with local and federal regulations
- **Scientific Editing:** PhD level scientific editor assists researchers with preparation and development of scientific publications and presentations
- **Biomedical Informatics Core:** provides informatics support for all CFRI researchers
- **Biostatistics Core:** provides assistance with study planning and design, power calculations and statistical analyses
- **Clinical Trials Support:** provides infrastructure and clinical expertise to facilitate therapeutic, pharmaceutical and disease-oriented research
- **CFRI Laboratories:** contains over 30,000 square feet of basic laboratory space with shared laboratory equipment
- **Clinical Trials Advisory Committee:** reviews new investigator-initiated research projects in order to enhance funding opportunities

BIG Initiative

The CFRI established the Biorepository and Integrative Genomics (BIG) Initiative – a collection of DNA samples to study the influence of genes on diseases and treatment response. The BIG Initiative recently collected its 10,000th sample. Researchers have access to DNA samples by submitting a BIG Materials Distribution Request, which are reviewed on a monthly basis.

Pediatric Research Day

This annual event brings together faculty and trainees at all levels from Le Bonheur Children's Hospital, the Department of Pediatrics at UTHSC, CFRI and other institutions to facilitate presentations and discussions on the latest research findings, medical advances and scientific innovations.



Centers of Excellence

Heart Institute

The Le Bonheur Heart Institute is nationally recognized as a top pediatric cardiology and cardiac surgery program providing care for patients with congenital heart defects, from before birth and through adulthood, and for children with inherited and acquired cardiomyopathies. Ranked as a top program by *U.S. News & World Report*, the Heart Institute's surgical outcomes are among the best in country.

- The Heart Institute's state-of-the-art hybrid catheterization lab is where the procedure for percutaneous closure of PDAs in premature neonates was pioneered.
- The Heart Failure Program includes cardio-oncology in partnership with St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, ventricular assist device (VAD) implantation and management and transplantation.
- Planning is underway for a \$37.6-million expansion to encompass 20 CVICU beds, 11 step-down beds and an MRI-guided hybrid catheterization lab.



Neuroscience Institute

Recognized as a top pediatric neurology program by *U.S. News & World Report*, the Neuroscience Institute at Le Bonheur serves as the regional and national hub for the evaluation and treatment of neurological disorders in children and adolescents.

- **Partners:** St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Semmes Murphey
- **Cutting-edge imaging technology:** provides comprehensive technology in neurological testing. In 2018 Le Bonheur became the first hospital in the world to install TRIUX™ neo MEG for functional brain mapping.
- **TSC Center of Excellence:** nationally recognized by the Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance as a regional referral center
- **Level IV Epilepsy Center:** more than 90 percent of surgical epilepsy patients are declared seizure free after 12 months, as defined by Engel classification
- **Pediatric brain tumor program:** partnership with St. Jude Children's Research Hospital - all neurological procedures for children with brain tumors are performed at Le Bonheur



Orthopedics

The Orthopaedic division at Le Bonheur is recognized by *U.S. News & World Report* as one of the nation's best pediatric orthopaedic programs in the country. Partnering with Campbell Clinic Orthopedics, Le Bonheur provides one of the most experienced pediatric orthopaedic teams in the country. These experts treat all pediatric orthopaedic conditions and provide comprehensive spine care.

- **Partner:** Campbell Clinic Orthopedics
- **Pediatric spine center:** largest spine center with the most experienced pediatric spine specialists in the region
- **Neuromuscular clinic:** multidisciplinary clinic for individuals diagnosed with cerebral palsy or other neuromuscular conditions that began during childhood.



Community Services

Le Bonheur's expertise and resources extend beyond the hospital walls. Le Bonheur Community Health and Well-Being addresses issues such as safety, teen pregnancy and access to health care that threaten the health and well-being of the region's kids.

Our community programs include:

- **Be Proud! Be Responsible! Memphis!:** collaborates with community centers, schools and churches to prevent teen pregnancy
- **Changing High-Risk Asthma in Memphis through Partnership (CHAMP):** improves care for asthma patients to lower hospitalizations and cost of care
- **Community HIV Network:** provides resources for women, children, youth and families infected with or affected by HIV
- **Healthy Families:** promotes child development and responsible parenting
- **Le Bonheur Early Intervention and Development (LEAD):** works with children ages 0-3 to enhance developmental growth, improve independence and empower daily caregivers to become advocates
- **Mobile Health:** provides affordable, accessible health care services for children who do not have pediatricians
- **Nurse-Family Partnership:** aims to improve pregnancy outcomes and child development
- **Safe Kids Mid-South:** works to prevent accidental injury to children, including providing car seats at hospital discharge and swimming lessons throughout the city



Locations



1. **Le Bonheur Children's Hospital:** 848 Adams Avenue
2. **Outpatient Center (OPC):** 51 N. Dunlap Street
3. **Children's Foundation Research Institute:** 50 N. Dunlap Street
4. **Le Bonheur Children's Pediatric Emergency Department - Germantown:** 7691 Poplar Ave, Germantown, TN, 38138
5. **Le Bonheur Outpatient Center - East Memphis:** 100 N. Humphreys Blvd. Memphis, TN, 38120
6. **Le Bonheur Urgent Care - Memphis:** 8071 Winchester Road, Memphis, TN, 38125
7. **Le Bonheur East Surgery Center:** 786 Estate Place, Memphis, TN, 38120
8. **Le Bonheur Children's Outpatient Center - Jackson:** 1535 Vann Drive, Jackson, TN, 38305
9. **Le Bonheur Children's Outpatient Center - Jonesboro:** 800 S. Church Street, Suite 104, Jonesboro, AR, 72401
10. **Le Bonheur Children's Outpatient Center - Tupelo:** 942 Commonwealth Blvd., Tupelo, MS, 38804
11. **Pediatric Ophthalmology - East Memphis:** 6401 Poplar Ave., Memphis, TN, 38119
12. **Pediatric Ophthalmology - Hamilton Eye Institute:** 930 Madison, Memphis, TN, 38103
13. **Pediatric Psychiatry - East Memphis:** 920 Estate Dr., Memphis, TN, 38119
14. **Pediatric Urology - Germantown:** 1920 Kirby Pkwy., Germantown, TN, 38138
15. **Pediatric Ophthalmology - Tupelo:** 610 Brunson Dr., Tupelo, MS, 38801
16. **Le Bonheur Pediatrics, Kronenberg, Tsiu, Eiseman:** 920 Estate Drive, Suite 3; Memphis, TN, 38119
17. **Memphis Pediatrics:** 1255 S. Germantown Road, Germantown, TN, 38138
18. **Pediatric Associates:** 3876 New Covington Pike, Memphis, TN, 38128
19. **Pediatric Consultants - Collierville:** 1458 West Poplar Ave., Suite 201, Collierville, TN, 38017
20. **Pediatric Consultants - Downtown Memphis:** 51 N. Dunlap, Suite 410, Memphis, TN, 38105
21. **Pediatric Consultants - East Memphis:** 6215 Humphreys Boulevard, Suite 200, Memphis, TN, 38120