

Look to Logan...

for Swing Beds

Transitional Care


**The Transition from
Hospital to Home**

*Special Services Designed to Care
for Patients in Need of Further
Rehabilitation and Treatment
in a Skilled Care Environment*



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Logan Medical Center's Swing Bed Program is designed to provide skilled nursing and therapy care to those who are trying to transition from a hospital setting back to their homes but need a little more time and medical assistance to get there.

In many instances, patients are discharged from a traditional hospital setting even though they may still need rehabilitative care or continued treatment.

At Logan Medical Center, our goal is to make recuperation as comfortable as possible while you stay close to home, your family, and friends.

The scope of services available through Logan Medical Center's Transitional Care Team include:

- Skilled Nursing Care for wounds, IV Therapy, etc.
- Physical, Speech, and Occupational Therapy
- Nutrition Counseling
- Activities
- Ancillary Services (Lab, Imaging)
- Discharge Planning/Care Management
- Home Health

How does Swing Bed Work?

Sometimes you just need a little more time. You may be recovering from a joint replacement, stroke, head injury, amputation, or other surgery. You may need treatment to manage your pain or extra care for a wound. In any case, the Logan Medical Center Transitional Care Team is here to help you get back to the business of living well.

Swing Bed provides patients with extended medical and skilled nursing care, and/or skilled therapy services after an acute care stay. Because a patient's condition has improved or stabilized after receiving acute hospital care, visits from their physician will occur as often as medically necessary.

Medicare and some commercial insurance plans approve and pay for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) care differently than they do acute hospital care under the Skilled Nursing Facility benefit. Factors for determining coverage include an evaluation of the specific illness, care needs, and length of stay, all of which will be discussed with the patient through their physician or case manager. The Logan Medical Center Transitional Care Team helps patients maximize their potential for recovery. When their needs no longer require skilled/swing level of care, we provide assistance in arranging services for home health care, outpatient, or transition into a long-term care facility.



At Logan Medical Center, we help patients recuperate and regain their maximum level of independence in a home-like environment. Our team of Transitional Care therapists and nurses provide hands-on support to help patients relearn basic activities such as walking, dressing, bathing and eating, while encouraging participation in activities. Patients are allowed to trade their hospital gown for their own comfortable clothing. We also emphasize the need to remain social and interactive with family, friends, other patients and staff.

The Swing Bed Program at Logan Medical Center provides individualized attention from our dedicated multi-disciplinary team of Physicians, Nurses, Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapists. We will meet with you and your family to discuss your plan of care.

Who is Eligible for Transitional Care?

For those who are covered under the Medicare program, the following is applicable:

The Patient has been admitted:

- to the hospital as an inpatient for at least three (3) consecutive midnights before admission to swing bed status.
- to swing bed status within thirty (30) days of discharge from the hospital.
- for the same or related condition for which they were treated in the hospital.
- certified by a doctor as needing skilled services on a daily basis.
- requiring daily skilled services on an inpatient basis (services which cannot be provided in a lesser care setting).

Other Important Transitional Care Eligibility Requirements:

1. Medicare and some commercial insurance plans will cover the first twenty (20) days of a Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Care (Swing Bed) stay at 100%, as long as there is a skilled service needed, provided and accepted.
2. Medicare and some commercial insurance plans require a co-pay for days 21 through discharge (or day 100, whichever comes first), as long as the patient continues to require a skilled service.
3. If the patient has supplemental insurance it may cover your co-pay.

Also, Medicare and some commercial insurance plans do NOT pay for custodial care. Custodial care is general nursing care provided when a patient's condition is not expected to improve. For example, assistance with oral medications, bathing, dressing, walking, turning or repositioning on an ongoing basis.



What may be considered Skilled Services?

- Cardiac Monitoring
- Daily IV medications
- Daily IM injections
- Daily subcutaneous injections
- New tube feedings needing adjustments
- New respiratory treatments requiring adjustments
- Complex wound care
- Patient/Family education for new conditions such as diabetes or colostomy care.
- Skilled therapy from Physical, Occupational, or Speech Therapy

It is extremely important that patients and their family members understand the differences between skilled and custodial care. Medicare and some commercial insurance plans do NOT cover custodial care.

If the patient is unclear about the type of care they are eligible for under Medicare, it is important to ask the Care Manager for assistance.



Logan Medical Center Provides Comprehensive Outpatient and Inpatient Services.

Below is a Listing of Departments and Contact Information:

Swing Bed/Transitional Care
(405) 306-2418

Emergency Department
(405) 282-6700

Radiology
(405) 260-4201

Cardiac Monitoring
(405) 260-4222

Laboratory Services
(405) 260-4195

Rehabilitation
(405) 260-4213

Internal Medicine and Pediatrics
Academy Clinic – Guthrie
(405) 282-9499

Crescent Clinic
(405) 969-2818

Waterloo Clinic – Edmond
(405) 715-2000

Family Practice
S. Division Clinic – Guthrie
(405) 282-6301

**Logan Medical Center
Transitional Care Team**

Home Health
(405) 282-9406

Rehabilitation
(405) 260-4213

Care Management
(405) 260-4257

Laboratory Services
(405) 260-4195

Radiology
(405) 260-4201

Cardiac Monitoring
(405) 260-4222

Respiratory Therapy
(405) 260-4222

Dietary Services
(405) 260-4179