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# THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT CALIFORNIA HOSPITALS



1. California is **4th** in the nation for life expectancy.

2. California has the **lowest maternal mortality rate** in the country.



3. California hospitals treated nearly **3.7 million** Medi-Cal patients in 2022.

4. People visited hospital emergency departments **14 million** times.



5. Hospitals employ close to **520,000 workers** and generate over **\$345 billion** in economic activity.



6. There were over **400,000 births** in California hospitals in 2022.



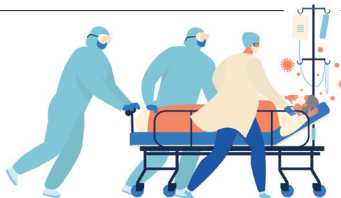
7. Wages for hospital workers have **grown 28%** in the past five years.



8. Hospitals assisted with almost **200,000** mental health patients in 2022.



9. California hospitals train over **11,000 doctors** a year.



10. **1 in 4** Californians receives care at a hospital.