



World-Class Cancer Care Has a South Bay Address

Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center is proud to offer our patients the largest selection of health care services in San Diego's South Bay. With compassionate clinicians, advanced technology and the region's most comprehensive cancer program, we have grown with the community and upheld Sharp HealthCare's mission to improve the health of those we serve with a commitment to excellence in all that we do.

The Douglas & Nancy Barnhart Cancer Center at Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center is the latest demonstration of Sharp Chula Vista's dedication to the health of our community. The state-of-the-art facility offers services designed to support patients and their loved ones on the journey from cancer diagnosis to treatment and recovery.

We bring together board-certified physicians, highly skilled caregivers, advanced cancer treatment technology and a full spectrum of services — all under one roof on the hospital campus. It's cancer care the way it should be.



A Unique Healing Environment

With abundant natural light, soothing color tones, beautiful artwork, water elements and peaceful gardens, the Barnhart Cancer Center is a unique healing environment focused on treating the emotional, physical and spiritual well-being of our patients. We have created a comforting atmosphere with fresh-baked cookies and refreshments, a warming lobby fireplace, calming music, and private areas for meditation, relaxation and reflection.

We provide patient-centered care through thoughtful touches such as comfortable robes, aromatherapy, Healing Touch, designated parking and a private entrance for easy access to treatment appointments. Patients needing infusion therapy may choose to receive their treatment on an outdoor terrace, with a loved one by their side. In the center's innovative radiation therapy suites, patients enjoy calming garden views through floor-to-ceiling windows in the only treatment area of its kind in San Diego.





The Latest Technology

From diagnosis through treatment and beyond, the Barnhart Cancer Center combines the expertise of highly skilled physicians and clinical staff with the most advanced technology available in San Diego County — all right here in your own community.

Our clinicians map out precise treatment plans using a sophisticated, four-dimensional CT simulator. TrueBeam™ linear accelerators help physicians target tumors with unprecedented accuracy anywhere in the body, including the lung, abdomen, breast, head and neck. And stereotactic radiosurgery provides powerful noninvasive treatment that can be delivered even in the most complex areas without affecting the surrounding healthy tissue. Additional treatment options such as high-dose-rate brachytherapy, intensity-modulated radiation therapy and image-guided radiotherapy offer effective alternatives to surgery.



An Extraordinary Level Of Care

The Barnhart Cancer Center is committed to making health care better for our patients and their families. To care *about* patients, as well as to care *for* patients, is the essence of The Sharp Experience.

Recognizing that every cancer patient's journey is unique, we offer personalized programs and services to support patients and their families, including:

- A Breast Cancer Patient Navigator Program in English and Spanish to provide patients with resources, education and outreach
- Meet the Pathologist sessions that allow breast cancer patients to consult with a pathologist for an in-depth explanation of their diagnosis
- A variety of support and survivorship groups in English and Spanish
- Nutritional consultation, educational classes and community cancer screening events
- Spiritual and palliative care





The Power of Philanthropy

Sharp HealthCare is a not-for-profit organization with a mission to bring the very best that health care has to offer to those we serve each day.

Philanthropy is at the heart of what we have achieved at Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center, and what we aspire to accomplish for our community. From grateful patients and their loved ones to forward-thinking foundations, our story has been written by those inspired to support the highest quality health care. The Barnhart Cancer Center was made possible in part by generous gifts from those dedicated to supporting world-class cancer care in the South Bay.

Through ongoing giving opportunities such as the Guardian Angel Program, community members can continue to make a lasting tribute to a loved one or caregiver while benefiting Sharp Chula Vista for years to come.

For more information, visit www.sharp.com/foundation.

We are certified by the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer and accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers.

For more information about the Douglas & Nancy Barnhart Cancer Center at Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center, or to choose a Sharp Chula Vista-affiliated physician, call **1-800-82-SHARP** (1-800-827-4277) or visit **www.sharp.com/chula-vista**.



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