The James A. Haley Veterans’ Hospital and Clinics (JAHVH) is a quaternary clinical referral facility, in Tampa that services a four-county area of west central Florida. The facility is comprised of a 566-bed medical center, which includes a 415 bed hospital with a level 1 polytrauma center; acute psychiatry; a spinal cord injury center; a community living center; a domiciliary as well as multiple outpatient primary and specialty care clinics located in New Port Richey, Zephyrhills, Lakeland and Brooksville, Fla. JAHVH is one of the nation’s largest integrated medical facilities in the Veterans Health Administration.

JAHVH is a teaching hospital with a full complement of services and surgical specialties to include primary care, medicine, surgery, psychiatry, physical medicine research and rehabilitation, spinal cord injury, neurology, oncology, dentistry, geriatrics, and extended care. The hospital also has special programs for women Veterans, returning service members and their families, and much more.

As a teaching hospital, JAHVH is affiliated with the University of South Florida and currently has 136 additional affiliations. During FY13, JAHVH trained over 1,200 students, including 199.5 FTE residents. Residency training is provided in all major medical and surgical specialties and subspecialties. The hospital is also a training site for medical, nursing (more than 400), and other health care professional students.

JAHVH maintains accreditation in four Joint Commission programs and 18 Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF) programs. The most recent CARF accreditation attained is for Assistive Technology. Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Service has 11 of the CARF accredited programs, three are under Spinal Cord Injury Service and four are in the Mental Health Service.

In FY13, JAHVH received several awards including its second Clinical Center of Excellence Award from the American Pain Society, VA’s National Center for Patient Safety Cornerstone Gold Award (third year in a row and the Institute for Safe Medications Practice Cheers award for developing and implementing a patient safety curriculum with an emphasis on medication safety that serves as a superlative example of applied error prevention education.
**Polytrauma Rehabilitation Center**

The JAHVH Polytrauma Rehabilitation Center is one of five specialized facilities in the country designed to provide intensive rehabilitative care to severely injured Veterans and servicemembers. VA's Polytrauma system of care provides an integrated system of specialized rehabilitation programs. Polytrauma is defined as two or more injuries sustained in the same incident that affect multiple body parts or organ systems and result in physical, cognitive, psychological or psychosocial impairments and functional disabilities. Traumatic Brain Injury frequently occurs as part of the Polytrauma spectrum in combination with other disabling conditions, such as amputations, burns, pain, fractures, auditory and visual impairments, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, and other mental health conditions. Tampa’s Polytrauma program includes brain injury rehabilitation, the Emerging Consciousness Program, blind and low vision rehabilitation, amputation rehabilitation, mental health services and support, driver rehabilitation, and vocational rehabilitation.

**Chronic Pain Rehabilitation Program**

The Chronic Pain Rehabilitation Program is an award winning, comprehensive, inpatient and outpatient chronic pain treatment program established in 1988 to help Veterans with chronic pain cope with their conditions. Since that time, we have evolved into a nationally known center for pain treatment, research and education. We have been designated a VA “Clinical Program of Excellence” for pain treatment, and we are the inpatient pain treatment center in the VA system accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities.

**Mobile Outreach Clinic**

In addition to these facilities, we also have a Mobile Outreach Clinic that provides Veterans with the following services:

- Enrollment for Veterans
- General Health Screenings
- Preventative Health
- Enrollment for Veterans
- Community Outreach and Support for Homeless Veterans
- VA Education
- Vocational Rehabilitation
- Compensation and Pension
- Adaptive Sports
- Mental Health Services