



## Are You Ready To Be Pampered?

Lourdes Birthplace blends quality medical care with family togetherness in a beautiful, homelike atmosphere. We offer special amenities to laboring moms and their families. To help make your stay with us as comfortable as possible we offer:

**PRIVATE BIRTHING ROOMS** – A serene, relaxed environment. You and your baby remain together throughout your stay. Each suite is furnished with a rocking chair, a sleep chair or sofa for guests, TV with DVD player, direct in-room phone line, and a personal refrigerator. We also provide a fully equipped newborn nursery when your baby is not rooming with you.

**EXCITING TECHNOLOGY** – An advanced fetal monitoring system; cesarean delivery suites; and innovative birthing beds that adjust for your comfort.

**CARING STAFF** – The dedicated, highly qualified staff of Lourdes Birthplace put the needs of you and your baby first. They feel blessed to share this experience with you.

**A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE** – You and your physician formulate a birth plan that is right for you, including who is present for the birth and pain control.

**CERTIFIED LACTATION SPECIALIST** – If you choose to, our certified lactation specialist is there to help you and your baby learn to breast feed. They also can help you after you've left the hospital.

**CERTIFIED CAR SEAT ADVOCATES** – Our certified car seat technician can double check to make sure your baby's first car ride is a safe one.

**FOLLOW-UP CARE** – We contact you after your stay to answer questions or help you locate resources.

**BIRTH EDUCATION** – Lourdes Birthplaces offers a full range of FREE pre and post-childbirth classes (*English and Spanish*). Call (509) 546-BABY for a current schedule. Tours are also available.

**PAIN MANAGEMENT** – Lourdes Birthplace offers a team of anesthesia providers to ensure a comfortable delivery upon request.

# It's about: childbirth

## THE BIRTHPLACE at Lourdes Medical Center

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*Our Mission is an extension of the healing ministry of Jesus.  
We are called to serve our community, our patients, their loved  
ones and our co-workers with respect, compassion and care.  
We respond to the health care needs of the community  
in a Christian spirit.  
We strive for excellence in all we do.*

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The logo for Lourdes Medical Center, featuring a stylized flame icon to the left of the text "LOURDES Medical Center".

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# Lourdes Birthplace

## Supporting mother and baby with:

- Family centered care
- Dedicated staff
- Comfortable, beautiful, private birthing suites

Lourdes Birthplace provides quality, compassionate care to mothers and their infants. It consists of three different areas: *Labor and Delivery* (L&D), *Postpartum* (P/P), and the *Special Care Nursery*.

- **LABOR AND DELIVERY (L&D)** - Upon admission to Lourdes Birthplace, physicians and nurses monitor the baby's progress of labor and health.
- **POSTPARTUM (P/P)** - Babies are roomed with the mother to foster an early bond and allow the mother the time to become acquainted with the baby's needs. The mother also receives instruction on breastfeeding and other aspects of newborn care.
- **NURSERY** - If a baby needs additional care, the baby remains in the nursery for care and observation until stable.

For nearly a century, generations of families have come to Lourdes Medical Center to experience the miracle of birth. As you begin your journey into parenthood, always remember that Lourdes believes in the *spirit of caring, a place where miracles happen.*

## Lourdes Cherishes Life as You Do

Lourdes Birthplace blends a cozy, warm, comfortable atmosphere with the quality care you and your new baby deserve. When you choose to have your baby at Lourdes, you become a part of our family-centered approach to maternity care. We consider birth as a profound emotional, social and spiritual event and the care we provide touches the entire family.

We want to get to know you and your family and be there for you from prenatal education right through delivery. Lourdes offers you a highly trained, caring maternity team with years of experience in delivering healthy babies. All of our nurses and OB techs are certified in Neonatal Resuscitation.

## Lourdes' Unique Experiences

Lourdes Birthplace offers a unique experience after each delivery. Hear the sweet lullaby that is played hospital-wide — announcing the special miracle that has just arrived. Our Chaplain can also perform a welcome blessing ceremony for your baby.

A baby with a pacifier is shown in the bottom right corner of the page, sitting on a white surface. The baby has a yellow pacifier and is looking towards the camera.

It's about: **miracles**

*"The birth of my son at Lourdes was such a positive experience. From the expertise of the nursing staff, to all the special touches like the blessing ceremony and the lullaby announcing his arrival, my stay was exceptional."*

A close-up of a baby's face is shown on the left side of the page. The baby has blue eyes and is looking directly at the camera.

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