



Information For International Patients

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Dear Patients,

The University Medical Center of the Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz, which is the fifth largest university in Germany, is located in the center of the state capital Mainz, at the western boarder of the metropolitan Rhine-Main Region. This means that it is only fifteen minutes away from one of the most important airports in the world, the Frankfurt Airport.

The University Medical Center Mainz is a full-service institution incorporating more than 50 departments, institutes and divisions, offering state-of-the-art inpatient and outpatient medical care.

The University Medical Center does not merely provide medical treatment, but it is also a center for research and medical education. These three main pillars are inextricably interwoven. Our patients always receive the best medical care through the implementation of the most modern diagnostic and therapeutic methods based on the latest results of scientific research.

By applying our scientific knowledge and long-standing experience in medical care within modern facilities, we are always keen to help patients in the best possible way.

Sincerely,

The Board of Directors

The University Medical Center of the
Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz

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International Office



We have established an International Office to assist patients visiting us from abroad in clarifying all questions related to their visit, whether before, during or after their stay at our hospital.

In order to provide you with a cost estimate and a time frame for your treatment beforehand, please send us all documents containing all the details of your medical condition, in particular your latest medical reports, X-Ray, CT and MR images.

We would be glad to schedule your appointments and coordinate the course of your treatment. Rest assured that we exert every effort to make you feel comfortable and well-looked after during your stay.

Kindly contact Ms. Marga Rompf

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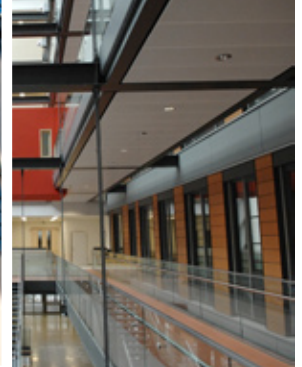
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The University Medical Center Mainz combines tradition with modernism, as well as a human touch with cutting-edge technology.



Modern facilities create a sophisticated and comfortable environment, providing us with great support while performing our mission.





The University Medical Center Mainz operates over 1,600 beds. More than 62,000 patients are treated every year as inpatients, and approx. 220,000 as out-patients both from Germany and from abroad.

Our motto is

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You dear patient, are always the center of our attention. You benefit from our expertise, our experience, and our state-of-the-art equipment.

More than 1,000 doctors and 1,900 nurses look after the health, recovery, and general wellbeing of our patients, implementing highly professional and well established procedures, thereby integrating the patient as a fully responsible partner in all treatment processes.

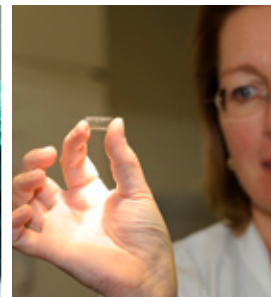
We offer a comprehensive range of efficient and highly advanced medical care, with special focus on:

- **Organ transplantation**

Transplantation of liver, pancreas, kidneys, bone marrow and cornea.

- **Tumour biology**, in the fields of radio-oncology, haematology, pulmonology, urology, gastroenterology, gynaecology, otorhinolaryngology, neurosurgery, orthopaedics, paediatrics and youth medicine, dental, oral and facial surgery, dermatology, general und abdominal surgery

- **Cardiovascular medicine and cardiovascular surgery**





Our interdisciplinary researches set new standards in the field of life science.

The University Medical Center Mainz combines the highest standards of healthcare with internationally-orientated research. Our scientists continuously develop, redesign and teach innovative and advanced medical sciences. Our contribution to science and research is always characterized by a strong spirit of innovation, professionalism and expertise.

Scientific inquisitiveness and creativeness is being constantly promoted, thereby merging basic scientific research with clinical trials. The research results achieved by scientists at the University Medical Center Mainz, create new approaches to combating diseases, and allow further developments to diagnostic and therapeutic procedures.

In many areas, basic research leads to a more application-orientated research, which is very often carried out in collaboration with industrial enterprises.

Our researches focus mainly on:

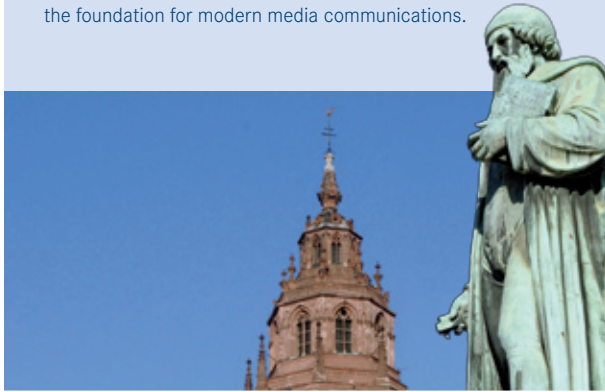
- **Immunology**, including the detection of immune diseases and options of treatment, chronic inflammations, infections and allergies, autoimmune diseases and tumours.
- **Tumour biology**: studying carcinogenic mechanisms and the development of new therapeutic methods for oncology diseases
- **Prevention of vascular diseases**, together with the prevention of cardiovascular diseases and thrombosis research. With more than 17,000 participants, the Gutenberg Cardio Study is considered as one of the largest studies worldwide,
- **Neuro-sciences** including the main areas of neuro-degeneration, neuro-regeneration, and sensory systems
- **Minimally invasive surgery** and researching the use of biomaterials, tissues and cells in surgery

Continuous and close interdisciplinary exchange between the different fields of research always takes place.



The City of Mainz

The Man of the Millennium – Johannes Gutenberg. The famous inventor of movable type printing lends his name to the university and its University Medical Center. His inventions became the foundation for modern media communications.



The University Medical Center of the Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz is located in a greenbelt in the heart of the city. One can easily reach the city center, the old city, as well as numerous tourist sites within a short walking distance.



The Media City Mainz – for the past 500 years, information has been sent from here to the whole world; one of the most important broadcasting institutions of Europe, the Second German TV Channel (ZDF), is based in the city of Mainz. ▲

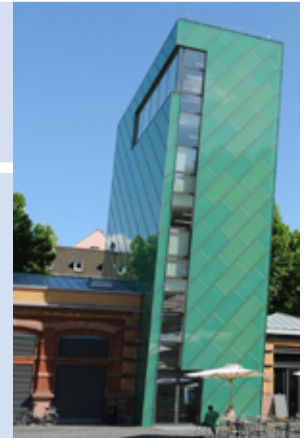
Art, Culture and Savoir-Vivre in Mainz and Its Surroundings

The spirit of the city lies in its town squares – with the weekly market at the Dome Square,



the Kupferberg Cellar, Sparkling wine production and storage behind medieval walls.

The new art gallery at the Zollhafen in Mainz displays contemporary art. ►



Mainz is the ideal location for a boat excursion...



... to discover the UNESCO world heritage site, the Upper Middle Rhine Valley, and the Loreley Cliff, or the idyllic Rheingau region.



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