UPMC Hamot is a full-service acute care hospital, as well as a regional referral center and tertiary hub. Founded in 1881 as Hamot Medical Center, the hospital became part of UPMC in 2011. Since affiliating, we have continued to advance and enhance our medical services and residencies at UPMC Hamot. We also have deepened our clinic expertise, research opportunities, and technologies to better care for our patients in the communities we serve, which includes more than 1 million people in northwestern Pennsylvania, western New York, and eastern Ohio.

Our Mission and Vision

Our Mission
To serve our patients, communities, and one another in the UPMC Hamot tradition of quality, health, healing, and education.

To put it simply, “to serve.”

Our Vision
UPMC Hamot will, in partnership with its physicians, payers, and other stakeholders, continue to advance the health and wellness of the communities it serves by achieving clinical quality of the highest national standards and maximizing operational efficiencies.

Our Values
Quality and Safety
We fulfill UPMC Hamot’s mission through commitment to our values of quality and safety, delivered with compassion, service, respect, integrity, cooperation.
Our Signature Services

Bariatric Surgery
The UPMC Hamot Bariatric Surgery and Weight Management Center is dedicated to giving patients the comprehensive services and support they need for a successful weight loss journey. Prior to and following surgery, UPMC Hamot’s bariatric team provides free monthly support group meetings, access to bariatric nutritionists and psychologists, and encouragement from the staff.

Breast Center
The UPMC Hamot Breast Center provides an entire network of health resources for prevention, detection, and treatment in every area of breast health. Our center is fully accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers through the American College of Surgeons. In addition, UPMC Hamot Breast Imaging has been designated as a Breast Imaging Center of Excellence by the American College of Radiology.

Behavioral Health
Our partnership with Safe Harbor Behavioral Health strengthens the mental health resources available to residents of Erie County. Safe Harbor Behavioral Health’s affiliation with Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic of UPMC provides a direct link to research-based care for a variety of behavioral health conditions.

Comprehensive Lung Center
From asthma to lung cancer, pulmonary medicine covers a wide range of respiratory diseases and conditions. The UPMC Hamot Comprehensive Lung Center to advanced diagnostic tools that can identify lung cancers sooner, as well as innovative technologies and treatment therapies that include minimally invasive surgeries. UPMC Hamot’s team of pulmonologists and thoracic surgeons work collaboratively, allowing surgeons, physicians, radiologists, and other providers the opportunity to discuss complex cases and treatment plans to ensure patients receive seamless and efficient care.

Heart and Vascular Institute
At the UPMC Hamot Heart and Vascular Institute, we strive to be the premier provider of cardiovascular and thoracic services in the Erie region and a leader in heart care as identified by quality, value, and service. We’ve introduced the region’s first valve center, first peripheral vascular center, first heart failure clinic, first cardiac emergency department, and we are the first to offer transcatheter aortic valve replacement.

Kidney Transplant Services
UPMC Hamot works closely with the UPMC Kidney and Pancreas Transplant Program of the Thomas E. Starzl Transplantation Institute. Our kidney transplant patients receive the same level of care offered by leading experts worldwide. UPMC Hamot is the only location outside of Pittsburgh where UPMC offers this potentially life-saving procedure.

UPMC Hamot Neuroscience Institute
The UPMC Hamot Neuroscience Institute combines the talents of neurosurgeons, neurologists, interventional radiologists, physician assistants, and therapists to offer world-class care of brain and spinal diseases and injuries, as well as advanced treatments for stroke. This team has won numerous awards for outstanding clinical care and outcomes.

Trauma Center
UPMC Hamot is the only accredited Level II trauma center in the Erie region. It’s staffed with an experienced team that includes trauma surgeons, orthopaedic surgeons, neurosurgeons, interventional radiologists, cardiovascular surgeons, and experts who specialize in reconstructive surgery and rehabilitation. The team also includes emergency physicians and nurses, as well as radiologists and anesthesiologists.

Magee-Womens, UPMC Hamot
The first of its kind in northwestern Pennsylvania, Magee-Womens, UPMC Hamot is a state-of-the-art facility devoted to meeting the health care needs of women and infants in the greater Erie community. The women's hospital brings together a highly skilled team of health experts offering a comprehensive range of specialties, from obstetrics, neonatology, and gynecology to urogynecology, gynecologic-oncology, infertility, plastic surgery, and breast health.