

Who we are and what we do

Pediatric Home Service (PHS) is an independent pediatric home care company providing specialized health care services to technology-supported children in their homes. Committed to taking care of the child, PHS partners with health care professionals and family caregivers to ensure that the medically fragile child receives the same quality of care at home that is delivered in a hospital setting.

A full-service organization, we coordinate and manage all the services, medication and equipment needed to provide patients with the treatment and care they need in a safe home environment. PHS has been in business since 1990 and is a leader in providing therapies for children in the home, including: infusion therapy, respiratory therapy, in-home asthma management, medical social work, nutrition support and pharmacy and education services.

We combine cutting-edge technology, clinical excellence and innovative solutions to make a difference in the life of every child and family. This level of care results in decreased emergency room visits, reduced hospital admissions, fewer unnecessary calls to physicians and lower health care costs.

A PHS staff of respiratory therapists, nurses, pharmacists and educators work together in a coordinated effort with families and physicians and other caregivers to provide a continuity of exceptional care.

Based in St. Paul, Minn., our pediatric clinical specialists, who comprise approximately 40 percent of the staff, care for patients throughout Minnesota and western Wisconsin. The PHS staff also includes a comprehensive support group of equipment technicians, warehouse personnel, billing specialists and customer service representatives.

What makes us an industry leader

- *PHS specializes in pediatrics.* All our treatment, clinical education and technical support is gauged to meeting the changing needs of children as they grow.
- *We understand it takes a team to take care of the child.* We ensure that caregivers, whether they are parents, guardians, school nurses or grandparents, receive the education they need to ensure the safety and well-being the child. Treatment plans are collaborative, flexible and tailored to individual patients and their situations.
- *We believe it takes more than health care to take care of a child.* It takes care from the heart. That comes from our caring and dedicated staff who are experienced in working with children, families and the health care system, and able to anticipate and help with the expected and the unexpected.
- *PHS adheres to extremely high standards in the level of care we provide.* Our services include infusion therapy, specialty pharmacy, respiratory therapy and in-home asthma management service. We have developed the STAR standards and training program designed around the most current Standards of Practice to ensure consistent, quality care focused on the needs of the child.

