



Meet William B. Hughes, MD

Director, Jefferson Burn Center

When Jefferson Health decided to open a new Burn Center, we turned to one of the area's most respected burn surgeons to get it up and running.

For the past 20 years, William B. Hughes, MD, has seen – and treated – everything there is related to burns, from minor cooking accidents to large industrial burns.

As Director of the Jefferson Burn Center, Dr. Hughes will lead one of the few burn centers in the area located within a Level 1 Trauma Center, where emergency cases can be flown around the clock to our intensive care burn Center. It will also be one of only a few burn facilities in the area to be affiliated with an academic medical center, giving patients the added measure of confidence that they're getting the best care possible.

It's the medical team behind a Level 1 Trauma Center – surgeons, nurses, pharmacists, dietitians, physical therapists, occupational therapists and case managers – that will help save burn victims' lives, "It's not just the burn team but all the ancillary services that are present and the resources behind them that provide the best outcomes as possible," says Dr. Hughes.

Working with JeffSTAT, our ground and air medical transportation service, the Jefferson Burn Center will care for patients as far north as Trenton, south to Cape May and parts of Delaware, the western suburbs of Philadelphia and east to Atlantic City.

Dr. Hughes is Board Certified by the American Board of Surgery. His practice includes critical care, trauma, burn, and general surgery. He will provide outpatient burn care at [1100 Walnut Street, 5th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19107](#).

To schedule an outpatient visit, call **1-800-JEFF-NOW**.



Jefferson Comprehensive Traumatic Injury Program

- In-house critical-care boarded traumatologists
- More than 2,000 trauma cases annually
- 14 board-certified surgeons/surgical intensivists
- Federally designated Regional Spinal Cord Injury Center, 1 of only 14 in U.S.
- Operating room within the ED
- Two trauma resuscitation bays, two integrated trauma-designated intensive care units, two trauma designated step down units, and designated medical/surgical units
- Orthopedic trauma and fracture care from 4th best hospital in the nation for orthopedics as ranked by *U.S. News & World Report*, Rothman Institute at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital
- Eye trauma care, Wills Eye Hospital
- Dedicated Hospital for Neuroscience, Jefferson Hospital for Neuroscience
- Comprehensive Acute Rehab Unit
- Hand trauma care from Philadelphia Hand to Shoulder Center at Jefferson.

To transfer a patient, call **1-800-JEFF-121**.

OUR NUMBERS

2016 | Transfers vs. Direct From Scene Admissions

49% Transfers*
51% Scene

2016 | Blunt vs. Penetrating Injuries

89% Blunt
11% Penetrating

*JeffSTAT's three medical helicopters and four critical care ambulances expedite transfers between facilities. See reverse side to learn more about transferring patients to Jefferson.