

DINING

At Driscoll Children's Hospital, Corpus Christi, every child is a VIP to us—or a Very Important Patient! Food, and the nutrition it provides, is an important part of the recovery process. Our facility is well-equipped to serve each patient the food they need to reach their recovery goals. Retail food service options are available to our patient's families and visitors. Read on to learn more about all our Food and Nutrition Team has to offer.

We offer various nutrition-specific menus to accommodate the therapeutic diet order prescribed by your child's doctor. Our patients receive meal service for three meals per day during their hospital stay. Diet Technicians contact the room phone one day in advance to offer appropriate food selections for your child during their stay. Our team of culinary professionals, cooks, and dietary clerks ensures your child gets the best quality meals possible.

Meal Service Times

Breakfast: 7:30AM - 8:30AM

Lunch: 11:30AM - 12:30PM

Dinner: 4:30PM - 5:30PM

Additional packaged beverages and snacks are available from the Nourishment Room on each floor. Ask your child's nurse for details.

If your child is prescribed a restrictive menu, details will be provided during your stay. Your needs are important to us! Please share any special requests regarding cultural, religious, or ethnic preferences with your Diet Technician.

In order to comply with the doctor's orders, we discourage patients from consuming outside food and beverages. Contact the Food Service Operations for questions at (361) 694-5188.



The Food Factory

Located on the lower level of the main hospital available to visitors and staff. Our talented retail chefs work hard to provide five food stations Monday through Friday with multiple options for meals and snacks.

Meal Service Times

Breakfast: 6:30AM - 9:30AM. Select items are available until 10:30AM.

Lunch: 11:30AM - 1:30PM. The Grill will remain open until 4PM.

Dinner: 5PM - 6:30PM. The Grill will remain open until 7PM.

Clara's Café

Located on the first floor of the main hospital near The Carousel Gift Shop. Clara's Café offers delicious favorites like pizza, quesadillas and a great selection of snack boxes with fresh salad, fruit, meat and cheese combinations. Daily soup, dessert and other specials are created fresh by our talented culinary team. We also offer made-to-order beverages including smoothies and coffee (hot or iced).

Meal Service Times: 6:30AM - 7PM

Vending Machines

Craving something salty or sweet? We have four vending machine locations: in the basement outside the Driscoll Food Factory, on the first floor on Whataburger Way, on the second floor by the PICU waiting area and on the third floor in the NICU waiting area. Vending machines are available 24 hours a day. Free coffee and microwaves are located on every inpatient floor.

All hours of operation and menus are subject to change. If you have a specific question and would like to speak to Food Service Operations, please contact (361) 694-5188.

Pediatric Dining Menu

Regular Diet



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