AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL Istanbul, Turkey

LIST OF HOSPITALS IN ISTANBUL

(As of February 2010)

The following includes four hospitals in Istanbul with who speak English.

This list does not constitute a recommendation by the Consulate General of the hospitals.

HOSPITALS

AMERICAN HOSPITAL

Address: Guzelbahce Sokak, No: 20 Nisantasi Tel: (212) 444 3777 www.amerikanhospitalistanbul.com

American Hospital has 262 beds and is equipped to treat medical, surgical and maternity patients. Founded in 1920 by Admiral Mark L. Bristol, American Hospital was the first non-profit private hospital of Turkey. The early Hospital was subsidized by the Red Cross and began service in a wooden mansion. At the time, the hospital was located in the historical peninsula of Istanbul and was owned by a New York based company called "American Hospital of Istanbul Inc". In 1939, the Hospital moved to its current location, in Nisantasi, a historical, yet renovated high profile area in the city center of Istanbul.

In 1995, Vehbi Koc Foundation acquired the American Hospital. Since then, there have been several expansions including additional buildings and floors.

The doctors have an adequate command of English, most of them can also speak second languages such as French, German. In addition to routine hospital care, services include intensive care (neo-natal, coronary and general intensive care units), 24-hour emergency coverage, and a complete diagnostic center with ultrasound, angiography, PET CT scanner, mammography & others.

American Hospital collaborates with several institutions, and worldwide renowned hospitals. Such collaborations enable us to benefit from their experiences, exchange information on up-to-date medical practices and team up for educational purposes to improve our patient care. The list of our affiliations is as follows: New York Presbyterian Hospital, The Methodist Hospital, Texas Children's Hospital, The University of Texas, MD Anderson Cancer Center and European Institute of Oncology

Our latest collaboration is with The University of Texas, MD Anderson Cancer Center. Our Radiation Oncology Department was opened on January 28, 2010. Radiotherapy procedures performed at VKF American Hospital Radiation Oncology Center are carried on under the supervision of Associate Professor Uğur Selek, MD who is a member of the teaching staff of Texas University, MD Anderson Cancer Center.

For the International Patients, there is a special department at American Hospital. It provides complete services for the patients visiting the hospital from countries outside of Turkey. International Patient Relations staff coordinates all aspects of each international patient's visit ranging from managing medical consultations, insurance procedures, and hospital admissions to travel and hotel arrangements. Our staff is committed to making international patients and their families feel comfortable during their stay.

INTERNATIONAL HOSPITAL

Address: Istanbul Cad. 82 Yesilkoy; Tel: (212) 468-4444 (25 lines) <u>www.internationalhospital.com.tr</u>

Located close to the airport, International Hospital has 154 beds, including 8 coronary-care and 10 surgical-care beds. It is privately owned and equipped with up-to-date technology. A complete range of medical services is provided, including internal medicine, general surgery, obstetrics and gynecology, pediatrics and pediatric surgery, cardiovascular surgery, neurosurgery, orthopedics and nuclear medicine. The International Hospital's Emergency Department is open 24 hours a day, as is its laboratory.

The International Hospital's administration, physicians and staff are Turkish. Many of the hospital doctors speak English and have postgraduate experience in the United States.

ISTANBUL SURGERY HOSPITAL (CERRAHI HASTANESI)

Address: Ferah Sokak, No.18, Nisantasi ; Tel: (212) 296-9450 www.istanbulcerrahi.com

Istanbul Surgery Hospital is a new private hospital, located in Nisantasi, five minutes from Taksim Square. It specializes in ophthalmology; dermatology; internal medicine; ear, nose and throat; voice and speech disorders; in-vitro fertilization and gynecology; general, plastic, orthopedic, and urological surgery. Twenty-four hour emergency service is available with complete radiological and laboratory services. All department heads are fluent in English, and the medical director is a board-certified American eye surgeon.

METROPOLITAN FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE HOSPITAL

Address: Cemil Aslan Guder Sokak, No: 8, Gayrettepe ; Tel: (212) 288-3400 www.florance.com.tr

The Metropolitan Florence Nightingale Hospital opened in July 1997, and has recently been certified for ISO 9001 by TUV Rheinland Germany. The hospital has a capacity of 100 beds, inclusive of 8 intensive care and 5 neonatal intensive care beds. The hospital specializes in gynecology, medical and radiation oncology, neurosurgery, urology, ophthalmology, pediatrics, plastic surgery and nuclear medicine. Latest technology equipment is available for diagnostic and therapeutic purposes. The hospital has an ongoing project with the Institute of Biomedical Engineering of Bogazici University for risk management issues and the calibration of medical equipment. Emergency, laboratory and radiology services are available 24 hours a day. Physicians speak English and have postgraduate experience either in the United States or Europe.

ACIBADEM HOSPITAL

Address: Tekin Sokak, 18, Acibadem – Kadikoy; Tel: (216) 544-4444 www.acibadem.com.tr/Acibadem_Kadikoy_Hastanesi.asp Located on the Asian side of Istanbul, Acibadem Hospital, has also three outpatient clinics on the European side. The hospital has a partnership with Harvard Medical International. In addition to routine medical services, Acibadem offers a pain clinic, intensive care unit, ambulance service, physical therapy unit and sleep disorder laboratory.

MEMORIAL HEALTH GROUP

Address: Piyalepasa Bulvari, Okmeydani, 34385 Tel: (212) 4447888 www.memorial.com.tr

Memorial Hospital is the first JCI (Joint Commission International) accredited health center in Turkey, and 21st in the world. It is also the first hospital in Turkey to join American Hospital Association. It is located on the European side of Istanbul, Memorial, has also one outpatient clinic on the European side and two outpatient clinics on the Asian side. The hospital specializes in many areas especially on Cardiovascular Surgery, Organ Transplantation, IVF Andrologia and Genetics.

SISLI FLORANCE NIGHTINGALE HOSPITAL

Address: Abide-I Hurriyet Cad.No:164, Sisli Tel: (212) 224 4950/15 Lines www.florance.com.tr

Located on the European side Florance Nightingale Hospital which is certified for ISO 9001 by TUV Rheinland Germany, has two more hospitals and an outpatient clinic on the European side. The hospital specializes in many areas especially on Cardiovascular Surgery, Organ Transplantation, IVF and Cancer.

ACIBADEM MASLAK HOSPITAL

Address: Buyukdere Cad. No:40 34457 Maslak Tel: (212) 304 4444 www.acibadem.com.tr/Maslak

Located on the European side Acibadem Maslak Hospital is JCI (Joint Commission International) accredited health center. There are four more hospitals and seven outpatient clinics in town that are part of the Acibadem group. The hospital specializes in many areas.

ACIBADEM FULYA HOSPITAL

Address: Dikilitas Mah. Hakki Yeten Cad. Yesilcimen Sok. No: 23 34349 Fulya, Besiktas Tel: (212) 306 4444 http://www.acibadem.com.tr/Acibadem_Fulya_Hastanesi.asp

Located on the European side Acibadem Fulya Hospital is also a part of the Acibadem group.