Catholic Medical Center
From humble beginnings in 1858 to a progressive modern health system thriving in Manchester, New Hampshire, Catholic Medical Center has remained true to its mission: To provide health, healing and hope to all. Along the way, we’ve had a chance to mark several milestones by being the first in the state, first in New England or first in the country to offer innovative medical treatments and technologies.

First hospital in state of New Hampshire to
- implant drug coated stents to keep heart vessels open
- perform a mechanical heart/left ventricular assist device implant
- offer a Patient Transfer Center
- provide breast angiography for helping to distinguish cancer from benign disease
- to earn qualified AAHRPP accreditation for its research program
- achieve Bariatric Center of Excellence status
- perform robotic gastric bypass and sleeve Gastrectomy
- offer Firefly biliary imaging to minimize risk of bile duct injury during robotic cholecystectomy
- offer Firefly bowel perfusion imaging to minimize risk of anastamotic leak or anastamotic stricture with robotic colon surgery
- offer the LINX® anti-reflux procedure
- perform minimally invasive Single-site Hysterectomy using da Vinci® Robot Technology

First hospital in New England to
- offer robotic-assisted prostate surgery
- implant Watchman™ after its FDA Approval
- offer a new heart failure treatment: the CardioMEMS™ HF System (in northern New England)
- offer advanced 3-D mapping system (Rhythmia Mapping System) to better diagnose and treat all types of heart arrhythmias
- perform a laparoscopic spinal fusion
- offer navigated spine surgery using O-arm technology
- offer SAVI SCOUT®, an advanced FDA approved surgical technology for breast care

First hospital in country to
- perform a minimally invasive spine fusion using the da Vinci® Robot Technology
- perform navigated OLIF (Oblique Lumbar Interbody Fusion) using the O-arm®