Program Start: 2011

Program Description: Access to specialty care has been identified as one of the greatest health care needs of low income, uninsured residents in Contra Costa County. Through a partnership with La Clínica de la Raza, John Muir Health provides specialty care for uninsured and low-income patients to include diagnostic, outpatient, and inpatient care at JMH facilities from JMH affiliated physicians. The program is based in the Cancer Institute and addresses needs for breast, gynecologic, thoracic, urologic, thyroid and gastroenterological services.

Primary Goal to increase direct access to specialty services for uninsured individuals.

High-Level Results
- To date, Specialty Care Program received 1,853 referrals and served 1,562 patients.
- 100% of patients treated were uninsured.
- The program has made 55 cancer diagnoses to date.

Health Conditions
Patients were referred for a variety of conditions, the most being gastroenterological and gynecological issues.

Among the 220 patients in 2018, there were a total of 628 clinical encounters for specialty services.
**Specialty Care Program: 2018 Data Snapshot**

**SPECIALTY SERVICES AND TREATMENT**

**John Muir Health Specialists**

In 2018, a total of 23 specialists contributed services to patients of the program. In comparison to previous years, there has been an increase in gastroenterology and surgical services provided.

**Specialist Type**

![Specialist Type Graph]

**Cancer Diagnosis**

Since 2011, the program has diagnosed a total of 55 cancer cases.

**Number of Cancer Diagnoses**

![Number of Cancer Diagnoses Graph]

**Stage of Diagnosis**

- Stage I: 60%
- Stage II: 20%
- Stage III: 20%
- Stage IV: 20%

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