

# Geriatric Assessment Program

Filling the **GAP** in health care



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# What is the Geriatric Assessment Program?

The Geriatric Assessment Program at Keck Medical Center of USC is for adults over the age of 65, who have multiple medical issues and memory loss.

Patients are seen by a team of specialists from medicine, dentistry, occupational therapy, pharmacy, physical therapy, psychology and social work, who all have advanced training in care for older adults.

Working with the patient and their family, we answer any questions about health and well-being in all aspects of care.

Additional services provided by:

## Alzheimer's Greater Los Angeles

Provides educational and support services on dementia care

## Center for Health Care Rights

Helps patients and their families understand their Medicare and Medi-Cal benefits



## “Aging Americans...

need better prevention services, interventions and access to the right kind of health care that helps all people age with dignity, respect and love.”



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## Our Philosophy of Care

We work with the patient and their family to answer all questions and provide tailored recommendations. Our comprehensive approach combines the expertise of multiple professionals. This results in a personalized plan of care that complements the care provided by the patient’s physician. Our ultimate goal is to enhance the patient’s well-being and quality of life.

Patients may refer themselves or be referred by their personal physician, specialist or family member.

### Available Services:

- Medical screening
- Functional screening
- Screening for depression
- Gait and balance assessment
- Cognitive screening
- Psychosocial evaluation
- Medication assessment
- Oral health screening

### Benefits:

- Team of providers experienced in issues related to aging
- One-stop-shop, where exams, assessments and evaluations are done in fewer visits
- Personalized treatment plan provided to patient, family and their primary care physician
- Access to community resources, events, information and education

# Call for an appointment (888) 225-4972

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