

Hyperbaric medicine is an effective method of treating a number of chronic conditions such as complex wounds and late-radiation injuries. *Hyperbaric* oxygen therapy delivers oxygen-rich plasma, the liquid part of our blood, to oxygen depleted tissues in the body to help the healing process.

Hyperbaric Medicine comes to UM Upper Chesapeake Health

This summer UM Upper Chesapeake Health will open a Hyperbaric Medicine Center on its campus in Bel Air. Equipped with state-of-the-art chambers, the spacious new facility will be managed by physicians and other providers specially trained for this advanced medical technology, ensuring patient safety and comfort in a close to home setting.

Hyperbaric oxygen therapy can be used to treat a variety of conditions, including:

- Complex, hard to heal wounds
- Diabetic foot ulcers
- Vascular conditions
- Chronic/worsening bone infection
- Crush injuries
- Bone and soft tissue injuries caused by radiation in cancer patients
- Skin graft/flap support

Our center will treat outpatient conditions in collaboration with referring specialists from wound, vascular and podiatry centers, oral surgeons, urologists, plastic surgeons and primary care. Hyperbaric oxygen therapy is also frequently used as part of a combined care program that may include antibiotics and surgery.

Hyperbaric medicine will be located in Pavilion II at UM Upper Chesapeake Medical Center next to our advanced care Wound Center. Upon opening, patients will be treated weekdays between 8 am to 4:30 pm. **For more information, please call 443-643-3500.**

Hyperbaric Medicine at UM Upper Chesapeake Health

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