



### Mission

To provide high-quality, comprehensive healthcare services to children, regardless of their ability to pay, and to continuously improve the health and well-being of children.

### Vision

To provide the nation's best healthcare for kids and to become the nation's best children's hospital.

## Valley Children's At A Glance







One of the San Joaquin Valley's five largest private sector employers<sup>1</sup>

### Valley Children's Patients

are covered

by Medi-Cal



are an ethnicity other than Caucasian

# Children of the San Joaquin Valley out of

live in poverty with many living in deep poverty<sup>2</sup>

More than **4.0%** are overweight or obese<sup>2</sup>

Up to **25%** lack access to a regular, dependable food source<sup>2</sup>



Healthcare disparities disproportionately affect children of color<sup>2</sup>

### Highly Specialized, **Quality Care Close to Home**

Cancer and Blood Disorders Center, Level II Pediatric Trauma Center, Level IV Epilepsy Center, Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and The Willson Heart Center

### **Keeping Kids Well Where** They Live, Learn and Play

Guilds Center for Community Health leads our work in access to healthy food and beverages, chronic disease prevention, early child development, injury prevention, mental health and more

### **Educating the Pediatric** Workforce of the Future

A significant portion of Valley Children's service area is classified as a health professional shortage area for primary care, mental health care, and dental care<sup>3</sup>





medical school students





clinical students

<sup>1</sup>The Business Journal, Book of Lists, 2022 <sup>2</sup>www.kidsdata.org <sup>3</sup>https://data.hrsa.gov/tools/shortage-area/hpsa-find