Pain is disruptive in your life.

The Center for Pain Management was established to treat chronic, disabling pain. From its beginnings, the center has embraced a multidisciplinary approach to the treatment of pain, utilizing the expertise of a team of pain care clinicians and an array of technology and treatments. Our goal is to develop a treatment program that will improve the patient's quality of life.

Saint Anne's Hospital is a community hospital with comprehensive inpatient, outpatient, and emergency care services, serving adults and children from southeastern Massachusetts and nearby Rhode Island at its main campus in Fall River and its community satellites in Attleboro, Swansea, North Dartmouth, New Bedford, and Stoughton. Founded in 1906 by the Dominican Sisters of the Presentation, Saint Anne's Hospital is a member of Steward Health Care System LLC, a fully integrated national health care services organization. Saint Anne's has been recognized time and again for quality, safety and service by such organizations as The Joint Commission, Healthgrades, The Leapfrog Group, and Blue Cross Blue Shield.

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Center for Pain Management

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Established in 1994, the Center for Pain Management is one of the largest and most comprehensive dedicated pain management programs in Massachusetts.



Treating Your Pain

Our staff approaches your case individually and objectively. The causes of your pain will be thoroughly evaluated and a treatment program will be developed for you. Your plan will be geared towards maximizing your potential and increasing your functional capacity. Patients receive services and treatment from a multidisciplinary team of pain care professionals. Research has shown that effective pain management requires a comprehensive approach that incorporates the most advanced medical, behavioral, and lifestyle technologies to eliminate or reduce chronic pain.

Interdisciplinary & Multidisciplinary Teams

Working together, our staff provides an exceptional range of skills, training, experience and knowledge. The center adheres to a strong, coordinated approach focused on attaining positive long-term outcomes. We continue to expand our array of proven treatment options. Our team

includes experienced physicians specializing in pain, most with board certification in pain management; nurse practitioners and nursing staff with special certification in pain management; psychologists; licensed mental health counselors, rehabilitation specialists; and social workers.

An Array of Advanced Treatments

Certain injuries or disorders may be improved with one or two treatment modalities. Many, however, require a multi-modal regimen that includes medical procedures and medications, coupled with psychological support and physical therapy, to alleviate pain. Our team of experts in pain also provides opportunities for learning skills that minimize or prevent recurring pain and education on specific chronic pain syndromes and treatment plans. Patients are encouraged to actively participate in their treatment plan, as are family members when appropriate.

Treatment for the most common pain problems may include:

- Vertebroplasty
- Diagnostic Discography
- Spinal Cord Stimulation
- Trigger Point Injections
- Epidural Steroid Injections
- Relaxation Training
- Nucleoplasty

- Radiofrequency Lesioning
- Psychotherapy and Counseling
- Peripheral Nerve Blocks
- Selective Nerve Root Injections
- Physical and Occupational Therapy
- Thoracic & Lumbar Facet
 Joint Injections

Treatment for the most common pain problems may include:

- Arthritis
- Chronic Pain Syndrome
- Abdominal Pain
- Failed Back Syndrome
- Neuropathy
- Post-Herpatic Neuropathy
- Work-related Injuries

- Cancer Pain
- Back, Neck & Leg Pain
- Post-Surgical Chronic Pain
- Myofascial Syndromes
- Facet Syndrome
- Vertebral Compression Fracture
- Small Disc Herniation

