



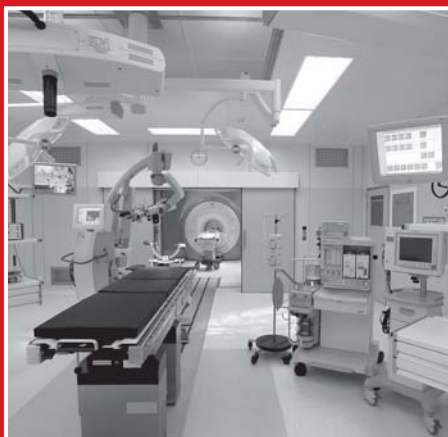
TRAUMA CENTRE



The Central Military Hospital (ÚVN) has the Trauma Centre status and provides comprehensive super specialised care for polytrauma patients and patients with multiple injuries in immediate danger to life, 24 hours a day all the year round.

The treatment of serious injuries requires interbranch team co-operation. The basic philosophy of the centre's work is that specialists come to the patient in the Trauma Centre Emergency Hall, where all necessary treatment is provided in accordance with the hospital's all-round treatment programme.

The ÚVN Trauma Centre has a team of erudite surgeons, orthopaedists, anaesthesiologists, radiodiagnostic specialists, neurosurgeons, and dental surgeons. The ÚVN Trauma Centre is headed by an injury surgeon. Interbranch co-operation, however, requires the services of other specialists depending on the individual needs of the patients. The Centre therefore uses the services of consultants with the following specialisations: neurologists, blood-vessel surgeons, intervention radiologists, plastic surgeons with micro-surgery specialisation, interns, ophthalmologists, otorhinolaryngolo-



gists, urologists, gynaecologists, and psychiatrists. Diagnostic specialists in all complementary branches are also permanently available, as are acute biochemical and haematological laboratories with a blood bank.

Part of the ÚVN Trauma Centre is a heliport located on the roof of Pavilion CH2. After landing, the patient is taken directly to the Emergency Hall, which is connected to the operating theatres. The ÚVN Trauma Centre also has the use of a unique multifunction operating theatre with magnetic resonance facilities, a Columbus navigation system used for the treatment of post-injury trauma conditions and a daVinci robotic system for urological, gynaecological, and other surgeries.

A specific service provided by the ÚVN Trauma Centre is post-surgery care for members of the Czech Army and alliance soldiers injured during foreign combat and humanitarian missions.

The ÚVN Trauma Centre has the use of the most advanced instruments and apparatus purchased with the help of money from EU funds. This project, called "Apparatus outfit of the ÚVN Praha Trauma Centre for Adults", was co-financed by the European Union in the framework of the European Regional Development Fund programme.

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