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# **ABOUT US**

AGEL is the most successful private healthcare provider in Central Europe. Healthcare facilities that are part of the AGEL Group provide top-quality services in line with current trends with state-of-the-art equipment. The AGEL Group consists of dozens of companies in the Czech Republic and Slovakia. AGEL not only operates hospitals and outpatient clinics, but also a network of pharmacies, laboratories, non-medical facilities and distribution and service companies.

The quality of care and patient safety are the AGEL Group's number one priorities. The healthcare facilities therefore not only meet all statutory standards, but have additional processes in place to monitor the quality of care beyond this, through external monitoring. We continuously improve our services and respond flexibly to the current needs of patients and clients.

AGEL would also like to play a significant role in the areas of science, research and innovation. The AGEL Institute for Education and Research is therefore part of the Group's science and research activities. The AGEL group also considers the needs of those with very few available resources, which is why the AGEL FOUNDATION was established in 2011, a branch of AGEL's charity that supports individuals and associations who find themselves in difficult situations.

AGEL Group also operates a secondary medical school and a higher vocational medical school in Ostrava-Koblov, Český Těšín and Přerov. Students are educated there in graduation fields for medical assistant (practical nurse), laboratory assistant and medical lyceum, in both in-person and distance education.



14 HOSPITALS
in the Czech Republic

+
13 HOSPITALS
in Slovakia

9
AGEL POLYCLINICS
29

**PHARMACIES** 

OVER
13,500
BABIES
BORN IN 2021



OVER
14,000
EMPLOYEES
IN AGEL GROUP
COMPANIES

AGEL
Medical School
EDUCATES FUTUREHEALTH
PROFESSIONALS
IN OSTRAVA,
ČESKÝ TĚŠÍN
AND PŘEROV

THE AGEL
FOUNDATION
HAS SUPPORTED OVER

1,430
APPLICANTS
WITH AN AMOUNT
EXCEEDING
CZK 37 MIL.



**Český Těšín Hospital** is a key facility in the provision of health and social care for the citizens of Český Těšín and the surrounding region. The hospital is mostly sought after by patients due to its flexible approach to the changing needs of the population. In February 2006, the Český Těšín Hospital became the eighth accredited hospital in the Czech Republic, and it regularly renews its accreditation.

#### Care provided

The hospital operates a total of six departments: a rehabilitation department, a follow-up care department and a rehabilitation follow-up care department, a specialist nursing care department, a clinical biochemistry and haematology department, and a radio-diagnostic department with ultrasound technology. In addition, the hospital has sixteen in-house outpatient clinics and four external ones. These include a surgical, vascular and diabetology clinic, as well as cardiology, gastroenterology, nephrology, haematology, neurology, orthopaedic, rehabilitation and psychology clinics. A new pavilion with a dialysis centre was also opened in the hospital in 2013.

#### Medical achievements

Český Těšín Hospital provides top healthcare services in the fields of geriatrics, rehabilitation and aftercare, chronic wound care, outpatient cardiology, diabetes and endocrinology. The rehabilitation department of the hospital provides comprehensive treatment for patients after diseases and injuries, patients with locomotor disabilities due to neurological disorders, after injuries and orthopaedic and neurosurgical procedures. In treatment, the medical staff of the Český Těšín Hospital uses various types of myoskeletal treatments and special physiotherapy methodologies, as well as physical therapy including hydrotherapy and occupational therapy. The hospital's method of cognitive rehabilitation is used with success.

## **Hospital Equipment**

Český Těšín Hospital has modern equipment for rehabilitation. The hospital has a shock wave machine, pelvic floor stimulation devices, a 4-chamber galvanic bath, a lymphatic drainage device and other equipment to relieve pain and improve the rehabilitation process. Patients rehabilitate in well-equipped exercise rooms that allow for occupational therapy, group and individual exercises and thera-band exercises, as well as balloons or moving walkways. The quality of the local RDG department is also very high; it is digitized and has a modern ultrasound device and a panoramic dental RDG device.





**AGEL Jeseník Hospital** is a medium-sized medical facility that provides inpatient and outpatient health care in all basic fields. AGEL Jeseník Hospital provides acute inpatient care for a total of seven departments, namely the internal medicine department, the surgical department, the gynaecological and obstetric department, the neonatal and paediatric department, the nursing department and the anaesthesiology and resuscitation department. The hospital also has a department of clinical biochemistry, haematology and transfusion services, as well as a transfusion department providing blood donations and a haemodialysis department for patients with kidney diseases. Care in other fields is provided by outpatient clinics.

AGEL Jeseník Hospital has 103 acute beds in six different departments and 30 beds in a modern equipped nursing department. The hospital is the only medical facility in the region that provides acute inpatient care. AGEL Jeseník Hospital has held the title of "Baby Friendly Hospital" since 2006.





**AGEL Louny Hospital** is a medical facility located in the Ústí nad Labem region. The hospital has after-care beds and social beds, and it provides care in a total of four wards and three outpatient clinics. The hospital's main catchment area is mainly the town Louny and the nearest municipalities with a total population of around 50,000 inhabitants.

#### Care provided

There are four departments at the AGEL Louny Hospital, namely the radiodiagnostic, rehabilitation, aftercare and social beds departments. Care is provided in 90 aftercare beds and 45 social beds. As part of outpatient care, the hospital offers the services of an algesiology outpatient clinic, which specialises in the treatment of chronic pain, as well as the services of an EEG unit and an internal outpatient clinic.

#### **Medical achievements**

The hospital's achievements lie mainly in the area of aftercare beds. The hospital has a number of successes in the treatment of decubitus ulcers and the socialisation of patients from inpatient wards.

## **Hospital Equipment**

AGEL Louny Hospital is most popular for its inpatient wards equipped with anti-disability mattresses, wheelchairs, walkers, chairs, ECG and good sanitary facilities. The hospital uses modern equipment, such as the radiology wall in the radiology department, a CT scanner and ultrasound. The safe and environmentally friendly lifts ensure comfort of movement around the hospital. The entire hospital is covered by WIFI, which is available to all patients. free of charge. There is a TV in every room. There is a mineral spring called Luna on the premises of AGEL Louny Hospital, which contains unique minerals. In some aspects, the water from the well can be compared to the Karlovy Vary group of springs, as well as to the springs of Bílinka and Vincentka, and its overall composition is similar to that of the waters of Vichy, France, due to the similar geological nature of the landscape.





**AGEL Nový Jičín Hospital** is the only hospital with a comprehensive structure of health care in the Nový Jičín region. The hospital covers 170 thousand inhabitants. The hospital also contains a detached department in Vítkov.

The AGEL Comprehensive Oncology Centre – one of thirteen oncology centres in the Czech Republic that meet the strict requirements of the Czech Oncology Society, is an important part of the hospital. The Oncology Centre in Nový Jičín has repeatedly defended this exceptional status, and in 2014 it was named a Centre for highly specialised oncological care for adults. The spectrum of oncological treatment includes chemotherapy, biological treatment, hormone treatment, immunotherapy, radiation treatment (external radiotherapy and brachytherapy), supportive and symptomatic treatment, including pain management.

AGEL Nový Jičín Hospital has central operating theatres and an anaesthesiology and resuscitation department equipped with the latest technology, including a robotic system for surgical procedures. Thanks to this two hundred million investment, a department was created in Nový Jičín that is one of the best not only in the Czech Republic, but also in Central and Eastern Europe in terms of its equipment and complex technology. The hospital also offers a first-class Nuclear Medicine Pavilion with positron emission tomography and computed tomography (PET/CT) units.





**AGEL Ostrava-Vítkovice Hospital** provides comprehensive basic and highly specialised medical and nursing care for the residents of the entire Moravian-Silesian Region. The hospital holds a quality certificate awarded by the Czech Accreditation Committee.

#### Care provided

AGEL Ostrava-Vítkovice Hospital has sixteen separate departments and specialist outpatient clinics that provide care across various medical disciplines. Thanks to departments such as the Internal Department – Vascular Centre, Digestive Care Centre, Stroke Centre, Mother and Child Care Centre, Mammology Centre and Obesity Centre, the hospital occupies an important place among healthcare facilities not only in the Moravian-Silesian Region.

#### **Hospital Equipment**

The hospital emphasises the regular renewal and purchase of new devices across all fields. New devices make diagnosis more accurate, they are gentler on patients and they provide greater comfort. The most significant investments in this area include the purchase of a new MRI scanner, a skiascopic-schiagraphic folding wall, and a new angiography machine and X-ray machines. Clients can enjoy the services of superior rooms in all departments of the hospital during their hospitalisation.





**AGEL Podhorská Hospital** provides health care to patients from an area with 65,000 inhabitants at its departments in Bruntál and Rýmařov.. The number of awarded and renewed certificates and accreditations testifies to the quality of care and services provided.

#### Care provided

The Rýmařov department focuses on rehabilitation and comprehensive care for the elderly, including residential social services and a nursing care unit. Outpatient care includes a wide range of internal and surgical disciplines and gynaecology. The catering operation provides meals for patients and staff, external customers and the general public, among whom the local cuisine is very popular.

The Bruntál department provides acute inpatient care in gynaecology, surgery and internal medicine, including an intensive care unit and outpatient clinics for surgical and internal medicine, anaesthesiology and resuscitation, along with pain management and infusion therapy, a general practitioner's clinic for adults and other specialised outpatient clinics. The department of clinical biochemistry and haematology, the radio-diagnostic department and the transport medical service are important components.

## **Hospital Equipment**

The quality and safety of health care is facilitated by the modern equipment of both departments. We use ultrasound, X-ray and a new state-of-the-art computed tomography (CT) scanner, which, in addition to the usual examinations, offers virtual colonoscopy and calcium scoring. The rehabilitation department and outpatient clinics are equipped with modern balneo facilities with a swimming pool and a number of rehabilitation devices and modern therapeutic technologies, which are used in the care of patients suffering from musculoskeletal pain and mobility disorders and, more recently, post-covid patients.





**AGEL Prostějov Hospital** provides inpatient and outpatient health care for over 100,000 inhabitants of the Prostějov region. The hospital is accredited according to the standards of the Czech Accreditation Committee; it provides training for students of secondary medical schools and medical faculties. The hospital also includes the AGEL Sport Clinic focused on diagnostics in the field of sports medicine.

#### Care provided

The hospital offers comprehensive care in forty medical disciplines. The internal department performs pacemaker implantations and specialised cardiological examinations for the surrounding districts of Vyškov and Blansko. In the children's ward, a post intensive care unit was established; it is one of a kind in the Czech Republic. The infectious diseases department is the only inpatient department in the Olomouc Region. The pulmonary department is the only department in the region, alongside the pulmonary clinic of the Olomouc University Hospital. Follow-up care is provided by the nursing home with a palliative care department.

#### Medical achievements

The activities of the children's ward, which has an intensive care unit focused on providing care for patients who require long-term artificial pulmonary ventilation, extend beyond the borders of the region. The department of surgery is a leader in bariatrics and herniology, and it regularly holds international workshops. The stroke centre is a holder of the ESO Platinum Award. The orthopaedic department is a sought-after department for both general patients and athletes.

## **Hospital Equipment**

The hospital offers a modern medical rehabilitation centre that is unparalleled in the surrounding area. The centralised complement merging 11 sections of laboratory medicine into a single unit is also unique. There are examination and treatment components common to other disciplines, including a radio-diagnostic department, dialysis centre, gastroenterology department, clinical oncology and radiotherapy.





**AGEL Přerov Hospital** provides health care in basic fields for more than 130 thousand inhabitants of Přerov and its surroundings. The hospital is accredited according to the standards of the Czech Accreditation Committee; most of the disciplines are accredited by the Ministry of Health for specialised training of doctors, and the hospital is also a teaching centre for students of the Faculty of Medicine and Faculty of Health Sciences of Palacký University in Olomouc and other medical faculties.

#### Care provided

The hospital provides care for adults and children in over twenty departments and twenty outpatient clinics. The orthopaedic-traumatology department in particular provides a high standard of care. The local doctors perform a wide range of joint replacements. Surgical procedures are followed by consistent rehabilitation and mobilisation of operated patients in cooperation with physiotherapists.

#### Medical achievements

The post-acute intensive care unit, which successfully provides follow-up treatment, is of supra-regional significance. However, the separate modern dialysis unit is also exceptional, providing care for more than 85 chronically ill patients. Acute dialysis is also provided in the intensive care unit if necessary.

## **Hospital Equipment**

The AGEL Přerov Hospital holds the title 'Baby Friendly Hospital'; in a modern building for 'Mother and Child', the hospital provides highly erudite care for parents, patients and sick children in the most comfortable environment. In 2016, the hospital also inaugurated a new state-of-the-art radiology department, which is now fully digitised, faster and more comfortable. In 2018, the Haematology and Transfusion Department was extensively renovated, and it now has all the parameters of a modern facility.





**AGEL Říčany Hospital** is a smaller healthcare facility. It is located in the town Říčany about 20 km south-east of the centre of Prague. The hospital houses inpatient departments for internal medicine, same-day surgery and rehabilitation care. The hospital offers treatment in a number of general and specialised outpatient clinics: adult emergency medical service, a neurological outpatient clinic, a surgical, vascular, and internal reception clinic, a rehabilitation and orthopaedic clinic, and there will soon also be a gynaecological outpatient clinic, etc. Inpatient and outpatient care is connected to a completely new department of clinical biochemistry and haematology. The digitized X-ray department, which will be modernised and equipped with new equipment this year, guarantees high-quality diagnostic imaging.

But no matter what health problems you visit us with, you will always be cared for by teams of experienced doctors, nurses and nursing staff. Safe surgeries and the confidence of our patients are our priorties.

## What you should know about us

We pride ourselves on a friendly and pleasant approach to our patients, and we try to create a family environment for them. And given the size of the hospital, we are truly succeed in doing so. You don't have to worry about long waiting times for medical examinations or procedures.

## What we are proud of

Various specific surgical procedures are also performed at the Říčany Hospital, such as cartilage replacement of the knee joint with the GraftNet method, etc.





**AGEL Šternberk Hospital** is a regional hospital that provides outpatient and inpatient care near the towns of Šternberk, Litovel and Uničov, and the adjacent areas of Rýmařov and Moravský Beroun. The hospital is accredited according to the standards of the Czech Accreditation Committee; it cooperates with medical faculties and medical schools, and most of the departments are accredited for postgraduate medical education.

#### Care provided

AGEL Šternberk Hospital provides care in eleven departments. Its main departments include a gynaecological and obstetric, paediatric, surgical and traumatological, internal medicine and anaesthesiology, and resuscitation departments. The haemodialysis, radiodiagnostics and rehabilitation departments are fully utilised. Follow-up care is provided by the hospital for the long-term sick. The hospital has specialist outpatient clinics of all clinical disciplines.

#### Medical achievements

The AGEL Sternberk Hospital excels in successful rehabilitation treatment aimed at activating the deep stabilisation system by improving the stabilisation of the spine, chest and pelvis. In the surgical department, lower limb varicose vein surgery is performed with the LEOV method. Excellent results are achieved in gynaecological surgery, where over 97% of surgeries are performed minimally invasively.

## **Hospital Equipment**

AGEL Sternberk Hospital is a popular medical facility, especially among expectant mothers. The hospital has modern delivery rooms and a new gynaecology and obstetrics department, comfortable facilities and equipment. Other wards are gradually being equipped with state-of-the-art equipment, the latest of which include resuscitation beds with lateral tilt and a top-class lung ventilator purchased for the ARO department.





**AGEL Trinec-Podlesí Hospital** is a medical facility that offers highly specialised healthcare in the treatment of cardiovascular diseases. With the number of performed procedures and the introduction of unique treatment methods, it ranks among the top fully accredited comprehensive cardiovascular centres in the Czech Republic and Europe.

#### Care provided

AGEL Třinec-Podlesí Hospital specialises in cardiology, cardiac surgery, vascular surgery and interventional radiology. The combination of these disciplines offers patients comprehensive and optimal treatment of the heart and blood vessels under one roof. In addition to cardiovascular care, it also offers anaesthesiology and resuscitation, clinical biochemistry, rehabilitation and occupational health services.

#### **Medical achievements**

The quality of our services is evidenced by a number of successes – the replacement of a worn artificial valve without the need for surgery, the first implanted new artificial valve with a catheter in the Czech Republic, and the unique elimination of bicuspid valve leakage using MitraClip without cardiac surgery. One good example is the successful implantation of a Tendyne mitral valve in a patient with severe mitral regurgitation, which was only performed on three people in the Czech Republic before the autumn of 2021, two of them in Třinec. The same year saw the implantation of revolutionary Micra pacemakers. The world's smallest pacemakers are implanted in patients with heart rhythm disorders with a gentle, minimally invasive technique. Our specialists are strongly pushing the boundaries of the use of modern techniques in medicine; they are currently successfully using virtual reality technology to plan heart surgery.

### **Hospital Equipment**

AGEL Třinec-Podlesí Hospital has a total of three cardiology catheterisation rooms, two for cardiac electrophysiology, one vascular interventional room, two cardiac surgery rooms, three surgical and one hybrid operating theatre. We have a long-standing commitment to same-day interventional care, providing highly specialised services in cardiology, surgery, vascular and urology fields. Nearly 300,000 patients are treated annually in outpatient and inpatient settings.





**AGEL Hospital Valašské Meziříčí** is a regional health care facility that provides care of over 80 thousand inhabitants. We are a hospital that provides quality inpatient and outpatient, basic and specialised care in 9 disciplines at 13 inpatient stations.

#### Care provided

We focus on the development of obstetrics, traumatology and bariatric surgery. We also operate specialised outpatient clinics in the field of internal medicine. The hospital is involved in the Health Promoting Hospitals & Health Services project.

#### Medical achievements

We hold a certificate of quality and safety of services provided by the Czech Accreditation Committee. Our clinical laboratories (clinical biochemistry laboratory and pathology laboratory) are certified by the Czech Accreditation Institute (CAI). In terms of education, the hospital has seven medical specialities that meet the accreditation criteria for training activities, and also one speciality for non-medical staff – midwifery education. The hospital regularly holds an open day for the public offering consultations, examinations and advice. Patients can use the services of the hospital chaplain or seek out the popular canistherapy.

## **Hospital Equipment**

The radiodiagnostic department has a new modern instrument in its portfolio in magnetic resonance imaging, computed tomography (CT) and projectional radiography. The hospital also has modern central operating theatres for surgical, urological and gynaecological operations. The maternity ward has a renovated delivery room with two delivery beds and a post-natal room. The TRN outpatient clinic uses new methods of treatment with a body plethysmograph.





## **NEW PRAGUE HOSPITAL**

SUPERNIUS Development s.r.o is the developer for the New Prague Hospital project. The new modern hospital is being built in the tenth district of Prague – Malešice.

From the very first moment, the project has focused on the needs of the population with regard to the current development of health care provision. The new facility will offer patients care in dozens of specialised outpatient clinics across fields, operating rooms with modern equipment, and the services of AGEL Pharmacy.

We are building a hospital with state-of-the-art facilities, taking into account the latest trends in modern medicine.





**AGEL Praha Italská Polyclinic** is a key medical facility of the company Dopravní zdravotnictví. The outpatient section provides preventive and curative care in its entire scope, from basic examinations by a general practitioner to specialist examinations by outpatient specialists. The complex of outpatient clinics and laboratories also includes a modern aftercare rehabilitation department and a One-Day Orthopaedic Care Centre, which provides a wide range of arthroscopic surgeries. In 2021, the Diagnostic Imaging Centre was completely modernised. A new X-ray and computed tomography (CT) scanner were purchased as part of this modernisation, which are key to cutting-edge diagnostics. The outpatient clinic treats 100,000 clients every year.

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**AGEL Česká Třebová Polyclinic** is a medical facility with long-standing experience in providing outpatient medical and diagnostic care. The polyclinic provides comprehensive occupational and medical services for over 30 companies at the polyclinic, as well as the detached office of a general practitioner for adults in Pardubice. The polyclinic has a medical transport service that transports patients to the doctor, hospital, spa or rehabilitation clinic. We treat over 17 thousand clients every year.

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**AGEL Nymburk Polyclinic** offers clients the services of general practitioners and specialists in other medical fields under one roof. In the field of client care with joint pain, spine pain and movement problems, comprehensive services are provided, starting with an examination by a rehabilitation doctor and an orthopaedic outpatient clinic doctor, with subsequent rehabilitation by certified physiotherapists. Rehabilitation services are provided with a new laser including a recliner and a new exercise bike. The ORL outpatient clinic now provides audiometric hearing screening for children as young as 5 years old. The AGEL Nymburk Polyclinic is the only clinic in the region to provide osteoporosis screening with densitometry. We treat over 15 thousand clients every year.

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AGEL Olomouc Polyclinic has two departments – one in Olomouc and one in Přerov, both of which have a long tradition in outpatient and occupational health care. AGEL Olomouc Polyclinic holds a quality certificate from the Czech Accreditation Committee; the laboratories are accredited by the Czech Accreditation Institue, and the facility is also accredited by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic for specialised training and additional professional practice 'General Practical Medicine'. Both the Olomouc and Přerov facilities are equipped with new modern ultrasound equipment, and a new digitised X-ray machine was purchased for the Přerov facility.

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**AGEL Ostrava Polyclinic** offers comprehensive preventive and curative care, especially for patients from Ostrava and Bohumín. The facility has a network of general practitioners throughout the Ostrava region, specialist outpatient care is provided by doctors directly in the AGEL Ostrava Polyclinic in Tyršova Street, and rehabilitation care is provided in the building in Špálová Street. In addition to medical care, AGEL Ostrava Polyclinic also provides occupational medical services and above-standard health care. The range of services provided has been expanded to include consultations for active women and professional athletes, where clients can get advice on how to train effectively and safely at every stage of pregnancy and after childbirth. Annually, AGEL Ostrava Polyclinic treats over 29 thousand clients.

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**AGEL Plzeň Polyclinic** is a medical facility with a long tradition in providing outpatient care. The clinic operates a laboratory apparatus and a pharmacy. In addition to medical care, AGEL Plzeň Polyclinic also provides occupational health services, especially for Czech Railways and transport companies, as well as a large number of other production plants. The clinic also provides above-standard medical care. In recent years, equipment has been modernised to help us maintain a high professional level and qualified staff, which is the polyclinic's main strength. This enables the polyclinic to offer the most modern diagnostic and treatment methods. The AGEL Plzeň Polyclinic treats over 118 thousand clients every year.

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### **AGEL+ Private Care**

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**AGEL Hornická Polyclinic** provides therapeutic and diagnostic outpatient health-care for the inhabitants of the Ostrava region and the surrounding area in 25 outpatient clinics equipped with modern technologies and qualified staff. The polyclinic aims to follow modern trends in health care, to adapt quickly, and to offer patients a superior approach through high-quality, affordable and effective care. Over 200,000 patients are treated every year in doctor's offices at AGEL Hornická Polyclinic.

### Care provided

Healthcare at AGEL Hornická Polyclinic is provided by general practitioners for adults and children; there is a a psychiatric and psychological outpatient clinic, an orthopaedic outpatient clinic, an infusion hospital, a radiology department, a clinical biochemistry department, an internal medicine outpatient clinic, a diabetes outpatient clinic, a gynaecological outpatient clinic, a surgical outpatient clinic, an occupational disease department, a neurological outpatient clinic, an eye outpatient clinic, a pulmonary outpatient clinic, a rehabilitation department, a urological outpatient clinic and a dental outpatient clinic.

#### Medical achievements

The polyclinic's laboratory with modern technological equipment stands out thanks to the quality of its services. The Clinical Biochemistry Department has an analyser with patented technology for determining the erythrocyte sedimentation rate, blood count and glycated haemoglobin from a single sample. Thanks to new technology, the laboratory is also able to provide a result within thirty minutes from the arrival of the sample.

## Clinic Equipment

In 2020, new devices for magnetotherapy, electrotherapy and ultrasound therapy were purchased for the medical rehabilitation department. These technologies not only offer physiotherapists greater comfort for patients, they also allow for very fast and effective treatments. Just one year later, a new modern X-ray machine was also purchased for this department, which significantly accelerated the operation of the department, making AGEL Hornická Polyclinic only the second facility in Ostrava to perform special orthopaedic examinations. This machine is equipped with accessories and innovations that have increased the comfort of patients and facilitated the work of radiological assistants.





AGEL Diagnostic Centre provides specialised diagnostic care at three clinics: Nový Jičín, Vsetín and Frenštát pod Radhoštem. The mammocentre is a core part of the AGEL Diagnostic Centre; this centre focuses on diagnosis of breast diseases. Our mammocentre is certified by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic for mammary screening, so our primary work in this field concerns the implementation and evaluation of preventive examinations within the National Mammary Screening Programme, which aims to diagnose breast cancer at the earliest (non-palpable) stage, when the chances of curing it are close to 100%.

#### Care provided

The AGEL Diagnostic Centre is also part of the Comprehensive Oncology Centre in Nový Jičín, so a significant part of the diagnostic work includes diagnostic examinations (sonographic, radiographic, mammographic) in patients after cancer treatment, not only after breast cancer treatment. With over 23,000 women screend per year, our mammocentre is among the 3 largest accredited mammocentres in the Czech Republic (out of a total of 65 centres).

Catching breast cancer at the earliest possible stage, or even in a pre-cancerous state, is a trend of recent years. This is possible thanks to a minimally invasive biopsy technology called vacuum mammotomy. In early 2019 our department acquired a unique system of vacuum biopsy from the brand MAMOTOMME REVOLVE and now, in combination with the above-mentioned tomosynthesis, we are the only ones in the Czech Republic who can use spatial (3D) imaging to target pathological microdimensions in the breast gland, which not only significantly improves the navigation of lesions, it also significantly shortens the entire biopsy procedure.





**Šumperk Dialysis** provides specialised medical care for patients with nephrological diseases in the Šumperk area. The clinic offers haemodialysis treatment, including haemodiafiltration, for over 60 patients with kidney failure; it also provides peritoneal dialysis treatment according to the patients' preference. Šumperk Dialysis includes a nephrology outpatient clinic where the staff examines and treats patients with kidney problems of various origins. The outpatient clinic also provides training for patients with deteriorating renal function for dialysis treatment and transplantation, and it provides consultation services for the inpatient wards of Šumperk Hospital. Patients are treated at Šumperk Dialysis on 15 dialysis beds in three shifts.

On World Kidney Day, Šumperk Dialysis organises an annual preventive event for the public, which focuses on urine tests and blood pressure measurements, as well as professional education on kidney disease. For several years, the facility has also held meetings for dialysis and transplant patients with lectures and informal gatherings.





**AGEL Gynekologické centrum**, which operates gynaecological clinics in the Olomouc Region in the towns Uničov, Slatinice and Konice, has been part of the AGEL Group since 2019. We provide gynaecological, obstetric and urogynaecological care to women of all ages, treating an average of 7,000 patients per year. AGEL Gynaecology Centre provides standard outpatient care in all its outpatient clinics for gynaecological patients and pregnant women, with links to inpatient facilities and specialised outpatient clinics such as the assisted reproduction centre, mammology, oncology and others.

As a standard, we offer preventive examinations, ultrasound diagnosis and treatment of all gynaecological diseases. The outpatient clinics naturally offer a modern environment and the option of online orders.

The outpatient clinic also provides same-day outpatient surgical procedures. In gynaecological oncology, the medical staff of AGEL Gynaecological Centre perform biopsies and outpatient cervical procedures – conization. The centre offers outpatient histological examinations among its special methods. The Uničov outpatient clinic is one of the few in the region that provide genetic ultrasound examinations in pregnancy. The centre also has a contraceptive clinic and offers consultations for menopausal women and women with incontinence.

All three gynaecological outpatient clinics are equipped with modern medical equipment, including a high-quality ultrasound and cardiotocograph.





**AGEL Cardiology Centre**, which specialises in the treatment of heart diseases of all kinds, is one of the most modern centres in the Czech Republic. The centre follows the development and the latest trends in interventional cardiology and arrhythmology, offering patients in the Pardubice Region and adjacent regions top-notch specialised care. The department belongs to the network of Complex Cardiovascular Centres of the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic.

The AGEL Cardiology Centre provides treatment of heart diseases within the departments of invasive cardiology and invasive arrhythmology. The centre has two catheterisation rooms equipped with the latest high-resolution devices and other equipment that enables 3D reconstruction of the bloodstream. Two electrophysiology theatres are used for the treatment of cardiac arrhythmias.

In terms of the number of procedures, the AGEL Cardiology Centre ranks among the four most powerful centres in the Czech Republic. The centre also has a day hospital, which allows patients to undergo certain examinations without the need for hospitalisation. in the comfort of a hotel.





**AGEL Pharmaceuticals s.r.o.** is now part of the AGEL Group, aiming to profile itself as a manufacturing and development centre in the field of biomedicine.

The whole project focuses on two main areas of activity:

- » production of pharmaceuticals, food for special medical purposes and food supplements,
- » development of liposomal emulsions and medical applications of nanomaterials.

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**AGEL Sport Clinic** – a sports and preventive medicine centre, offers professional and recreational athletes comprehensive medical services focused on sports examinations as well as physiotherapy and sports rehabilitation. AGEL Sport Clinic is part of AGEL Prostějov Hospital.

The uniqueness of AGEL Sport Clinic lies in the complexity of services offered under one roof, its individualised approach, and its emphasis on communication with clients, coaches and parents of child athletes. The clinic focuses on diagnostics, prevention, treatment and consultative care for athletes of all performance levels. Thanks to comprehensive information and examination results, the centre helps improve the quality and efficiency of the training process. The centre also offers consulting on healthy and therapeutic nutrition and comprehensive weight loss programmes.

The centre offers a fully equipped exercise unit with professional running and cycling ergometers and body composition analysis equipment. The centre also has a dynamographic platform usable for testing rebound strength and stability, as well as a complex physiotherapy facility with electrotherapy and laser. In addition, the centre offers heart rate variability testing, which is an ideal guide for managing the training process and finding errors in loading the body. The AGEL Sport Clinic also includes a podiatry unit for foot examinations, where individually anatomically shaped shoe insoles are immediately produced if necessary.

AGEL Sport Clinic provides services for adult and child athletes of all performance categories.





**AGEL Dental Centre** provides the highest level of care according to the strictest standards on the market. We have clinics with modern equipment, the latest technology and carefully trained staff. We provide care in facilities in unique locations. Our Prague office is located in the heart of the city centre, near Wenceslas Square. The second location is in Hradec Králové on Ulrich Square.

Our basic services include preventive and aesthetic dentistry, careful fabrication of fillings and prosthetic work, to highly specialised procedures in the fields of endodontics and implantology. A healthy and perfect smile is our objective. At AGEL Dental Center we know how to achieve and maintain such a smile. Remember, prevention is important at any age.





**AGEL Transfusion Service** deals with blood and blood component donation and the subsequent production of transfusion products. The company has two separate departments in Šumperk and Bruntál. Along with its production activities, the company provides laboratory testing, storage, purchase and dispensing of transfusion products.

The transfusion service's main activity is the implementation and processing of whole blood and apheresis blood donations and the subsequent production of transfusion products. These are intended for clinical use and for further pharmaceutical processing. In addition to the workplaces in Bruntál and Šumperk, the company also cooperates with sister blood collection centres in the hospitals in Přerov, Prostějov and Nový Jičín.

AGELTransfusionServicehasmodernanalysersinitslaboratoriesforhaematological, immunohaematological, biochemical and virological tests. Their main advantage is higher efficiency and simplicity, which the company especially appreciates in view of the increase in the number of tests from all sampling centres. To increase the safe administration of transfusion products, AGEL Transfusion Service has switched to the production of deleukotized blood - ERD (erythrocytes resusupended deleukotized), which are safer and more comfortable for patients during administration.

In 2021, AGEL Transfusion Service continued to upgrade its laboratory instrumentation, with a new centrifuge and a new plasma shock freezer. The company has received a building Permit for the renovation of the newly purchased TSL building, which is planned for 2022-2023, where new modern sampling, production and laboratory facilities will be built.

The Transfusion Service holds a permit for the manufacture of transfusion products from the State Institute for Drug Control. In 2021, more than 5,300 whole blood donations and more than 8,200 plasma donations were performed at both sites.





The main mission of **AGmed**, which was founded in 2021, is the production and distribution of generic medicines for the Czech and Slovak markets under its own brand AGmed. It aims to be a reliable supplier of its own selected pharmaceuticals, over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements, especially for the AGEL Group's healthcare facilities, but with a future extension to healthcare facilities outside the Group. The selection of products for inclusion in AGmed's portfolio is primarily oriented towards the hospital market, i.e. products consumed in healthcare facilities and administered to patients only by professional medical staff. As the company's business activities develop, the AGmed brand range will grow, and medicinal products and dietary supplements will meet the modern standards and requirements of the pharmaceutical market in terms of quality and design.





**Avenier** has been active in the vaccination market since 2007 and is currently the largest distributor of vaccines to doctor's practices in the Czech Republic. The company also operates an extensive network of vaccination and travel medicine centres throughout the country, with a professional and trained team of experts. In 2011, the company introduced a quality management system in accordance with the EN ISO 9001:2016 standard. The distribution of medicines to doctor's practices can only be carried out in compliance with strict measures and good distribution practices. Avenier has well-equipped facilities in 10 warehouses which enable it to distribute vaccines across the Czech Republic.

Over 35 distribution specialists are in charge of direct distribution to practices. They transport vaccines in specially adapted refrigerated trucks that meet requirements for the distribution of thermolabile substances. Avenier guarantees constant temperature monitoring from the time the goods are received in the warehouse until they are delivered to the doctor's practice.

Physicians can use the vacciny.avenier.cz website or the customer service line 800 11 22 33 to place orders or address questions.

Avenier vaccination and travel medicine centres have a team of vaccination and travel medicine specialists who are expert authorities in this field. Customers can make an appointment by calling the customer service line 545 123 321, or by filling out a simple form on the website <a href="https://www.ockovacicentrum.cz">www.ockovacicentrum.cz</a>.

Avenier believes that the future of medicine lies primarily in the prevention of disease, and that vaccination is, and will remain future, one of the most effective and important forms of disease prevention.





**AGEL Laboratories** is a major provider of comprehensive laboratory services that extend beyond the borders of the Moravian-Silesian Region and have a nation-wide reach in the field of molecular genetics. The central laboratories are located in the AGEL Clinic in Nový Jičín, with others in Ostrava, Šternberk, Bílovec, Havířov, Třinec, Studénka, Kopřivnice, Louny and Brno. AGEL laboratories in the Czech Republic under the AGELLAB brand cover the network of all laboratories in the AGEL Group.

The main activity of AGEL Laboratories is to perform a wide range of tests on all types of biological material. The process of material processing includes pre-analytical, analytical and post-analytical phases; the aim is to quickly and efficiently diagnose the clinical condition of patients in a time appropriate to clinical needs. AGEL's laboratories have expertise across all clinical disciplines - biochemistry, haematology, molecular biology, immunology and allergy, medical genetics, microbiology, pathology, pharmacology and toxicology.

The laboratory focuses on the diagnosis of oncological diseases in connection with the activities of the Comprehensive Cancer Centre in Nový Jičín, which belongs to the AGEL Nový Jičín Hospital.

Since 2011, the AGEL Laboratory headquarters have been located in the newly renovated premises of the AGEL Clinic in Nový Jičín. All of the company's laboratories are accredited according to international standard EN ISO 15189:2013.







**Medical Systems** focuses on system integration and consulting and IT services in the healthcare and health insurance industry with high added value. The company's flagship product is the Integrated Clinical Information System IKIS<sup>®</sup>.

The company's flagship product is the Integrated Clinical Information System IKIS®. The system evaluates the experience of our own analytical and development team, as well as the professional and managerial experience of the doctors and staff of the many AGEL Group medical institutions involved in the development. IKIS® is AGEL Group's strategic tool for managing healthcare delivery and reporting. IKIS® is classified as a special information systems for inpatient and outpatient facilities.

Its main benefit is the merging of information flows from all hospitals into a single information unit. It allows data to be shared and used between different health-care units.

IKIS® addresses the following functional areas: patient administration, reporting ,insurance and finance, clinical operation of outpatient clinics, inpatient wards, operating theatres and maternity wards, as well as complement (RDG, nuclear medicine, pathology).

The system implements communication elements between workplaces (requests and planning) and data transfer processes with other information systems.





**Perfect Distribution** focuses on comprehensive solutions for the supply of consumable medical supplies, the sale of paper programmes, cleaning chemicals and disinfectants products, as well as the supply of special medical supplies for healthcare facilities in the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

The company has been supplying medical devices of all product groups for over 25 years. The company is a partner of various types of healthcare service providers; its customers include AGEL Group facilities and university, regional and municipal hospitals, private healthcare facilities, ambulance services, rehabilitation institutes, homes for the elderly and other facilities. It offers tailored services for each of its clients according to their individual needs, as well as product or legislative consulting and advisory services, including expert assistance in drawing up and implementing disinfection regulations. It also operates medical supply stores and dispensaries.

It has four modern distribution centres in the Czech Republic and Slovakia, namely in Třinec, Prostějov, Prague and Kočovce near Nové Mesto nad Váhom. Perfect Distribution has over 1,200 active customers and more than 42,000 active items traded per year.







**Repharm a.s.** is the operator of a network of pharmacies under the brand name Lékárna AGEL. There are currently 29 public and 2 institutional AGEL pharmacies across the Czech Republic, complementing the complete medical service for patients of AGEL Group's healthcare facilities. Institutional pharmacies supply medicines for AGEL Group's healthcare facilities; public pharmacies offer pharmacy services for the Group's patient clients AGEL patients and the general public.

AGEL pharmacies stock a wide range of medicines, currently offering over 50% completely free of surcharge and many more with reduced charges. Patients can choose from a wide range of over-the-counter medication, medical devices, dietary supplements and cosmetics, both therapeutic and decorative. A professionally trained team of pharmacists is always on hand to advise customers.

AGEL pharmacies focus on customer satisfaction all year round. In addition to expanding the range of its own private label quality products at a competitive price, it regularly prepares special offers for even better prices or limited-time discounts on purchases of your choice. Customers can gift their loved ones a purchased gift voucher, or use the AGEL Pharmacy client programme with additional benefits.

For maximum convenience in using AGEL Pharmacy services, customers can also purchase over-the-counter products online at lekarnaagel.cz, or they can book an e-prescription at the nearest pharmacy.







# AGEL Secondary Medical School and Higher Vocational Medical School

The aim of the school is to educate non-medical medical staff, especially practical nurses. In 2019, the school expanded its range of study fields by adding a diploma in general nursing at a higher vocational school in Ostrava, in Český Těšín one year later, and in Přerov in 2021. Its aim is to prepare quality nurses for future careers not only in AGEL Group's healthcare facilities.

AGEL Secondary Medical School welcomed its first ever students in September 2017 in Ostrava. One year later, a detached department was established in Český Těšín. Students can study three full-time diploma courses in Practical Nursing, Medical Lyceum and Laboratory Assistant. The school was established as a response to a long-standing and deepening shortage of medical staff, which most medical institutions in the Czech Republic are struggling with. Among other things, the school also holds accredited qualification courses for the public, such as the Sanitarian course, as well as a Nursing course since 2021.

Thanks to the facilities of the AGEL Group, which is a long-term operator of hospitals, polyclinics, pharmacies, laboratories and other companies, students can be sure to of their future employment within the AGEL Group. The school also emphasizes the practical part of training, and it prepares internships and courses for students at specialised workplaces in AGEL Group medical facilities, as well as arranges student meetings with specialists from selected workplaces directly on the school premises as part of lectures.







The AGEL Educational and Research Institute is a non-profit company that promotes education, the development of healthcare and health education, as well as the implementation of scientific research projects within the AGEL Group.. The AGEL Educational and Research Institute provides services in four basic areas: the organisation of educational events, the administration of the AGEL Internal Grant Competition, the administration and coordination of the activities of the AGEL Scientific Council and the AGEL Medical Council, and the promotion of publication activities within the AGEL Group.

Furthermore, the AGEL Education and Research Institute is primarily involved in the development of the professional knowledge of physicians and paramedical staff, as well as the education of patients and the general public through awareness-raising activities in the field of prevention. Emphasis is also placed on building a base of in-house experts for science and research by supporting publications, doctoral studies, habilitation and appointment procedures.





**AGEL FOUNDATION** is a non-profit organisation that supports humanitarian activities in healthcare and social fields. Since 2011, we have supported over 1,500 applicants with an amount exceeding CZK 39 mil.

The purpose of the foundation is to offer help to those who need it most and to promote interest in natural, humane help directed at people who find themselves in a difficult life situation.

The AGEL FOUNDATION always assists a specific applicant, whether it is a natural person or a legal entity.

Through its activities, the AGEL Foundation particularly contributes to: the purchase of medical, compensatory and educational aids, costs of assistance and relief services, stays in spas and medical facilities, training of assistance and canistherapy dogs, neurorehabilitation stays. Equipment of medical and non-profit organizations, with the aim of improving conditions and environments for patients and clients.

The AGEL FOUNDATION regularly organizes clothing collections and purchases Christmas gifts for children, the elderly and clients. in patronized cooperating institutions, the charity run called 'Tešínská osmička', sports tournaments and activities for children with disabilities, summer and winter recreation for children from shelters and children's homes. For clients and patients of the Aftercare and Social Beds Department of the AGEL Group, it prepared the 'Well-being Package' project.

The AGEL FOUNDATION is a patron of these facilities:

- » Gloria shelter for women and mothers with children in Prague
- » Shelter for mothers with children in need Kojetín
- » Černá Voda children's home
- » Vrbno pod Pradědem children's home





# **New AGEL Group headquarters**

We are developing a modern office building in Prague Košíře, which will serve the needs of the holding company AGEL Group. The 30-metre high building will have 3 underground and 8 above-ground floors and a garage for 100 cars. All this while meeting environmental standards.

Employees will have a comfortable working environment, including a green terrace and relaxation areas. All this while keeping up with modern architectural standards. The ground floor of the building will feature a restaurant offering concepts from world-class chefs.





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AGEL Bánovce Hospital provides outpatient and inpatient care for patients from an area with almost 40 thousand inhabitants. It was established in the 18th century and has been operating as an independent facility since 1992; in 2014 it was affiliated to the AGEL Group. The hospital currently employs over 200 people. The number of patients examined reached almost 152 thousand in 2021, and the medical staff performed 1,880 same-day surgical procedures.

#### Care provided

The hospital provides health care in four inpatient wards, the outpatient part consists of 13 specialised outpatient departments. There is also a radiodiagnostic and sonographic workplace for patients. The hospital rents out some of its premises, which is why there is a dialysis centre, pharmacy, Alpha medical laboratory, ambulance service and cafeteria here. An inpatient emergency service operates next to the internal ward, providing around-the-clock medical care.

#### Medical achievements

The SK SaPA White Heart Award has been awarded to several nurses working at the Banovo hospital in recent years. Patients are especially interested in overnight health care. In the field of vascular surgery, the hospital prides itself on varicose veins and haemorrhoid surgeries performed in a minimally invasive way - with the laser radiofrequency method; the largest number of procedures are recorded in the field of orthopaedics, especially arthroscopies of the shoulder, knee, ankle and wrist.

# **Hospital Equipment**

The hospital has superior rooms equipped with modern facilities that make the patient's stay in the medical facility a little more pleasant. The radiodiagnostic department was renovated and a new digital X-ray machine was purchased. The technological equipment in the operating theatres is regularly upgraded as part of overnight care. The TriJALUX machine was recently added to the hospital's equipment, which is designed for the application of diathermy and ultrasound in the field of rehabilitation, sports medicine and pain therapy. The unique therapy for joints, muscles and ligaments brings pain relief and promotes healing of the aching joint without the need for injection. AGEL Bánovce Hospital was awarded the certificate of integrated quality and environmental management system in 2021 in accordance with ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015 standards.





**AGEL Handlová Hospital** provides outpatient and inpatient care for thousands of patients from the area. Its foundation dates back to 1924 and in 2014 it was affiliated to the AGEL group. The total number of examinations in 2021 exceeded 64 thousand, and the number of surgical procedures in all departments was 873.

## Care provided

The health care facility provides health care for its patients in two treatment units of the long-term sick ward, with 42 beds focused on follow-up health care. In 2021, a Nursing Home was established in the hospital, where patients are given around-the-clock nursing care. It has 20 beds. Overnight medical care in the fields of surgery, gynaecology and urology is sought by patients from all over Slovakia.

The outpatient part consists of 9 specialised outpatient clinics. Patients can also use the radio-diagnostics department in the polyclinic. The Clinical Biochemistry Department, which was detached from the Zvolen Hospital and the FBRL Department, is an integral part of the hospital's comprehensive health services. Because the medical facility's primary focus is on geriatric patients, a social facility was established in 2012 that provides year-round care for clients that are over 65 years of age and dependent on social services.

### **Medical achievements**

The long-term care ward provides comprehensive care for patients. During hospitalisation, patients are assessed and a treatment and rehabilitation plan is established, with a focus on improving self-sufficiency, rehabilitation, training in daily activities and a specific geriatric regime; attention is paid to the treatment of chronic wounds, an anti-disability regime and regular monitoring using a programme to track the progress of healing of chronic wounds. Staff are regularly trained in this area.

Overnight health care is an important part of the hospital. The mainstay of surgery in the Department of Surgery is lower limb varicose vein surgery with the laser-ELVeS method and haemorrhoid surgery with the laser-LHP method. St. Catherine's Senior Center strives to create a sense of family environment for its clients with its services and the empathetic approach of its staff. Clients participate in various types of therapy under the supervision of a qualified social worker, keeping them in good mental and physical condition.

# **Hospital Equipment**

In 2021, the hospital purchased two state-of-the-art sonography machines for the RDG unit and the overnight care unit. At the end of the year, work began on the redevelopment of the X-ray department, where a new digital X-ray machine was installed.





**Dr. Vojtech Alexander Hospital Kežmarok n. o.**, member of the AGEL Group, is a general hospital providing health care in the catchment area of the Kežmarok district with a population of over 74 thousand inhabitants. The hospital bears the name of famous Kežmarok native Dr. Vojtech Alexander, who was a pioneer in radiology in Slovakia. The hospital has been an ISO 9001 quality certificate holder since 2007.

## Care provided

The hospital provides health care in seven departments, namely the gynaecology and obstetrics department, the department of internal medicine, paediatrics, neonatology, anaesthesiology and intensive care medicine, the ward for the long-term sick and the overnight care unit. Outpatient care is provided in general medicine, outpatient emergency service for adults and for children and adolescents. Specialised outpatient care is provided in internal medicine, cardiology, geriatrics, paediatrics, paediatric nephrology and neurology, gastroenterology, surgery, trauma surgery, gynaecology, anaesthesiology and clinical speech therapy. Common investigation and treatment components include radiology, sonography and CT.

#### Medical achievements

The hospital is especially successful in the field of obstetrics. The strengths of the obstetrics department lie in its preference for natural births and antenatal preparation courses. Within the nationwide project 'Guide to Maternity Hospitals', organised by the Health Policy Institute (HPI), the Kežmarok Maternity Hospital has been steadily remained a hospital with the lowest number of caesarean sections.

# **Hospital Equipment**

The hospital has superior and semi-standard rooms in each ward. In the course of 2020, the hospital received modern instrumentation from the European Investment Funds under the IROP project and structural funds. These include new a CT machine, X-ray, USG, ECG, electric positioning beds, incubators, complete equipment of operating theatres and delivery room. The ICT infrastructure has also been upgraded, including high-speed internet connection and software equipment.

Since 1993, Kežmarok Hospital has been organising an annual professional national conference with international participation called Kežmarok Medical Days of Dr. Vojtech Alexander. The conference is multidisciplinary and is intended for the target group of doctors, nurses, midwives, nurse practitioners and paramedics.





**AGEL Komárno Hospital** was founded with the aim of providing quality and modern healthcare. The main activity of AGEL Hospital Komárno is not only inpatient health care in Komárno, but also health care for oncology patients. The hospital in Komárno with a 110-year history is the most important healthcare provider in the region.

## Care provided

The hospital has ten inpatient wards with 309 beds and associated units intensive care units. The hospital offers overnight medical care in 5 departments. There are also 10 other departments of joint investigation and treatment units. Outpatient care is provided in 28 specialist, specialised outpatient clinics, and the hospital has both a hospital and a public pharmacy.

## Medical achievements

In January 2021, the hospital opened its vaccination centre, and thanks to the good cooperation with the Nitra Self-Governing Region, the hospital vaccinates in three more Large Capacity Centres in Nitra, Šali and Štúrovo. The vaccination centres have administered a total of almost 232 000 doses of the Covid-19 vaccine. At the 49th Slovak and Czech Cerebrovascular Congress in Horní Smokovec in 2021, AGEL Komárno Hospital was recognized for having defended the most ANGELS AWARDS diamond plaques and also for having treated the most patients in Slovakia with intravenous thrombolysis. Head Nurse of the Department of Internal Medicine, Deputy for Nursing Care Department of AGEL Hospital Komárno Mgr. Monika Nesziová received the highest award of the AGEL Group – the Golden Aesculap in the Nurse of the Year 2020 category in Prague in 2021. She won it primarily for her work with patients in the Covid ward. AGEL Komárno Hospital will operate a hospital pharmacy from 1 June 2021. In the renovated premises, with new equipment and, above all, with the most modern and safe way of preparing cytostatics, this pharmacy is one of the first such comprehensively equipped hospital pharmacies in Slovakia.

# **Hospital Equipment**

After the launch of the Comprehensive Oncology Centre in Komárno, the hospital's greatest pride is the modern radiation oncology workplace with the latest equipment – a linear accelerator and a CT simulator. After the completion of the EU-funded project, the hospital will gain a new dimension in addition to a complex emergency room with state-of-the-art diagnostics, where it will be largely transformed from a pavilion-type facility to a barrier-free healthcare provision.





**AGEL Košice-Šaca Hospital** is a modern, dynamically developing hospital with an almost sixty-year history. It provides health care for an area with up to 200 000 inhabitants and the Burns and Reconstructive Surgery Clinic, as one of the one of only two specialised centres in the whole of Slovakia, providing services for four regions. The healthcare facility has won the INEKO survey three times in a row, in which it was awarded the title of Hospital of the Year in the general hospital category in 2019, 2020 and 2021. In 2016 it was certified by the International Football Federation as a FIFA Medical Centre of Excellence.

## Care provided

The hospital has nine clinics, eleven departments, nine specialised centres and more than one hundred and thirty outpatient clinics. The Diagnostic Centre, which is a leading centre in terms of the range and availability of superior examinations, as well as the Sport-Arthro Centre, which caters for several sports clubs, are among the top centres.

### Medical achievements

The Gynaecology and Obstetrics Clinic of the AGEL Košice-Šaca Hospital ranks among the top clinics in Slovakia and is the most sought-after maternity clinic in eastern Slovakia. Arecord number of babies were born here here in 2021 - more than 2000. The Neurology Department has been repeatedly awarded the GOLD STATUS for the care of patients who suffered a sudden stroke, and it received the highest possible award, the DIAMOND STATUS ESO ANGELS AWARDS, for the year 2020. Outstanding results are achieved by the Musculoskeletal and Sports Medicine Clinic, which also performs a number of unique surgical procedures in Slovakia and the Czech Republic.

# **Hospital Equipment**

Since 2015, the hospital has had a world-class Surgery Centre. In 2016, the Department of Radiology put into operation a modern MRI workplace with a unique open magnet, which allows for the examination of patients with morbid obesity, also allowing parents to stay with their children and the use of anaesthesia during the examination. In early 2021, the hospital expanded its equipment to include a state-of-the-art limb MRI scanner. AGEL Košice-Šaca Hospital is the first in the region to have two MRI machines. In 2019, the healthcare facility completely renovated the maternity ward and the postnatal ward. In order to improve the quality of health care in the field of emergency medicine, a new Urgent Reception with all modern imaging methodologies and an intervention room for minimally invasive procedures will be put into operation in the spring of 2022.





**AGEL Krompachy Hospital** is a provider of inpatient and outpatient health care for an area with 50 thousand inhabitants. It offers patients hospitalisation in 6 basic inpatient wards with 125 beds and treatment in 12 specialist outpatient clinics.

## Care provided

AGEL Krompachy Hospital has 6 bedded wards; it offers overnight medical care in the fields of surgery, gynaecology and obstetrics. In common examination and treatment units, the hospital has a clinical biochemistry department and a radiology department, which also includes a computed tomography department. The outpatient part of the hospital consists of twelve outpatient clinics.

#### Medical achievements

In the 'Guide to maternity hospitals' project, in the ranking of Slovak maternity hospitals by mothers for the year 2016, the maternity hospital was ranked first in the Košice region, and it also ranked high in the following. At the request of mothers, the hospital also collects cord blood.

# **Hospital Equipment**

The operating theatre of the surgical department consists of two modernised operating theatres, which meet the strictest operating requirements. Each inpatient ward is equipped with a superior room and the maternity ward also has a specially adapted room for the stay of a patient with a family member. The hospital is currently undergoing extensive renovation of the gynaecology and obstetrics ward with co-financing from EU funds, which should be completed in 02/2022.





**AGEL Krupina Hospital** has been a part of AGEL Zvolen Hospital since 1 December 2010. The aim was to create a model project of two semi-specialised modern hospitals, with one being an acute health care provider and the other focusing follow-up and aftercare. The Krupina hospital provides health care in a town with approximately 7900 inhabitants. It focuses on the treatment of chronically ill patients. Seventy employees work at the hospital in Krupina.

#### Care provided

AGEL Krupina Hospital has a surgical, internal and geriatric and orthopaedic outpatient clinic and 3 wards - an internal ward, a ward for the chronically ill and a radiology ward. The hospital treats over 23,000 patients on an outpatient basis every year.

## **Hospital Equipment**

This smaller hospital in AGEL SK's network of healthcare facilities is also making progress. It has two new standard rooms with modern equipment, which are part of the Department of the Chronically Ill, and the X-ray workplace has also received new equipment.





**AGEL Levice Hospital** became part of the AGEL Group in September 2017, employing over 630 employees. Its catchment area consists of over 160,000 inhabitants. It is one of the largest hospitals in the Nitra region. The hospital's goal is maximum client satisfaction by managing the quality of healthcare provided.

## Care provided

The hospital provides inpatient, outpatient diagnostic and curative-preventive health care, overnight health care, pharmaceutical care and services in the field of common examination and treatment components, as well as transport health services.

#### Medical achievements

The hospital's goal is to do everything medically and humanly possible to help patients regain their failing health. The Obstetrics and Gynaecology Department is becoming increasingly popular, and the number of babies born here is rising year on year. Mothers particularly appreciate the attitude of the doctors and nurses, as well as the opportunity to be in a superiorly equipped room after giving birth. The Slovak Chamber of Pharmacy has granted Levice Hospital the status of a Teaching Pharmacy.

# **Hospital Equipment**

Thanks to investments, the health facility is gradually changing and becoming more modern. The inpatient part of the orthopaedic ward was opened in 2021. A new orthopaedics outpatient clinic was launched, where we also provide medical care for paediatric patients. We have renovated the operating theatres, equipping it with modern anaesthesia and surgical equipment. In association with the expansion of health care provision, we have put into operation an internal outpatient clinic, a surgical outpatient clinic and an outpatient anaesthesiology and intensive care clinic in the polyclinic part of the hospital. On 22 December 2021, we started the emergency department with a modern radiodiagnostic workplace. Several inpatient units were renovated and modernised to provide health care services for patients with COVID-19.





**AGEL Levoča Hospital** provides healthcare for the inhabitants of the Spiš region and the surrounding areas according to the latest scientific and medical knowledge. The hospital provides a wide range of healthcare services and regional, inpatient and outpatient healthcare, and selected departments of the hospital are supra-regional.

## Care provided

The hospital currently has 302 beds and provides inpatient healthcare in 8 departments – anaesthesiology and intensive medicine, long-term intensive care unit, paediatric, surgical department, internal department, neurological and psychiatric department. The hospital also operates facilities for joint investigative components in the fields of clinical biochemistry, haematology and transfusiology and radiodiagnostics, with an MRI and CT scanner, which also performs minor interventional procedures such as punctures, biopsies and drainage, which are unique in this area. The hospital also operates a pathology and anatomy department, a department of physiotherapy, balneology and medical rehabilitation, specialised outpatient clinics, provides overnight health care services, and operates a public and hospital pharmacy.

#### **Medical achievements**

13 August 2019 was an important day for the neurology department of the Levoca hospital, when it was awarded international ESO awards – gold, platinum and diamond status of ESO Angels Awards for individual quarters of 2018.

# **Hospital Equipment**

The hospital has an emergency reception building, which will house operating theatres as well as new neurology, internal medicine and surgery outpatient clinics from 2021. The new state-of-the-art facilities also house a radiodiagnostic department with available X-ray, ultrasound, mammography, magnetic resonance imaging and CT scanning facilities. The hospital has also undergone other major renovations in the recent past, including the renovation of other individual pavilions.

#### **Awards**

AGEL Levoča Hospital is one of the fastest improving hospitals of the year according to the INEKO Institute; with 5.6 points, it improved the most of all general hospitals evaluated in the Hospital of the Year 2021 survey. In 2020, the hospital received ISO 9001 and ISO 14 001 quality certification. The hospital's staff boasts a number of awards, including the White Heart Award presented by the Slovak Chamber of Nurses and Midwives.





**AGEL Zlaté Moravce Hospital**, with a 145-year history, has been a member of the AGEL Group since 2017. The hospital provides health care in the family-friendly environment of a pleasant forest park.

## Care provided

AGEL Zlaté Moravce Hospital provides acute inpatient care in four wards, as well as overnight care. The hospital includes joint treatment and examination units and the outpatient part includes specialised outpatient clinics.

#### Medical achievements

The spectrum of provided health care was increased by the hospital by expanding the outpatient clinic of diabetes, metabolic and nutritional disorders, establishing a clinic for the treatment of non-healing wounds and stomas, and with the inpatient department of physiotherapy, balenology and medical rehabilitation. The plan for the near future is to set up an ICU in gynaecology and obstetrics and to comprehensively revitalise the surgical ward. Medical staff can boast various awards from the Nitra Self-Governing Region, the City of Zlaté Moravce and the White Heart awarded by the Chamber of Nurses and Midwives. In 2020, AGEL Zlaté Moravce Hospital was awarded 1st place in the Hospital Transparency Index of the Year 2020 in the category of private hospitals by the non-governmental organisation Transparency International Slovakia.

# **Hospital Equipment**

As part of the modernisation of buildings and structures, completely renovated the thermal management and radiology, revitalisation of the department for chronically ill patients, ICU of the internal medicine department, and surgical outpatient clinic, while renewing the construction part, electrical installations and their equipment. The quality of the services provided has been improved by the purchase of a PACS scanner, a C-arm X-ray machine, a laparoscopic setup, ultrasound machines, a laser, an anaesthesia machine and other modern equipment, which have significantly increased the quality of the services provided.





**AGEL Zvolen Hospital** is a general hospital that provides health care for approximately 120,000 inhabitants in the area. Its has workplaces in Zvolen, Krupina, Banská Bystrica and Detva. The aim is to provide comprehensive health care using modern medical knowledge by highly erudite and empathetic staff. The hospital employs over 700 people and treats approximately 14 thousand patients overnight, and 145 thousand patients pass through its outpatient clinics every year.

## Care provided

The hospital operates 9 inpatient wards, mostly focusing on overnight follow-up care in Krupina. In the outpatient sector, there are 3 primary outpatient clinics for children and adolescents and gynaecology, specialised outpatient clinics in 23 specialities, a JAS department and 6 SVLZ specialities.

#### Medical achievements

The hospital primarily provides obstetric care throughout its catchment area. It offers a special outpatient centre for the treatment of parkinsonism and extrapyramidal disorders, where a paediatric psychiatrist, a psychologist and a speech therapist work alongside neurologists. In Banská Bystrica, the hospital operates a highly specialised PET-CT workplace, which performs over 1,700 examinations every year.

# **Hospital Equipment**

In the past year, an investment of more than € 7 million was made, co-financed by the Structural Funds. This resulted in 3 modern operating theatres, a new OAIM inpatient unit and a modern emergency reception with diagnostic facilities. The investment also included medical equipment, including a CT scanner and an RDG machine. The hospital also added a new MRI machine with newly renovated premises and a newly equipped oncology outpatient clinic with an inpatient ward. The inpatient ward for chronic pain treatment is also a new facility.

# Nemocnica AGEL Zvolen





AGEL Skalica University Hospital is a private healthcare provider with an 80-year tradition and a comprehensive range of healthcare services, employing over 600 employees. With a capacity of over 300 beds, approximately 10 thousand hospital admissions are performed annually. In 2021, the hospital performed over 269 thousand outpatient examinations of more than 221 thousand patients, ambulance crews helped 3337 persons in distress, and 788 babies were; it also purchased new operating technology and innovated the equipment of the hospital's surgical departments, and modernised oncological treatment with a higher infusion therapy capacity and new sonograph devices. In 2021, a new first-contact outpatient clinic for children and adolescents and a new proctology outpatient clinic were opened.

## Care provided

In addition to outpatient clinics and inpatient wards, Skalica Hospital also operates laboratories, a hospital and a public pharmacy, an emergency medical service and a transport medical service. The departments have modern instrumentation, including laboratory diagnostics and radio-diagnostics. The continuity of the recovery process is ensured by linking high-tech diagnostics with surgery and subsequent rehabilitation.

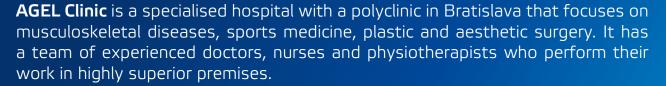
## Medical achievements and hospital equipment

AGEL Skalica University Hospital is a dynamically developing company that invests in space and equipment, introduces new diagnostic and therapeutic procedures and invests in the education of its employees. Investment activities in recent years have mostly been directed at the construction of a modern oncology unit, the modernisation of the gynaecology and obstetrics department, and the modernisation of premises and improvement of the management of examinations and treatment in the neurology department. Skalica Hospital is becoming a leader in the diagnosis and treatment of neurological diseases.

This is evidenced by the introduction of a modern method of brain perfusion CT scanning, which has fundamentally improved the possibilities of early diagnosis and the outlook for patients after a stroke. In the modernisation of the gynaecology and obstetrics ward, operating theatres and delivery rooms of the highest European standard were created.







## Care provided

AGEL Clinic is one of the most sought-after clinics in the field of movement medicine in Bratislava. The clinic has 14 specialised outpatient clinics and a digital radiodiagnostic workplace, and it performs surgeries in the overnight care mode in the field of orthopaedics, hand surgery and plastic surgery. Orthopaedic surgeries in the mode of one-day outpatient care focus on arthroscopic surgeries of the knee, shoulder, ankle and wrist, surgeries of the forefoot - halluxes, hammer toes, surgeries of Achilles tendon injuries, and extractions of osteosynthetic material. In the field of plastic surgery, it focuses on hand surgery and all common cosmetic surgery procedures.

# Hand Surgery Centre

The AGEL Clinic Hand Surgery Centre is the first centre with this focus in Slovakia. It was formed over several years, and it was established in 2021 under the leadership of MUDr. Tomas Heger, PhD., MPH, MHA.

The centre provides integrated and comprehensive medical care focusing on injuries, post-traumatic conditions and diseases of the upper limbs. Our physicians are specialists in this field, helping patients with a wide range of diagnoses involving the upper extremities from the elbow to the fingertips. The Hand Surgery Center works closely with our orthopedic surgeons, trauma surgeons, plastic surgeons and other specialists at AGEL Clinic, ensuring that our patients receive comprehensive, quality medical care.

# **Hospital Equipment**

It provides electrotherapy treatments, including magnet, laser and shock wave therapy, which uses acoustic waves to stimulate a local biological response in the treated tissue. We perform skeletal examinations with digital x-rays, we have an ultrasound machine, and we also perform electromyographic examinations. AGEL Clinic offers its clients high comfort, superior service, and optimally timed and coordinated examinations.





The AGEL Bratislava Hospital project has the ambition of becoming the first choice for patients by being a high-quality non-governmental medical facility, which will be equipped with the most modern rehabilitation technology, with the aim of diagnosing diseases at an early stage to prevent pathological movement patterns and postures in an effort to contribute to the optimal outcome of the patient towards maximum self-sufficiency.

A family atmosphere, an individualised approach to patients with respect to their specific requirements, dietary restrictions, demands and requirements, and superior equipment in terms of furniture and bedding will be among required standards. Considering all of the above, and especially with regard to the highly professional medical, nursing and rehabilitation treatment based on foreign standards, guideliness, processes and procedures, the AGEL Bratislava Hospital should clearly be in first place in the decision-making process, regardless of the additional charges.

The advantage of this private clinical facility is its attractive location on the outskirts of the preferred relaxation area of Bratislava, the synergy of the hospital's complementary and supportive services and, above all, the relaxation in a natural environment.

We want this facility to have the following attributes:

- » highly professional specialised medical care based on many years of foreign practical experience with a proven effect within the framework of Evidence Based Medicine,
- » pro-client individualised communication,
- » personalised service with counselling,
- » comprehensive management of patients from their request for admission to their discharge, and subsequent follow-ups of their health, superior hospital equipment and services provided.

## Specification of specialities

The hospital will have 86 beds that will be shared within:

- » inpatient rehabilitation wards after sudden strokes and after cardiac surgery,
- » long-term care wards, intended for follow-up care as an after-care complement to ongoing rehabilitation, with the advantage of prolonging it in these beds.





**AGEL FOUNDATION** is a non-governmental, non-profit organization whose main goal is to support humanitarian activities in the field of healthcare. The purpose of the AGEL FOUNDATION is to offer help to those who need it most and to promote interest in natural, humane help directed to people who find themselves in a difficult life situation. Since its inception, it has helped 425 applicants and its support has exceeded EUR 300 000.

## The purpose of the AGEL FOUNDATION

All-round support of humanitarian activities of legal and natural persons pursuing generally beneficial objectives, with particular emphasis on support of projects and activities of a health and social nature and projects and activities in the field of education in healthcare, support of the development of healthcare, and support of the comprehensive development of diagnostic and therapeutic methods dealing with the issue of cancer patients in particular. The Foundation contributes to the equipment of medical facilities in order to improve the conditions and environment for patients. It supports research, development and outreach programmes aimed at prevention, diagnostics and and treatment of cancer patients in particular, but it also finances research and training of specialists, especially in the fields of oncology, cardiology, cytology, neurology, orthopaedics, rehabilitation and gastroenterology, including foreign internships and study stays.

# Short summary of the Foundation's activities

The Foundation supports individuals and legal entities with disabilities. It supports and participates in charity events, organizes winter and summer sports games for the handicapped and children from centres for children and families, organizes clothing collections, and regularly visits homes and social service centres. It supplies protective clothing and disinfectant gels for children and 'Well-being Packs' for the elderly. It helps organise children's days, and at the end of the year prepares gifts for children in children and family centres, mothers and children in shelters and seniors, in cooperation with the staff of healthcare facilities.

AGEL FOUNDATION's priority is long-term support and help for people with disabilities and people in difficult life situations.





AGEL ACADEMY primary mission is to support basic and experimental research and development in interdisciplinary cooperation with research institutions and universities in the field of medical, natural, technical, humanities and social sciences.

The association provides assistance in the modernisation and introduction of new therapies related to healthcare delivery and supports lifelong learning for employees of AGEL SK Group's healthcare facilities. AGEL ACADEMY presents the results of the association's scientific research activities through seminars, scientific conferences and congresses and other educational events in the field of science and research. It participates as a partner of financially stable applicants for non-repayable financial contributions from European Structural Funds in areas with a scientific focus. It expands its team with additional scientific staff on the basis of interdisciplinary cooperation in the field of science and research, and supports the modernisation of curative and preventive care and newly introduced medical procedures by procuring specific instrumentation. The association is also involved in research into the prevention, diagnosis and therapy of childhood thermal injuries, critical lower limb ischaemia (stem cell research), orthopaedic and traumatological diseases and sports medicine diseases, as well as research into oncological diseases and reconstructive surgical procedures following breast ablation. AGEL ACADEMY also supports scientific research activities in the field of oncology, organizes events aimed at promoting psycho-social and physical rehabilitation of post-traumatic conditions in children, and supports lecturing and publishing activities.

## The mission of the AGEL ACADEMY Civic Association is:

- » to promote the improvement of any medical-preventive care on an international level,
- » to promote the improvement and ensure the modernisation of instruments, tools and equipment used in the provision of health care,
- » all-round support of medical science and research,
- » support for the education of medical students at universities and secondary school,
- » the organisation of international and national conferences and congresses, or professional events,
- » support for post-traumatic rehabilitation.







**Vzdelávací, vedecký a výskumný inštitút AGEL n.o.** will provide health care, social assistance and humanitarian care. It will also focus on education, upbringing and development of physical culture, research, development, scientific and technical services and information services. The Institute will promote the improvement of all medical-preventive care on an international level, improving and ensuring the modernisation of instruments, tools and equipment used in the provision of healthcare.

There will also be space for organizing international and national conferences and congresses, as well as professional events. The Institute's activities will also be aimed at promoting medical science and research and supporting the education of medical students at universities and secondary schools, as well as overall support for the protection of the health of the population and prevention.





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