UF Health Shands Pediatric E.R. and Pediatrics After Hours services provide families with a convenient, one-stop children's health center for urgent after-hours and emergency care.

UF Health Pediatrics After Hours is a collaborative effort with community pediatricians and UF Health pediatricians treating children with urgent primary care needs.

Focused on patient safety and outstanding quality care, the UF Health Shands Pediatric E.R. and Pediatrics After Hours feature:

- A separate entrance to welcome children and families
- Free valet parking and nearby parking garage for fast access
- Kid-friendly, nautical-themed design with fun and colorful artwork and furniture, including fish tanks, porthole windows and walls painted to simulate waves
- The latest technology designed specifically for pediatric patients
- The capacity to treat up to 24,000 pediatric emergency patients annually
UF Health Shands Pediatric E.R. Facts:

- Open 24/7 for patients ages 17 and under
- 13 private treatment rooms and five observation bays
- Two waiting rooms—one for sick children and one for well children
- Two exam rooms, specifically designed for children with communicable diseases
- Two resuscitation rooms
- Private room for radiology imaging (X-rays) with state-of-the-art, low-dose radiation equipment designed for young patients
- One conscious-sedation room for casting broken bones and stitching wounds
- Family consultation room for private conversations with staff
- Nurses station with the most technologically advanced equipment specifically designed to treat children and young adults
- Care provided by University of Florida pediatric emergency medicine physicians with access to more than 20 pediatric specialties at UF Health Shands Children’s Hospital

UF Health Shands Pediatrics After Hours Facts:

- Evening and weekend appointment-only urgent visit services for patients who receive care from a participating Gainesville pediatrician
- Five private treatment rooms
- One patient procedure room
- Access to radiology imaging (X-rays) and lab services
- Care provided by UF Health pediatricians and nurses with access to more than 20 pediatric specialties at UF Health Shands Children’s Hospital