



RTH Foundation Knowledge Base Article

Medical Tourism Provides Patients Access to Hospitals That Offer Advanced Healing Treatments

We live in a world where tera-bites of data resides in our cell phone, but many people lack the knowledge they can receive high quality healthcare outside of their home country.

Many highly developed countries such as the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom have great healthcare services, but patients can face high cost, long wait times or be denied access to advanced medical procedures and treatments by their home country.

Over the last decade these and other factors have driven what is today known as the Medical Tourism Industry. This unique industry is now very large and very effective in delivering cross-border quality healthcare, often at lower costs to the patient.

An organization, Patients Beyond Borders define a medical traveler as anyone who travels across international borders for the purpose of receiving medical care. They estimate the global market size of the Medical Tourism Industry at up to \$88 billion, with between 20-24 million cross-border patients worldwide, annually. They estimate 1.9 million Americans will travel outside the US for medical care during 2019.

The BCM developed and RHT Foundation offered organ tissue regenerative replacements procedures is a major advancement in human organ healing. The result of such a dramatic advancement is that some countries have approved the BCM technologies, processes and procedures, while other countries have not addressed these advancements.

To assure patients timely access to these new BCM regenerative replacements treatment, the RHT Foundation has joined with a few counties and high-quality hospitals to provide these treatment services.

For a current list of these approved counties and quality hospitals select the Service Directory tab [Service Directory].

To become a potential candidate to receive these advanced regenerative replacements treatments, complete and submit data at the online Tissue Replacement Healing List ("TRH List").