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## President's Message

Submitted by Michelle Macias, MD



Greetings to all SDBP members! I hope everyone has had a great summer and found time for vacation and some relaxation. We are entering the SDBP's busiest time of year as we prepare for our Annual Meeting. We have a fantastic meeting planned, under our able Program Committee Co-Chairs, Drs. Nancy Lanphear and Robyn Mehlenbeck. Dr. Mark Batshaw is the recipient of our 2013 Lectureship Award, and is internationally known for his work with metabolic and other developmental disorders. He is the author of the well-known reference book, *Children with Disabilities*, now in its 7th edition.

This has been an incredibly busy year for SDBP, and things did not slow down for the summer. We have been hard at work implementing our updated Strategic Plan. As I have mentioned in a previous column, we want to keep our vision, mission, and goals as a living document and reflective of challenges as well as advancements in our field. We must also be responsive to the changes in health care that are occurring in order to maintain our viability. We care for the most vulnerable of populations and they need our help in advocating for their needs. In the changing health policies landscape we must find a way to continue our unique and important contributions to health care.

The success of our organization can be measured by our accomplishments and state-of-the-art programs. Our committees are continually working on advancing our goals in research, education, and practice and are focused on sustaining the viability of our field. Our committees and Special Interest Groups will meet at our annual meeting in Baltimore, and welcome member and trainee involvement. This is a great way to get involved in the inner workings of SDBP, and I know you will find this aspect of your membership to be very rewarding.

I will end this column with a look back at our past. Sadly, we have very recently lost 3 pioneers in developmental-behavioral pediatrics. All three men were giants in our field, and all would agree our field would not be what it is without their contributions. They all strongly advocated in one way or another for the importance of psychosocial issues in pediatrics, something that we completely take for granted at this time. It seems hard to fathom that this wasn't always the case. Dr. Stan Friedman was the first president of SDBP and a longtime editor of the *Journal of Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrics*, and a man with a vision that spawned a specialty. Dr. Morris Green was known for instituting family-centered care in pediatrics. Dr. John Kennell was also a president of SDBP and known for his seminal work on maternal infant contact and the importance of trained companions during labor and delivery for successful outcomes. It is very hard to concisely state the contributions of these 3 men, and their importance to our field cannot be overestimated. We [have memorials on the SDBP website](#) to allow for member tributes of these great men. We plan to have something available at our meeting for members to write memories of Drs. Friedman, Green, and Kennell that can be given to their families. I

hope it brings some measure of comfort to them knowing in what high esteem the Society held them.

I hope to see all of you at our upcoming meeting. I have greatly enjoyed serving as your President this last year, and am most appreciative for the opportunity. I was completely supported by the tireless contributions of our dedicated Executive Committee and Board of Directors. I am especially indebted to the extraordinary Laura Degnon, Amy Schull, and Daglyn Carr. I could not have done it without you!

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## Advocacy Committee

*Adiaha Franklin, MD, MPH and Anne Kinsman, JD, PhD*

The Advocacy Committee is very excited about their concurrent session they have planned for this year's Annual Meeting. It is entitled "Policy: How to Communicate with Your Legislator to Effect Policy Change" and will be offered on Monday, September 30, 2013. The Committee has worked diligently to develop an engaging, interactive workshop-type of concurrent session. We have a nationally renowned expert who will help conduct the session, and we are using innovative methods to make the policy discussion memorable. Come ready to work (and have fun)!

The Advocacy Committee continues to use the SDBP Discussion Board as a means of communicating policy issues to the entire SDBP membership. This keeps our members informed of critical policy changes that could negatively affect the lives of the children and families we serve.

As always, the Advocacy Committee is looking for new participants who have an interest and passion in advocating for children with disabilities. The Advocacy Committee meets at the Annual Meeting and by periodic conference calls. Please email Adiaha Franklin ([spinks@bcm.edu](mailto:spinks@bcm.edu)) or Anne Kinsman ([AKinsman@ghs.org](mailto:AKinsman@ghs.org)) for more information.

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## Education Committee

*Carolyn Bridgemohan, MD and Viren D'Sa, MD*

The pre-meeting Teaching Workshop will be held on Friday, September 27, 2013. This year we are featuring two workshops focused on the ACGME's Milestones Project and the American Board of Pediatrics' move to Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs). This new era in medical education promises to be exciting but challenging for those of us who provide DBP training. These workshops will provide information on adapting programs to meet the new standards. The workshop will have breakout sessions highlighting curriculum development, use of electronic medical records in transitions for children with special healthcare needs, case-based learning in DBPeds, and faculty development in speaking and presentation skills. Please check the Annual Meeting schedule for details.

As outlined in the last newsletter, the Education Committee has moved to a 3-workgroup model this year to match the SDBP Strategic Plan: the *Education Workshop Workgroup* is led by Viren D'Sa, MD, the *Curriculum Workgroup* is led by Franklin Trimm, MD, and the *eResources Workgroup* is led by Carolyn Bridgemohan, MD. The eResources workgroup will make information from this year's Teaching Workshop available on the Member's Only portal of SDBP's website. The eResources Workgroup continues to expand the Education Committee's page on the SDBP website to include portals for sharing information such as teaching strategies and evaluation tools. These efforts coupled with the use of a thriving Discussion Board will foster dialogue and dissemination of updates pertaining to DBP training/education among members of the Education Committee and the SDBP at large.

Attendees at the Annual Meeting are more than welcome to join us at the Education Committee's meeting. Please refer to the Meeting schedule for the day, time and location of this meeting. We thank you for your continued enthusiasm in DBP education!

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## Fellowship Training Committee

*Jill Fussell, MD and Maris Rosenberg, MD*

The charge of the Fellowship Training Committee is to support the advancement of fellowship training in DBP. The committee disseminates information and provides consultation to fellowship program directors. The following are some of the ways we have been working to help our fellows:

- The Mentor Match has been a constructive activity for our fellows and junior faculty. The committee will continue to pair fellows and junior faculty with more senior faculty across programs and disciplines according to research and career interests.
- The ACGME is currently crafting the Next Accreditation System (NAS), the outcome-based evaluation system utilizing *Milestones* and *Entrustable Professional Activities* (EPAs) to assess competency. Members of the Fellowship Training Committee have been involved in development of specialty-specific milestones and EPAs and will provide a report on this project at the pre-meeting education program at the 2013 Annual meeting in Baltimore.
- For the first time, DBP Fellowship Programs will be using the ERAS (Electronic Residency Application Service) common application in the coming fall subspecialty match. All DBP Program Directors should have received an e-mail dated June 28, 2013 with instructions on installing program software, log-in information, and other details. Those who have not received this communication or have other questions should contact Jennifer Nelson, the ERAS Fellowship Programs Relations Specialist, at [jnelson@aamc.org](mailto:jnelson@aamc.org) and/or DBP Fellowship Training Committee Chairs: Jill Fussell ([fusselljillj@uams.edu](mailto:fusselljillj@uams.edu)) and Maris Rosenberg ([maris.rosenberg@einstein.yu.edu](mailto:maris.rosenberg@einstein.yu.edu))

We look forward to welcoming all program directors and faculty interested in fellowship training to our Fellowship PD lunch at the Annual Meeting. Please forward your ideas for discussion topics to Jill or Maris.

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## Membership Committee

*Gray Buchanan, PhD and H. Lynn Starr, MD, Co-Chairs*

The Membership Committee remains focused on increasing overall membership in SDBP, while continuing to accomplish the priorities started in 2011. In addition to our ongoing activities designed to increase the diversity of the SDBP by subspecialty, discipline, ethnicity, race, and age, we have identified more initiatives to ensure our ability to retain members in the society.

We recently updated the information on the SDBP website to ensure clarity around membership opportunities for non-doctoral professionals, and we are reviewing additional potential website updates to include information on our Partnership for Diversity Initiative. We are also reviewing the process for membership applications for Developing World Professionals. By streamlining this process, we hope to continue to advance DBPeds and SDBP globally.

Membership numbers are positive; however, we have a number of members who have not yet renewed their memberships for 2013. These members should have received e-mail notification with directions instructing them how to renew on-line. Renewal of membership before the Annual Meeting will ensure a discounted registration fee. Members can check their membership status on the SDBP website at any time.

As the annual conference approaches, we are looking forward to holding a social hour for new members and meeting attendees just prior to Saturday night's reception. If you know someone new to our organization is planning to attend the SDBP meeting in Baltimore, please make sure to let them know about this event!

We welcome new members on our committee and hope that both old and new members will expand their involvement in SDBP by joining the membership committee. Please contact Gray or Lynn if you would like to learn more about our initiatives and how you can help.

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## Practice Issues Committee

*Becky Baum, MD and Neel Soares, MD*

The Practice Issues Committee's goal is to promote best practice in interprofessional models of DBPeds care. Recently, the committee has focused on examining the financial feasibility and sustainability of a DBP practice. The committee has resolved that DBP practitioners have to emphasize two key concepts: efficiency and value. To address these priorities, the committee is offering an innovative workshop entitled "Efficient Models of DBP Care: Making It Work for You!" at the upcoming Annual Meeting. The workshop will use a panel to discuss successful models of efficient care, including triage encounters, outpatient appointments, post-visit activities, and care coordination. This workshop will also feature a health economist from Johns Hopkins to provide a "big picture" perspective as we discuss the concept of value. Our goal is to ensure that issues important to our patients and families are maintained as we improve efficiency. This workshop will include views from academic and community-based practitioners. To keep the workshop highly interactive, the number of available slots to participate in this workshop will be limited, so please sign up as early as possible.

The Practice Issues Committee is always looking for energetic new members. Please feel free to join us at the Annual Meeting if you'd like to get involved.

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## Early Childhood Special Interest Group

*Robin Adair, MD and Heike Minnich, PsyD*

The Early Childhood Special Interest Group (EC-SIG) and its workgroups have been very active this year. The Postpartum Maternal Mood and Anxiety Disorders workgroup is developing a partnership with Postpartum Support International to develop a webinar. This workgroup is also examining screening for postpartum depression during well child visits. Regulation of practices is different across states, presenting challenges in implementing programs to conduct the screening in primary care. Similarly, the Early Intervention workgroup is also encountering differences in Early Intervention eligibility criteria across states.

The NICU Follow-up workgroup is working on a survey to gather information on which pediatric services are following specific groups of NICU graduates. Together with the AAP Section on Perinatal Pediatrics, this workgroup is submitting a letter of intent to the AAP to outline their plans to develop a Technical Report.

The Positive Parenting workgroup developed and conducted a very successful workshop on Promotion of Positive Parenting During Pediatric Visits at PAS in spring 2013 and will be re-submitting the workshop for PAS 2014. They are currently developing a position paper on positive parenting.

The three Screening workgroups (Development; Autism; Social-emotional) will be merged into one workgroup. This workgroup is considering several proposed project ideas, including screening for school readiness.

Membership of the EC-SIG and its work groups is open to all interested SDBP members, who can join by contacting either co-chair and/or attending the EC-SIG meeting at the annual SDBP meeting. Please check the final schedule for the date and time of the EC-SIG meeting at the annual SDBP meeting in Baltimore.

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## SDBP 2013 Annual Meeting Update!

*Submitted by Nancy Lanphear, MD and Robyn Mehlenbeck, MD*

September 27-30, 2013  
Renaissance Baltimore Harbor Place  
Baltimore, MD

The Program committee has been hard at work again and is excited to welcome our members and guests to Baltimore. This year's meeting is once again shaping up to be an exciting meeting, and is sure to meet the needs of our assorted membership!

We have made some changes to the programming as well as kept many of the popular sessions of previous meetings. The modifications address feedback from prior years and broaden the options that our attendees have.

Friday begins, as usual, with the Education Committee's, Teaching DBPeds workshop, a venue to discuss how we teach the topic of Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics.

Saturday again offers the pre-meeting workshops and we believe that we have a wide range of offerings to entice you to come early!

We have less on Saturday night planned and hope that you find a friend or friends to share an evening meal.

Sunday dawns early with committees first up at 7:00am (please take a look at the schedule, find a committee that might be of interest, then come down and see what it's all about)!

The big changes start here. Breaking with tradition, our meeting will kick off with the keynote speaker, Dr. Batshaw. Later in the morning, we will have concurrent platform sessions designed to suit your interests and learning needs.

We have added an additional poster symposia on Monday, as this is a venue for learning and conversation.

The SDBP Discussion Board that was launched last year is gaining in popularity as a resource for the membership. This year, we've invited speakers and presenters to post information and/or questions about their talks prior to, during and after the meeting. Please feel free to join the discussion and/or start your own! The [discussion board can be accessed here](#).

We hope that you find the meeting informative and rejuvenating! We continue to look at ways to tweak the meeting and look forward to feedback, please be sure to fill out the online evaluation.

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## Member Profile: Nerissa Bauer, MD

*Submitted by the Research Committee*

Real-world barriers that confront general pediatricians as they manage developmental-behavioral problems, such as the lack of time and community resources, inspire the research of Nerissa Bauer, MD, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Indiana University. Dr. Bauer's work focuses on developing systems to support the identification and management of common behavioral issues in the primary care setting. Her first paper described her experiences adapting an evidence-based parent management curriculum (Incredible Years®) to teach pediatric residents basic child behavior management techniques. Her adaptation includes interactive sessions using video vignettes, along with "hands on" clinical and community experiences to help with consolidation of skills. Other studies examined pediatric providers' experiences using the multimedia Parenting Wisely-Young Children program and piloted brief interventions to support positive parenting using children's books with specific parenting content. She has also investigated efficient and clinically relevant ways to detect and manage postpartum depression in the primary care setting, as well as preschool behavior and psychosocial risk factors, including intimate partner violence, parental depression and secondhand smoke exposure.

Currently, Dr. Bauer is conducting a study exploring the use of a group visit model to improve ADHD management in pediatric primary care. She has developed a curriculum for parents and worked with a child psychologist on a companion child curriculum. Her research team is studying the feasibility and acceptability of this ADHD group visit curriculum in busy pediatric clinics. In addition, Dr. Bauer is interested in exploring the use of health information technology to support adherence to clinical care guidelines and has been involved in numerous studies related to the use of computer decision support for autism, ADHD and developmental screening.

Originally from Illinois, Dr. Bauer completed her medical training at the University of Nevada School of Medicine after her family re-located to Las Vegas. She went on to complete her pediatric residency training at the University of California, San Diego. She stayed on to pursue an additional clinical year focusing on developmental-behavioral pediatrics under the mentorship of Dr. Martin T. Stein where she honed her skills in dealing with psychosocial and behavioral issues in pediatrics. She then moved to Seattle to complete a National Research Service Award (NRSA) fellowship at the University of Washington and earned her Master's degree in Public Health in Health Policy. At that time, she also helped to start a foster care clinic at Harborview Medical Center and conducted research examining childhood bullying.

In 2006, Dr. Bauer joined the faculty at Indiana University School of Medicine in the Department of General Pediatrics and the Section of Children's Health Services Research. She is an active member of SDBP and currently serves as an executive committee member on the AAP SODBP. She is on the SDBP Research Committee and a co-leader for the Positive Parenting workgroup of the Early Childhood SIG. She would love to hear from SDBP members

with similar interests. She can be contacted at [nsbauer@iu.edu](mailto:nsbauer@iu.edu).

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## Member Highlights

*Submitted by Heidi M Feldman, MD, PhD*

Pleased to announce the publication of my book, entitled *Redesigning Health Care for Children with Disabilities: Strengthening Inclusion, Contribution, and Health*.

I am hoping it will generate meaningful improvements in how we deliver health care.

Check it out: <http://products.brookespublishing.com/Redesigning-Health-Care-for-Children-with-Disabilities-P699.aspx>

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*Submitted by H. Lynn Starr, MD, FAAP*

Adiaha Spinks Franklin was featured recently on a nationally-syndicated radio program talking about autism. She did a fantastic job! You can see what she had to say by [clicking here](#).

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## Student Spotlight

*Submitted by Nicole Dempster, MA on behalf of the Trainee/Recent Graduate Committee*

**Brandon S. Aylward**, Ph.D. was the 2011 recipient of the SDBP Research Award. The award supported a longitudinal, prospective study of adherence to medication and lifestyle recommendations in adolescents with chronic headache using innovative technology (e.g., wireless sleep system, electronic medication monitoring, smartphone application). He continues to focus his research on incorporating innovative technology to better understand and predict treatment outcomes in children with chronic illnesses. "Medical providers have been frustrated with poor adherence with daily symptom diaries," says Dr. Aylward, "we can use these available technologies to monitor day-to-day fluctuations in real-time which inform best practice management." Because many children are not seen by headache specialists across the country, he is currently working to extend this research by collaboratively developing a software program to assist pediatricians in differentially diagnosing, treating, and managing patients with headaches.

Dr. Aylward is Assistant Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at Emory University School of Medicine and Children's Hospital of Atlanta in the Divisions of Pediatric Neurology and Sibley Heart Center. He earned his doctorate in Clinical Child Psychology at the University of Kansas where he also completed a minor in Quantitative Psychology. After completing his predoctoral psychology internship at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center (CCHMC) in 2010, he continued a 3-year post doctoral program at CCHMC where he furthered his clinical research in technological advances.

Dr. Aylward was recently awarded a seed pilot grant from Georgia Institute of Technology and Children's Healthcare of Atlanta as the principal investigator to develop a platform to assist caregivers of infants with congenital heart disease (CHD) post-surgery. Dr. Aylward and his collaborators are developing a mobile application to provide educational materials and videos to caregivers around feeding, allow for direct two-way communication with the medical team, and allow for health-related information to be prospectively gathered to assess variations in feeding behaviors and development. "This two-way 'on the go' communication helps parents early on and keeps the team intermittently apprised of their situation," says Dr. Aylward.

Dr. Aylward is very active in attending conferences discussing new technological developments and their utility. He states "there has been such a sharp change in mobile health perspectives in the past ten years, and health technology is changing quickly by the day." Dr. Aylward has established partnerships with several leading technology start-up companies that utilize mobile health technology to better understand and assess adherence behaviors and has started working with these companies to test the efficacy of these products in clinical practice. He currently has submitted several grants to fund this work.

"I continue to attend SDBP because of the wonderful collaborators in the field and their ongoing support of my career." Dr. Aylward states that his graduate advisors emphasized the importance being open to new opportunities as they present themselves, and he believes this

has helped him forge the connections and collaborations that have helped his research be successful and have also provided him with a diverse skillset during his training and career. He believes this outlook underpins his commitment to SDBP, where physicians of all different clinical and research foci come together to create innovative approaches and interdisciplinary collaborations. Dr. Aylward is also the statistical editor for the Journal of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics since 2010.

During his leisure time, Dr. Aylward enjoys cheering on his favorite college football and basketball teams, exploring his new city of Atlanta, and repurposing furniture.

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If you would like to submit an ad for our newsletter or website, please send this directly to [info@sdbp.org](mailto:info@sdbp.org). Artwork and company logos will not be accepted.

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### Available Positions

**Position: Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician at the Assistant or Associate Professor level**  
**Posted 09/11/13**

**Description:** The Division of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics at UMASS-Memorial Children's Medical Center and the University of Massachusetts Medical School has an opening for a full-time academically-oriented Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician at the Assistant or Associate Professor level. The Division is composed of full-time and part-time professional faculty. Opportunities exist to develop new clinical and research initiatives, or to collaborate with existing programs that cross a broad spectrum of DBP topic areas. Responsibilities include clinical care in subspecialty area, teaching medical students, pediatric residents and other post-graduate students, and the initiation/continuation of research.

Candidates should be Board-Certified or Board-Eligible in Pediatrics and Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrics, have a strong interest in clinical care, teaching and a clear commitment towards research. The Department of Pediatrics is a growing, vibrant setting for professional development. The Medical Center is located 40 miles west of Boston, with easy access to all that the New England region has to offer. Salary is very competitive and the benefits package is generous.

**Contact:** Interested applicants should submit a C.V. and all inquiries to : Dr. William Garrison, Director of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics, UMASS-Memorial Children's Medical Center, A2-215, 55 Lake Avenue North,

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**Position: Director, Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics  
Posted 09/11/13**

Description: Akron Children's Hospital has an outstanding opportunity for a Director, of Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics. The NeuroDevelopmental Science Center (NDSC) seeks a dynamic, strategic-minded individual with demonstrated leadership experience in clinical practice, research and medical education. The candidate we seek will be Board Certified in Pediatrics as well as Developmental Pediatrics or Neurodevelopmental Disabilities. The selected candidate will require experience working in and fostering a diverse faculty, staff and student environment, or possess a commitment to do so, as a faculty member at Northeast Ohio Medical University.

The NDSC brings together 6 pediatric specialties - Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Physiatry, Neuropsychology and Psychology under one roof to deliver the best outcomes and quality of life for patients. This opportunity will provide the unique opportunity to work with Dr. John Duby, President- Elect of the Society of Developmental Pediatrics.

Under the leadership of Dr. Roger Hudgins, Director of Neurosurgery and the NeuroDevelopmental Science Center and Dr. John Duby, FAAP, Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics and the NDSC's Director of Education, the NDSC provides a multidisciplinary approach to specialty services for children including but not limited to:

- Attention and Learning Disorders
- Autism or Asperser syndrome,
- Behavioral and Emotional Disorders
- Cognitive Disabilities and delayed development
- Coordination Disorders
- Fragile X syndrome, Down syndrome and other genetic conditions
- High Risk NICU graduates
- Language Disorders
- Myelodysplasia and other physical disabilities

Akron Children's Hospital offers fellowship training programs in Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics, Neuropsychology and Psychology.

[Hospital Overview](#)  
Akron Children's Hospital is the largest pediatric healthcare system in Northeast Ohio, serving over 600,000 patients each year. With two free-standing pediatric hospitals and 20+ primary care offices, the Akron Children's Hospital system provides services at nearly 80

locations across an urban, suburban and rural region of Ohio. The services and subspecialties at Akron Children's the hospital span the entire scope of medical services available today - from routine and preventative care to emerging technologies in surgery and patient care.

Akron Children's is dedicated to family-centered care, and improving the treatment of childhood illness and injury through research at the Rebecca D. Considine Clinical Research Institute. Quality is a strategic focus of Akron Children's Hospital through the Mark A. Watson Center for Operations Excellence, using tools such as Lean Six Sigma.

#### Community Overview

Akron Children's Hospital is set in the beautiful Cuyahoga Valley, just minutes south of Cleveland. From major league attractions to small-town appeal, the greater Akron area and Northeast Ohio has something for everyone. The area is rich in history and cultural diversity, and provides a stimulating blend of outstanding educational, cultural and recreational resources. This four-season community will have outdoor enthusiasts thrilled with over 40,000 acres of Metro Parks for year round enjoyment. Northeast Ohio is gaining a reputation as a world-class center for research and development in a variety of high-tech industries, and has become a premiere destination to work, live, play, shop and dine!

Contact: To learn more, visit our website at [www.akronchildrens.org](http://www.akronchildrens.org) or call our physician recruitment department at 330-543-5082.

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**Position: BC/BE pediatrician**  
**Posted 09/04/13**

Description: The Department of Pediatrics at Boston University School of Medicine/Boston Medical Center (BMC) is seeking a BC/BE pediatrician to join our innovative primary care practice starting in October 2013. BMC is the major teaching affiliate of Boston University School of Medicine. Our multidisciplinary group--the Comprehensive Care Program- provides a team approach for primary care to medically and socially complex children and families, functioning alongside the Department primary care practice that cares for close to 12,000 urban pediatric patients and young adult patients (25,000 visits/year). Our outpatient and inpatient services are center of innovation in quality-minded, integrated care. Our program provides enhanced and coordinated care for parents and their children, as well as outreach and social work services. We provide clinical experiences for residents in the Boston Combined Residency in Pediatrics, and conduct clinical research aimed at improving care for urban underserved children.

Contact: Interested candidates should email cover letter and CV to Jack Maypole, MD, Director of Comprehensive Care Program, Boston Medical Center, 850 Harrison Avenue, ACC5, Boston, MA 02118 at [jack.maypole@bmc.org](mailto:jack.maypole@bmc.org) Boston University School of Medicine is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are strongly encouraged to apply

Jack Maypole, MD Director, Comprehensive Care Program (CCP) @  
Boston Medical Center.

Phone: 617-414-4773, Fax 617-414-4547  
Medical Director, SPARK program

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**Position: Developmental-Behavioral or Neurodevelopmental  
Pediatrician  
Silicon Valley (San Jose and other Santa Clara County  
cities) CALIFORNIA  
Posted 09/04/13**

Description: KidScope Assessment Center for Developmental & Behavioral Health successfully **bridges Pediatric and Mental Health** services in Santa Clara County with 3 developmental-behavioral pediatricians, 3 psychiatrists, 10 infant-child-adolescent mental health clinicians, and 2 Parents Helping Parents staff. We have helped create a **multi-agency county-wide screening, assessment and treatment collaborative for 0-5 years olds** in which only those presenting with more complex issues are seen at KidScope by a team with psychology, speech-language pathology and occupational therapy. **Older children are seen individually**, with case management and mental health therapy support available as needed.

We are also members of Santa Clara Valley Health & Hospital System's robust **Pediatric Department** of approximately 50 primary care and 50 pediatric subspecialists, working at a new, state-of-the-art hospital and 6 outpatient clinics. As a uniquely county owned and operated tertiary medical center with wide community support, Valley Medical Center is the **largest provider of medical care in Silicon Valley**, is the only one with a 100% open door policy, and serves a wonderfully diverse ethnic mix.

This is a 1.0 FTE **clinical position** available 1/1/2014 to assess children and adolescents with **combined developmental and behavioral concerns**, including suspected Autism Spectrum Disorders, Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders, Developmental Delays, Intellectual Disabilities, complex Disruptive-Attention-Hyperactivity-Anxiety Disorders, and children with prior diagnoses who remain emotionally or behaviorally unstable despite Primary Care and/or Mental Health treatments. We provide **short term psychotropic medication management** and can access more comprehensive Mental Health services readily. We also **teach** Stanford residents, who come to KidScope during their developmental-behavioral rotation.

As Santa Clara County employees, we enjoy **highly competitive salaries and excellent comprehensive benefits**. San Jose offers all the cultural opportunities you'd expect in the 10th largest US city, but with low crime rate, **year round bicycling weather**, and easy access to the rest of the San Francisco Bay Area and Santa Cruz-Monterey-Big Sur. Santa Clara Valley Health & Hospital System is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Contact: Meera Sukumaran MD, Co-Director, KidScope  
828 S Bascom Ave, Suite 100, San Jose CA 95128  
phone: (408) 793-5776; fax: (408) 793-5955  
e-mail: [meera.sukumaran@hhs.sccgov.org](mailto:meera.sukumaran@hhs.sccgov.org)

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**Position: Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrician**  
**Posted 08/28/13**

Description: **You know what you want in a Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrics position.**

**We know where you can find it.**

**Baystate Health is seeking a Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrician to join Baystate** Children's Hospital in Springfield, MA. We value innovative thinkers and are seeking a physician that will thrive and grow in a direct service position that also allows for teaching and research opportunities. Candidates must be fellowship trained in Behavioral & Developmental Pediatrics or Neurodevelopmental Pediatrics.

Baystate Health places a high value on the Patient Centered Medical Home model and this is an opportunity for the right physician to develop a subspecialty niche and expand professional interests and leadership skills.

Our hospitals and practices are just steps from the ivy-covered buildings of prestigious colleges and universities, and we enjoy easy access to Boston, New York City, the snow-covered slopes of Vermont, and the beaches of the Cape and Islands. Learn more by visiting:

<http://www.choosebaystatehealth.org/DBPed/SDBP>

Contact: Melissa Hale, Physician Careers Liaison  
Phone: 413-794-2624 Fax: 413-794-5059  
Email: [Melissa.Hale@baystatehealth.org](mailto:Melissa.Hale@baystatehealth.org)

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**Position: BE/BC Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrician**  
**Posted 08/27/13**

Description: Kadlec Clinic is seeking a full-time BE/BC Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrician to join our expanding team in delivering high quality, comprehensive care to the communities we serve regionally. We seek a dynamic individual with interest in evaluating, diagnosing and treating a wide range of conditions including ADHD, autism and developmental delays.

Join us in the Tri-Cities, WA and enjoy 300+ days of sunshine per year, an abundance of outdoor activities, low cost of living and a stable economy. Come find out why we are ranked the #1 place in the nation that people are

moving to.

Join our dynamic team and enjoy:

- Employment model in an integrated delivery system
- Regional 270-bed Planetree Designated Medical Center
- Dedicated Pediatric Hospitalist Program; 20-bed Unit
- Level II NICU
- Advanced technology including Epic
- Production model with 2 year base guarantee
- Excellent benefits including time off, CME, relocation, and student loan repayment

Contact: Contact Julie Chavez the for the full details of this excellent opportunity!  
Kadlec Physician Recruitment O: 509-942-2937 E: [julie.chavez@kadlec.org](mailto:julie.chavez@kadlec.org)

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**Position: Associate Professor in Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics**  
**Posted 08/21/13**

Description: The Department of Pediatrics Section of General Pediatrics and Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics at Yale University School of Medicine is seeking an Assistant or Associate Professor in Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics with training and expertise in the assessment and care for children with a broad range of developmental and behavioral concerns. Responsibilities also will include sharing in the administration of a DBP fellowship and the resident rotation in DBP. Candidates should be board-certified or eligible in Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics. Position will remain open until position is filled.

Contact: Submit curriculum vitae and a list of 3 references to:  
Carol Weitzman, M.D.  
Department of Pediatrics  
Yale University School of Medicine  
PO Box 208064  
New Haven, CT 06520-8064  
Phone: 203-785-7521  
Email: [carol.weitzman@yale.edu](mailto:carol.weitzman@yale.edu)

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Woman and minorities are encouraged to apply.

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**Position: BE/BC Developmental Behavioral Pediatrician**  
**Posted 08/16/13**

Description: Akron Children's Hospital seeks a 5<sup>th</sup> BE/BC Developmental Behavioral

Pediatrician to join our NeuroDevelopmental Science Center (NDSC). The NDSC brings together 6 pediatric specialties - Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Physiatry, Neuropsychology and Psychology under one roof to deliver the best outcomes and quality of life for patients.

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- High Risk NICU graduates
- Language Disorders
- Myelodysplasia and other physical disabilities

Akron Children's Hospital offers fellowship training programs in Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics and Psychology. Resident and fellowship teaching are required. Clinical research is encouraged and an appointment in the Department of Pediatrics is expected through Northeast Ohio Medical University.

#### Hospital Overview

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Contact: To Apply:

Forward cover letter and curriculum vitae to Lori Schapel, Manager of Physician Recruitment - [lschapel@chmca.org](mailto:lschapel@chmca.org).

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**Position: Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician or  
Neurodevelopmental Pediatrician**  
**Posted 08/15/13**

Description: The Center for Children with Special Needs (CCSN) at the Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center is seeking an outstanding Pediatrician to join our large Division of Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics. In this role, you will provide direct clinical care to children with the spectrum of developmental and behavioral problems.

We offer a busy, broad-based, multidisciplinary clinical program, an ACGME accredited DBP fellowship program, and opportunities for collaborative research. We are associated with a Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) program, and in addition, collaborate closely with other specialty divisions within the Floating Hospital.

The successful candidate will be BE/BC in Pediatric Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrics or Neurodevelopmental Pediatrics, possess outstanding clinical skills, a strong interest in education and clinical research, and must qualify for a faculty appointment in the Tufts University School of Medicine.

The Floating Hospital for Children is a 100 bed full-service Children's Hospital, and is part of Tufts Medical Center, the principal teaching hospital for Tufts University School of Medicine. With over 100 faculty, the Floating Hospital has been among the fastest growing hospitals in Massachusetts, and has partnerships with multiple community hospitals in a burgeoning distributed academic model. The Floating has a well-deserved reputation for outstanding patient and family centered clinical care. We offer outstanding opportunities for clinical practice, teaching and research, in addition to competitive compensation and an excellent benefits package.

Contact: Interested and qualified applicants should send a letter of interest and CV to: Monica Ultmann, MD, Division Director  
[beinspired@tuftsmedicalcenter.org](mailto:beinspired@tuftsmedicalcenter.org).

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**Position: BC Developmental Pediatrician**  
**Posted 08/14/13**

Description: Phoenix Children's Hospital, an EOE, is seeking a third BE/BC Developmental Pediatrician to join the Barrow Neurological Institute at Phoenix Children's Hospital. Responsibilities of this position may include participation in NICU follow-up, Autism Program, ADHD clinic, Down Syndrome, and general developmental pediatric clinic. The successful candidate will play a major role in teaching pediatric residents.

Qualified candidates should be BE/BC in Pediatrics and Developmental

Pediatrics.

Contact: Interested candidates should contact: Robin K. Blitz, MD at [rblitz@phoenixchildrens.com](mailto:rblitz@phoenixchildrens.com) / 602-933-0970.

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**Position: Developmental Pediatrician  
Portland, Oregon  
Posted 08/08/13**

Description: Help Build a Gateway for Better Health

At Northwest Permanente, P.C., we want every patient we see to receive the medical care they need to live long and thrive. We also offer NWP physicians the opportunity to pursue their personal and professional goals with equal passion through cross-specialty collaboration and work-life balance. We invite you to consider these opportunities with our physician-managed, multi-specialty group of 1,000 physicians who care for 479,000 members throughout Oregon and Southwest Washington.

DEVELOPMENTAL PEDIATRICIAN  
Portland, Oregon

We're seeking a BC/BE Developmental-Behavioral or Neurodevelopmental Pediatrician to staff an expanding autism diagnostic and treatment program, as well as participate in the evaluation/treatment of other developmental and behavioral issues (developmental language disorders, developmental delays, intellectual disability, learning disability, ADHD, other disruptive behavior disorders). Opportunities for focus in other areas such as neonatal follow-up, spina bifida, Down Syndrome and the neurobehavioral aspects of genetic disorders may also be available depending on applicant's interest and experience.

Join us in the beautiful Pacific Northwest and enjoy a competitive salary and full benefits which include a generous retirement program, professional liability coverage and more.

Contact: To apply, please visit our Web site at: <http://physiciancareers.kp.org/nw/> and click on Career Opportunities. For more information call (800) 813-3763. No J1 opportunities. We are an equal opportunity employer and value diversity within our organization.

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**Position: Program Director  
DEVELOPMENTAL-BEHAVIORAL PEDIATRICS  
Posted 08/08/13**

Description: The University of Minnesota Medical School, Department of Pediatrics,

seeks candidates for the position of Director of the Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Program in the Division of General Pediatrics and Adolescent Health, with the potential for joint appointment in the Division of Pediatric Clinical Behavioral Neuroscience. The rank of this position will be commensurate with the qualifications of the individual selected, with preference for an Associate Professor or Professor level. This is a 100% full time position on the clinical scholar track.

The Program Director leads the Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Residency Program and Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program, which have been well-established for the past 30 years. The position includes clinical care and research, depending upon the candidate's interests and experience.

The University of Minnesota Pediatric Residency is a large, University-based program. It is the only Pediatric training program in the metropolitan area and recruits 24 Pediatric and ten Medicine/Pediatric residents a year who work at four major sites in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Teaching duties will include directing the DBP Residency rotation and collaborating with community and University-based faculty to deliver a broad exposure to pediatric development and behavior. The Program Director will also lead the DBP Fellowship Program at the University of Minnesota.

The academic faculty includes three Developmental-Behavioral Pediatricians who collaborate in our community with eleven clinical/adjunct faculty. The teaching program involves care for children with autism, attention and learning disorders, and a range of developmental and behavioral disorders. The University serves as a referral center for children with emotional and behavioral problems including anxiety, sleep disturbance, elimination disorders, disciplinary and school problems and adjustment to trauma, grief, loss and chronic illness. DBP faculty are also engaged in public policy regarding early childhood, school bullying, and workforce issues.

The University of Minnesota offers a variety of world-class research opportunities for qualified individuals. Active research in our division includes pediatric self-regulation and children with chronic health conditions, healthy youth development, and personalized prevention in children's mental health. We also have strong cross-disciplinary teaching and research collaborations with the University of Minnesota's Institute of Child Development, the School of Public Health, and MCHB-funded LEND and LEAH programs.

Qualifications include an MD and active board certification in Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics. Create your dream job!

Contact: To apply for this position, please visit our website at: <http://www.umn.edu/ohr/employment> to complete an on-line faculty/academic application for requisition no. 182543 and attach a CV and letter of interest.

For additional information, please contact Tom Scott, MD, Interim Director

Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Residency Program,  
scott051@umn.edu

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**Position: Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrics Jobs in Anchorage, AK  
Posted 08/08/13**

**Description:** Anchorage, Alaska -- Outstanding opportunity for Developmental Pediatrician in the Last Frontier! Join The Children's Hospital at Providence (TCHAP), the state's only dedicated pediatric hospital, as we build a statewide program. You will enjoy broad pediatric subspecialty support, excellent compensation (salary plus productivity bonus) and generous Providence benefits, including generous relocation assistance.

The Children's Hospital at Providence (TCHAP), part of Providence Alaska Medical Center, is the only comprehensive Children's Hospital in Alaska, with a 9-bed PICU, 20-bed Med/Surg unit, and 47-bed NICU. There are more than 2,000 Pediatric/PICU admissions and 2,500 deliveries per year. TCHAP is a Member of the National Association of Children's Hospitals and Related Institutions (NACHRI) and embraces best practice Family-Centered Care Philosophy. We offer advanced subspecialty care and research, including a genetics collaborative and centers of excellence in children's cancer, diabetes, cystic fibrosis and special needs.

Alaska offers financial, cultural and recreational opportunities beyond compare. There is no state income or sales tax; in fact the state pays every Alaskan a yearly dividend from oil revenues! Anchorage, with 285,000 residents, is a modern American city surrounded by spectacular scenery and boundless outdoor recreation opportunities. Within the city limits are moose, bears, glaciers, hundreds of miles of trails for hiking, biking and skiing, a ski resort, golf courses and major dogsled race starts. There are also shopping malls, world-class restaurants, brewpubs, two universities, a sports arena and a performing arts center. The combination of urban and wild is what makes Anchorage such a special place. Where else can you catch a salmon in the shadow of skyscrapers, or meet a moose on your way to the symphony?

The Children's Hospital at Providence is part of Providence Health & Services, a not-for-profit network of hospitals, clinics and physician partners in Alaska, California, Montana, Oregon and Washington. Providence has a proud 150-year history in the West, and we continue to grow with the communities we serve. With more than 300 physician opportunities in virtually all specialties, we offer physicians diverse lifestyle choices, flexible work arrangements and robust practice support. Learn more at [www.providence.org/physicianopportunities](http://www.providence.org/physicianopportunities).

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[www.providence.org/physicianopportunities](http://www.providence.org/physicianopportunities)

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**Position: BC Pediatrics or Internal Medicine/Pediatrics Specialist  
Posted 08/01/13**

Description: **Director for the Comprehensive Care Program MHMC**, in affiliation with CWRU School of Medicine, is seeking a qualified BC Pediatrics or Internal Medicine/Pediatrics specialist at the Associate Professor / Assistant Professor academic level to lead the Division of Comprehensive Care, a well-established clinical service line for the care of children and adults with neurodevelopmental disabilities. Physicians in this program provide "wrap around" care, including primary outpatient care, acute care, and inpatient consultation. Typical patients have Intellectual Disabilities, Autism Spectrum Disorders, Cerebral Palsy, Spina Bifida, Down syndrome, Neuromuscular Disease, and technology dependence. We are a multidisciplinary team that includes medical specialists, social workers, nurses, nurse practitioners, psychologists, nutritionists, therapists, and educational specialists. The position provides direct teaching contact with medical students and residents. In addition, this is an excellent leadership opportunity for someone looking to lead the service as a state-of-the-art medical home for children and adults with physical and mental disabilities. Interest in clinical research is desired and will be supported.

Contact: Interested candidates should forward correspondence and curriculum vitae to Nazha Abughali, M.D., Chair, Department of Pediatrics, MetroHealth Medical Center, 2500 MetroHealth Drive, Cleveland, Ohio 44109; Phone (216)778-1259; Fax (216)778-1361; or email [nabughali@metrohealth.org](mailto:nabughali@metrohealth.org). In employment, as in education, Case Western Reserve University is committed to Equal Opportunity and World Class Diversity. Women and Minorities are encouraged to apply.

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**Position: Developmental/Behavioral Pediatrician  
Posted 08/01/13**

Description: Children's Hospital and Clinics of Minnesota is seeking an enthusiastic fellowship-trained, board-eligible/board certified developmental/behavioral pediatrician to join our multi-disciplinary team. Our Developmental Pediatric Clinic program provides evaluation and treatment for a wide-range of developmental and behavioral disorders including early childhood developmental delays, autism, complex attention deficit disorders, Down Syndrome, developmental and behavioral aspects of genetic and neurological problems. They also conduct joint Cardiovascular-Neurodevelopmental Follow-up Clinic in conjunction with Genetics, Occupational Therapy and Neuropsychology as well as provide

developmental support for NICU graduates.

This program has a clinical care emphasis in an urban tertiary children's hospital and clinic system. With over 1600 pediatricians and subspecialists on our staff, Children's offers a strong foundation of referral sources as well as a wide range of pediatric sub-specialty services. Opportunities to develop areas of specialty interest exist and are encouraged. Teaching and research opportunities are also available.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS AND CLINICS OF MINNESOTA is one of the ten largest children's health care systems in the U.S., with over 340 staffed beds at our two hospital campuses in St. Paul and Minneapolis offering pediatric medical and surgical subspecialties. We are a full service, acute care system offering a full spectrum of pediatric services. With over 14,000 admissions a year, over 90,000 emergency department visits, 18,000 surgeries, and greater than 200,000 outpatient visits, we offer an exciting and state of the art place to work.

Contact: Interested candidates, please contact: Judy Brown, Administrator,  
Physician Recruitment  
Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota,  
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Email: [judy.brown@childrensmn.org](mailto:judy.brown@childrensmn.org)

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**Position: Now Recruiting Board Eligible/Board-Certified  
Pediatric Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician  
Posted 07/31/13**

Description: Driscoll Children's Hospital in Corpus Christi, Texas is seeking a BC/BE Pediatric Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician to join a thriving practice with a built in patient base. The joining physician will be busy from day one. This is a well established program with a Pediatric Behavioral-Developmental physician in a multi-specialty group. The practice is based at Driscoll Children's Hospital, a nonprofit freestanding, 189 bed tertiary care Children's Hospital serving the lower 31 counties of South Texas. The population served is over 2 million and is one of the youngest and fastest growing in the USA. The hospital provides comprehensive pediatric services including NICU, PICU and more than 40 pediatric subspecialists. The hospital maintains a teaching affiliation with Texas A&M University Health Science Center and has its own pediatric residency (forty plus residents) and pediatric anesthesia fellowship programs.

Texas is a wonderful place to work, live and play. Tort reform has made Texas an attractive practice location because of the low number of lawsuits and reduced cost of malpractice insurance. Texas is the second largest state in size and population and the second fastest-growing state in the Union.

Corpus Christi is a dynamic coastal city with miles of beautiful beaches, world-class sailing and wind surfing. The mild climate allows for year-round outdoor family activities such as golf, cycling, and tennis. The cost of living

is low and there is no state income tax.

Successful candidates will enjoy an excellent compensation package including sign on bonus, overhead expenses (including malpractice), medical, dental, vision, disability, life insurance and generous retirement plans.

In short, this opportunity allows for a great combination of rewarding work along with a quality lifestyle

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**Position: Developmental/Behavioral Pediatric Physician**  
**Posted 07/30/13**

Description: Spokane, Washington - Providence Medical Group has an immediate opportunity for an excellent Developmental/Behavioral Pediatric physician to join our advanced pediatric care team located at Providence Sacred Heart Children's Hospital in beautiful Spokane. Responsibilities include conducting multidisciplinary developmental pediatric assessments, management and consultations. Our highly qualified team works to evaluate, diagnose and treat a range of conditions including ADHD, autism and developmental delays. Experienced physician preferred. Excellent compensation and benefits and wonderful quality of life in the largest city in eastern Washington.

Providence Medical Group - Eastern Washington is our physician-led network of more than 200 primary and specialty care providers in multiple clinic locations in Spokane and Stevens counties. PMG providers offer exceptional patient-centered care as a reflection of our Providence values. PMG partners with some of the region's most advanced hospitals: Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center & Children's Hospital, Providence Holy Family Hospital, Providence Mount Carmel and Providence St. Joseph's Hospital.

Spokane, located about halfway between the Rocky and Cascade Mountain Ranges, is a regional medical hub, drawing patients from four states. Spokane and eastern Washington offer high quality of life features as well, including some of the nation's cleanest air and water, responsible development in harmony with nature, and a mild four-season climate. Spokane's affordable housing, growing arts and theater community and excellent higher education choices make it a prime destination for families and working professionals alike. Outdoor enthusiasts relish Spokane's prime location close to skiing, hiking, whitewater rafting and other recreation.

Providence Medical Group is part of Providence Health & Services, a not-for-profit network of hospitals, clinics and physician partners in Alaska, California, Montana, Oregon and Washington. Providence has a proud 150-year history in the West, and we continue to grow with the communities we serve. With more than 300 provider opportunities in virtually all specialties, we offer diverse lifestyle choices, flexible work arrangements and robust practice support. Learn more at [www.providence.org/physicianopportunities](http://www.providence.org/physicianopportunities).

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**Position: Developmental Behavioral pediatrician**  
**Posted 07/10/13**

Description: Unique opportunity:  
D/B pediatrician about to retire from a 36 year old solo private in suburban Atlanta. 250 active patients, with no insurance taken. Outpatient practice, using both traditional and integrative practice. I would be willing to stay with the practice to facilitate transition. Linda Nathanson-Lippitt MD  
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**Position: Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician**  
**Posted 07/10/13**

Description: The Department of Pediatrics, Section of Neurodevelopmental-Behavioral Pediatrics at the University of Colorado School of Medicine is seeking a full-time faculty member at the Assistant Professor level. The position will be located at Children's Hospital Colorado. Applicants should be board

certified in Pediatrics and board eligible or certified in Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics (DBP) or Neurodevelopmental Disabilities. We have a busy clinical program, an ACGME accredited DBP fellowship program, and opportunities for collaborative and independent research. Applicants should have a strong commitment to education and clinical care, and strong academic interests.

Our clinical program is located at the Child Development Unit. We provide interdisciplinary developmental assessment and management of children and youth with a wide array of developmental and behavioral problems. We are part of the Autism Treatment Network, and associated with a Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) program. We are an exciting and growing program. We are part of the Neuroscience Institute at Children's Hospital Colorado, which also includes Child Neurology and Neurosurgery. We also work closely with Child Psychiatry, Genetics, Rehabilitation Medicine, and Special Care Clinic, with ample collaborative opportunities.

Children's Hospital Colorado has been in existence for over 100 years. In 2007 we opened a new, family friendly and state of the art facility. U.S. News and World report consistently ranks us in the top 10 of pediatric hospitals in the country.

**Job Responsibilities:**

The Assistant Professor will provide direct clinical care to children with a wide array of developmental and behavioral problems. Teaching responsibilities include interactions with DBP fellows, residents and medical students. Research opportunities are available, and strongly encouraged.

Contact: All interested candidates must apply electronically at [www.jobsatcu.com](http://www.jobsatcu.com), reference job posting F00184. Please contact [Katherine.Griewahn@childrenscolorado.org](mailto:Katherine.Griewahn@childrenscolorado.org) for questions.

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**Position: Developmental Behavioral Pediatrician Park Nicollet  
Alexander Center, Minneapolis, MN Posted 07/09/13**

Description: The Alexander Center for Child Development and Behavior is looking for a fellowship-trained, certified/eligible developmental/behavior pediatrician. We are particularly interested in individuals with experience and a strong desire to care for children with cognitive and developmental delays, autism spectrum disorders, genetic syndromes, ADHD and learning disorders. This position includes responsibility for clinical evaluation and management of children seen either individually or within a multidisciplinary framework. Program development, resident teaching and participating in the ongoing work of the department are required. Excellent communication skills and a solid team work approach are important. Clinical research and an appointment in the Division of Pediatrics at the University of Minnesota are possible.

The Alexander Center, located in west suburban Minneapolis, Minnesota, is part of Park Nicollet Health Services, one of the largest group medical practices in Minnesota. We care for children with a wide range of developmental and behavioral concerns. Our professional staff includes developmental/behavior pediatricians, child psychologists, speech-language pathologists, nurses, and dedicated support staff. Our mission is to care for the health, healing and learning of those we serve. We believe outstanding health care is delivered when we merge the science and intellect of medicine with the compassion, spirit and humanity of our hearts. We refer to this as "Head + Heart, Together," and it exists to inspire constant improvement and lasting success. We achieve this by partnering with patients and families in everything from care decisions to service and facility design. As we work together as a unified team, we engage patients, families and the community, and put them at the center of everything we do.

Park Nicollet Health Services, which includes Park Nicollet Clinic and Methodist Hospital, has been repeatedly recognized nationally for quality improvement and care activities. Park Nicollet clinic is one of the largest multispecialty clinics in the United States, with over 700 clinicians providing care in 45 medical/surgical specialties and subspecialties.

Contact: Please submit a letter of interest and CV to Jenny Bredeson, Park Nicollet Health Services, 3800 Park Nicollet Boulevard, Minneapolis, MN 55416; Email: [bredej@parknicollet.com](mailto:bredej@parknicollet.com); Phone: 952-993-2804; toll free (866) 874-3812. We are proud to be an EEO/AA employer M/F/D/V.

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**Position: Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics**  
**Texas Tech University System**  
**Posted 07/01/13**

Description: **Minimum Qualifications:** M.D. or D.O. ♦Licensed in Texas or eligible for medical licensure in the State of Texas ♦Board Certified/Eligible in Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics ♦Completion of a Developmental and Behavioral Pediatric Fellowship Program ♦Capable of teaching Medical Students, Residents and Fellows ♦Must show a strong commitment toward providing care in an underserved community

**Preferred Qualifications:** Bilingual (English and Spanish preferred) ♦ Experience in clinical research ♦Regional or emerging national recognition for rank of Associate Professor or higher

**Position Description:** Provide Outpatient care with occasional inpatient consults ♦Participate in committees and other administrative duties as assigned ♦Ensure compliance with HIPAA and billing regulations ♦Participate in the local Children's with Disabilities Association ♦Adhere to institutional and departmental policies and procedures ♦Contributes to the Universities mission thru teaching Medical Students, Residents and Fellows ♦Participates in research and scholarly activities in the area of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics ♦Demonstrates professionalism

in accordance with the PLFSOM Declaration of Faculty Professional Responsibility

We are currently recruiting in the following areas:

Cardiology (Requisition #87460), Developmental & Behavioral (Requisition #86898), Endocrinology (Requisition #82864), Gastroenterology (Requisition #86435), General Pediatrics (Requisition #86281), Neonatology (Requisition #pending), Nephrology (Requisition #86919), Pulmonology (Requisition #83011), and Pediatric Emergency Medicine (3 positions requisition #85380, 87499)

Interested applicants must submit a job application at <https://jobs.texastech.edu> using the individual requisition number listed above to be considered.

In the future, we will be recruiting in the following areas: Allergy&Immunology, Dermatology, Geneticist, Neurology, Infectious Diseases, and Rheumatology. Please continue to visit our jobs website for future postings. Need proof as soon as possible.

Contact: ***Interested applicants must submit a job application at <https://jobs.texastech.edu> using the individual requisition number listed above to be considered.***

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## Calendar of Events

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Sept 19-22, 2013	<a href="#">2013 – European Academy of Paediatrics Educational Congress &amp; Master Course (EAP 2013)</a>	Lyon, France
Sept 27-30, 2013	<a href="#">SDBP 2013 Annual Meeting and Pre-Meeting Workshops</a>	Baltimore, MD
Oct 26-29, 2013	<a href="#">AAP 2013 National Conference</a>	Orlando, FL
Jan 26-31, 2014	<a href="#">The 28th Annual San Diego International Conference On Child and Family Maltreatment</a>	San Diego, CA
February 13-16, 2014	<a href="#">The 3rd Global Congress for Consensus in Pediatrics and Child Health</a>	Bangkok, Thailand
April 23-26, 2014	<a href="#">SBM's 2014 Annual Meeting and Scientific Session</a>	Philadelphia, PA
May 3-6, 2014	<a href="#">PAS 2014 Annual Meeting</a>	Vancouver, Canada
Oct 11-14, 2014	<a href="#">AAP 2014 National Conference</a>	San Diego, CA
April 25–28, 2015	<a href="#">PAS 2015 Annual Meeting</a>	San Diego, CA
Oct 24-27, 2015	<a href="#">AAP 2015 National Conference</a>	Washington, DC
April 30 – May 3, 2016	<a href="#">PAS 2016 Annual Meeting</a>	Baltimore, MD
Oct 22-25, 2016	<a href="#">AAP 2016 National Conference</a>	San Francisco, CA
May 6–9, 2017	<a href="#">PAS 2017 Annual Meeting</a>	San Francisco, CA
Sept 16-19, 2017	<a href="#">AAP 2017 National Conference</a>	Chicago, IL