

Where We Train

Saint Joseph Hospital Family Medicine Residency

Bruner Family Medicine Clinic

The [Bruner Family Medicine Center Clinic](#) is a full-service family medicine clinic with a diverse patient population. The clinic is where residents see their own patients and get the majority of the outpatient training. Bruner Family Medicine is one of three clinics that make up Uptown Community Health Center (UCHC). UCHC has Federally Qualified Health Center look-alike status. As an FQHC Look-Alike, we operate under a governing board that includes patients and other community members. You will work alongside MAs, care managers, clinical pharmacists, registered nurses, registered dietitian, diabetic educator, addiction counselor, and clinical psychologists.

We are a Joint Commission certified Patient Centered Medical Home focused on providing care for all individuals regardless of ability to pay for services. We are committed to caring for the underserved and many of our patients have limited access to care. Approximately one-third of our patients are uninsured and unable to obtain health insurance, 45% have Medicaid, 16% are commercially insured, and 14% have Medicare. Approximately one-half of our patients are Spanish speaking and we have several caregivers who are bilingual in Spanish as well as medical interpretation services readily available.

We offer these specialty clinics which you will rotate through during training. You will also see many of these patients in your own clinic throughout residency in your continuity clinic.

- Gynecologic procedures
- Sports medicine
- Senior clinic
- Surgical procedures
- Obstetric ultrasound
- Colposcopy/LEEP
- OMT (osteopathic manipulative therapy)
- PharmD clinic
- MAT (medication-assisted treatment) clinic for substance use disorder

Saint Joseph Hospital

Residents spend a significant portion of their training at Saint Joseph Hospital in downtown Denver. Saint Joseph Hospital was founded in Denver in 1873 by the Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth and started training residents in 1893. Saint Joseph Hospital has achieved Magnet recognition for nursing excellence and quality patient care and is ranked in the top 5% of hospitals

nationwide for patient experience by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and Press-Ganey.

Our residents work in a variety of settings here including the Emergency Department, Intensive and Intermediate Care Units, Surgical Care, Newborn Nursery/NICU, and Labor and Delivery. Our residents frequently work alongside our resident colleagues in the three other residencies at Saint Joseph Hospital: OB-GYN, Internal Medicine, and General Surgery. The 3rd floor of the hospital is dedicated to medical staff services and residency education, with a state-of-the-art simulation center, medical library, physician workrooms, and provider cafeteria.

Children's Hospital Colorado

First year residents complete a 1-month rotation at Children's Hospital Colorado (CHC) in Aurora, CO. This prestigious institution was recently rated the No. 1 pediatric hospital in the region and top 10 in the nation. Residents work with University of Colorado pediatrics residents and pediatricians to care for hospitalized pediatric patients, including pediatric patients with complex medical histories.

Residents return to CHC in their second year for their outpatient pediatrics rotation, during which residents rotate through a variety of specialty pediatrics clinics, including Cardiology, Gastroenterology, Complex Care, and the Feeding and Swallowing Program. Additional elective opportunities are available to interested residents, including management of LARC and other family planning methods at the Adolescent Medicine Clinic.

Denver Health

First year residents rotate for 1 month at the Pediatric Emergency Department and Urgent Care (PEDUC) at Denver Health, a 19-bed, 24-hour emergency room and urgent care just for children. Our residents work with University of Colorado pediatrics residents and Denver Health Emergency Medicine Residents to see a high volume of pediatric patients in a fast-paced acute care setting. Residents are supervised by pediatricians and emergency medicine physicians.

Residents return to Denver Health in their second and third years to rotate for their orthopedics, dermatology rotations, and high volume obstetrics training. Additional elective opportunities are available to interested residents.

Kaiser Permanente

Intermountain Health maintains a close relationship with Kaiser Permanente, and our residents have access to many learning opportunities through this partnership. During the second and third years, residents have the opportunity to rotate in a number of outpatient Kaiser clinics, including Minor Procedures, Dermatology, Cardiology, Oncology, Rheumatology, Allergy, ENT, Infectious Disease, and more.

Tepeyac Community Health Center

Located in north Denver, Clínica Tepeyac was founded in 1993 after a community needs project revealed the residents of this area faced many barriers to healthcare access, and consequently suffered a higher burden of poor health care outcomes. Clínica Tepeyac provides a multitude of resources for their patients, including serving a high volume of obstetric and Spanish speaking

patients. All OB- track residents rotate regularly at Clínica Tepeyac throughout their residency, and any interested residents may rotate here as well.

Winter Park and Aspen Snowmass

Upper-level residents may complete a trauma focused rotation at either Winter Park or Aspen Snowmass. Residents stay in provided housing and work alongside family medicine and emergency medicine physicians at the mountain-based clinics to care for acute injuries and illnesses.