



**UCSF** Fresno  
Pediatric  
Services



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# Letter from the UCSF Fresno Chief of Pediatrics

Dear Friends:

I am excited to introduce you to our incredible team of faculty at UCSF Fresno.

We are a committed group of UCSF-appointed faculty physicians and advanced practice providers with expertise in pediatrics in the areas of primary care, newborn care, inpatient care, critical care, and over 16 subspecialties. We value you as a partner in our mission of improving the health of children in the San Joaquin Valley through excellence in patient care, education, research, and advocacy.

Our program provides expert evidence-based pediatric services from birth through young adulthood, including transitioning to adult care within a network of colleagues in obstetrics, perinatology, and adult medicine at UCSF Fresno.

Our primary affiliate hospital, Community Regional Medical Center (CRMC), was designated by the Children's Hospital Association in 2017, joining 22 other children's hospitals in California and over 220 nationwide. We maintain strong linkages with our world-renowned clinical and academic partners at UCSF, including Benioff Children's Hospital San Francisco and Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland.

Our pediatric specialists are leading the care of services at the CRMC Pediatric Special Care Centers of Cardiology, Cystic Fibrosis/Pulmonary Disease, Endocrinology, Gastroenterology, Neuromuscular Disease, High Risk Infant Follow-Up, and Craniofacial/Cleft Lip and Palate. All Centers are California Children's Services-approved, with our faculty leading multidisciplinary, integrated teams centered on the care of children and families with complex health needs.

UCSF Fresno faculty have been training pediatric residents as a branch campus of UCSF for over 44 years. Every day, I am inspired by our residents, knowing that half of them stay to practice in the San Joaquin Valley, with many joining our group to continue the legacy of training the next generation of physicians dedicated to serving our region.

I welcome you to meet our faculty and learn about the depth and breadth of expertise that they bring. We look forward to partnering with you in making a difference in the lives of children and families of our community.

Sincerely,

Serena Yang, MD, MPH  
Chief of Pediatrics, UCSF Fresno  
Vice Chair of Pediatrics, UCSF

## About UCSF Fresno

UCSF Fresno was created as a graduate medical education campus of UC San Francisco in 1975 to address physician shortages in California's San Joaquin Valley.

Today, UCSF Fresno is the largest physician-training program between Sacramento and Los Angeles. As a branch campus of the top-ranked UCSF School of Medicine, UCSF Fresno carries out its training and patient care through a network of affiliated hospitals, clinics, health agencies and faculty physicians' offices.

Thanks to the expertise of UCSF-appointed faculty physicians at UCSF Fresno, travel outside of the region for exceptional care is

unnecessary. Most complex medical cases can be handled effectively and locally here in the Central Valley.

Faculty-driven services, programs, clinics and research give life-saving treatments and ensure that patients with unique and complicated diseases can receive top-notch care.

We are your UCSF in Fresno and we are focused on improving health in the Valley through teaching, patient care, research and community partnerships.

**UCSF** Fresno



Phone Number: 559-459-BEAR (2327).

Please see page 11 for more information on  
the Clovis and Downtown Fresno locations.

# Specialty Outpatient Providers

Our providers offer a variety of pediatric specialty services to ensure  
our patients receive the highest level of care locally

## Cardiology



**Ana  
Coll,  
MD**

Downtown Fresno



**Nancy  
Hua,  
DO**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno



**Athira  
Nair,  
MD, MBBS, FAAP**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno

## Endocrinology



**Renee  
Kinman,  
MD, PhD**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno



**Jennifer  
Le,  
FNP, CDE**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno



**Patrick  
Shepherd,  
MD**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno

## Gastroenterology



**Michael  
Haight,  
MD, MHA**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno



**Richard  
Quan,  
MD**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno



**Hani  
Gutierrez,  
PNP**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno

## Genetics



**Cynthia  
S. Curry,  
MD**

Downtown Fresno



**Joseph  
Shen,  
MD, PhD**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno

## Infectious Disease



**Chokechai  
Rongkavilit,  
MD, FAAP  
(Dr. Chai)**

Clovis and  
Downtown Fresno

## Adolescent Gynecology



**Angela  
Hernandez,  
MD**

Downtown  
Fresno

## Neurology



**Timothy  
Foster,  
MD**

Clovis and  
Downtown  
Fresno



**H. Terry  
Hutchison,  
MD, PhD**

Downtown  
Fresno



**Cecilia  
Tran,  
NP-C**

Clovis

Pulmonology



**Paul Do, MD**

Clovis and Downtown Fresno



**John Moua, MD**

Clovis and Downtown Fresno



**Karen Acevedo, PNP**

Clovis and Downtown Fresno

# Inpatient Care Team

Located downtown at Community Regional Medical Center, our inpatient provider team is comprised of compassionate pediatricians who specialize in caring for our youngest patients in an acute care environment.

Hospitalists



**Alya Ahmad, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Luella Guzman, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Richa Kaushal, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center

Hospitalists



**Jorge E. Montes, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Christine Nelson, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Thianchai Bunnalai, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center

Critical Care



**Eyup Keles, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Jambunathan Krishnan, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center



**Victor Vargas, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center

Critical Care



**Krishna Siruguppa, MD, MBBS, FAAP**

Community Regional Medical Center

**Inpatient Contact Information**

**Hospitalist On-Call Phone Number**

559-230-7543

**PICU Faculty On-Call Phone Number**

559-231-2094

# General Pediatric and Newborn Care Providers

Specializing in caring for the whole child, in partnership with the family and community, our pediatricians offer compassionate and comprehensive patient care.

## General Pediatrics and Newborn Care



**Aimee Abu-Shamsieh, MD, MPH**

Children's Health Center



**Monica Daniels, PNP**

Children's Health Center



**Christian Faulkenberry-Miranda, MD**

Children's Health Center



**Nikol Fuller, FNP**

Children's Health Center



**Erica Gastelum, MD**

Children's Health Center



**Kelly Hamel, PNP**

Children's Health Center



**Hakim Kebir, MD**

Children's Health Center



**Tamiko Kido, MD**

Children's Health Center



**Soe Maw, MD, MPH**

Children's Health Center



**Arsia Moua, PNP**

Children's Health Center



**Jennifer Nolt, PNP**

Children's Health Center



**Jacquelynn Wagoner, DO**

Children's Health Center



**Serena Yang, MD, MPH**

Children's Health Center

### Children's Health Center Contact Information

#### Phone Number

559-459-4300





# Partnership with UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital



“We’re bringing world-class care to the Central Valley.”

– Dr. Stephen Wilson  
Chief Medical Officer, UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital

In 2015, UCSF Benioff Children's Hospitals and Community Medical Centers (CMC) announced a partnership, building upon CMC's long-term collaboration with UCSF Fresno, to enhance specialty services for children in Fresno and the San Joaquin Valley. Benioff Children's Hospitals in San Francisco and Oakland are among the best in the nation, ranking in U.S. News & World Report's top 10 in 10 specialties.

“We’re bringing world-class care to the Central Valley,” said Dr. Stephen Wilson, Chief Medical Officer at UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital in San Francisco.

Thanks to the partnership between UCSF and Community Medical Centers, children in the Valley have access to high-quality UCSF care close to home.



COMMUNITY  
REGIONAL  
MEDICAL CENTER



## UCSF Benioff Partnership Physicians

Providing the highest level of care to our patients includes access to highly specialized physicians, which is why our UCSF Benioff partners come to Fresno, so our patients and families can receive the highest level of care without leaving the Central Valley.

### Nephrology

#### **Paul Brakeman, MD, PhD**

Downtown Fresno and UCSF Benioff Children's Hospitals

### Hematology

#### **Tiffany Lin, MD**

Downtown Fresno and UCSF Benioff Children's Hospitals

### Rheumatology

#### **Susan Kim, MD, MMSc**

Downtown Fresno and UCSF Benioff Children's Hospitals

# Faculty Partners

Our philosophy includes collaboration, which is why we partner with a variety of pediatric specialty providers, all with UCSF faculty appointments, who serve the Central Valley.

## Allergy Clinic

### **A.M. Aminian, MD**

Allergy Institute  
559-459-2327

## Community Based General Pediatricians

### **Nicole Banh, MD**

Chestnut Pediatrics  
559-797-4400

### **Amy Evans, MD, FABM**

Peachwood Medical Group  
559-324-6203

### **Prem Singh, MD**

Family Health Care Network  
866-342-6012

## Dermatology

### **Gregory L. Simpson, MD**

Children's Health Center  
559-459-4300

University Dermatology Associates  
559-266-4100

## Emergency Medicine

### **Robert H. Kezirian, MD** **James Leoni, MD**

Children's Health Center  
559-459-4300

## General Surgery

### **David Hodge, MD**

Valley Pediatric Surgery Associates  
559-440-9740

## High Risk Infant Follow Up (HRIF)

### **Krishna Rajani, MD**

High Risk Infant Follow Up  
559-459-4543

## Neonatology

### **David Aguilar, MD**

### **Angela Flores, MD**

### **Alok Kumar, MD**

### **Shahriar Mokrian, MD**

### **Madhu Pabbathi, MD**

### **Anand Rajani, MD**

### **Krishna Rajani, MD**

### **Kultar Singh, MD**

### **Kajori Thusu, MD**

Community Regional Medical Center  
Neonatal Intensive Care (NICU)  
559-459-3961

Perinatal Medical Group  
559-492-6361

## Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Craniofacial/Cleft Palate

### **Robert Julian, DDS, MD**

### **Brian Woo, DDS, MD**

### **George Zakhary, DDS, MD**

Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Clinic  
559-459-4101

## Orthopaedics

### **John Wiemann, MD**

University Orthopaedic Associates  
559-432-2600

## Child & Adolescent Psychiatry

### **David Benavidez, MD**

### **Karen Kraus, MD**

### **Patrick Shea, MD**

University Psychiatry Associates  
559-320-0580

## Urology

### **Narayana S. Ambati, MD**

Urology Associates of  
Central California  
559-321-2810

# Community Partners

By putting our patients first, we work with a variety of specialty clinics to ensure a comprehensive and collaborative approach.

## Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT)

### **Brent Lanier, MD**

Central California Ear, Nose & Throat  
559-432-3303

## Ophthalmology

### **Paramjit S. Fagoora, MD**

Clear Vision Medical Center  
559-439-2040

### **Derick G. Holt, MD**

EYE-Q Vision Care  
559-486-2000



# What Our Patients Are Saying



"They take their time and listen to every detail."

-Cintia



"They always treat every minor question as if it is vital. To us, the peace of mind knowing Dr. Moua is caring for our son is unrivaled."

-Michael



"Information was really accurate and helpful to both parent and child, love it. Best staff ever!"

-Deserii



"Doctors are very knowledgeable and caring. The whole staff is a committed and dedicated group of people."

-Holly



"This experience has been life changing."

-Laura



"My daughter loves Dr. Hua and the staff at the office."

-Susannah

# Provider Spotlight

We asked our providers, "What is the best part of your day?"  
Here is what they said:

"The best part of my day is coming home to my happy, healthy kids and hoping that I made a difference in making other kids happier and healthier."

- Erica Gastelum, MD



"As an attending, the best part of my day comes when as a team we round in the pediatric ward and talk and engage with families. But the icing on the cake comes when we can say, 'Your child is better now and today you will be able to go home!'"

- Alya Ahmad, MD



"The best part of my day is putting a smile on the face of my patients!"

- Ana Coll, MD



"The best part of my day is coming into work to my wonderful, dynamic team and knowing our teamwork and expertise together help our patients get the best care in the valley! We have a great team!"

- Hani Gutierrez, PNP



# UCSF Fresno Specialty Locations



## CLOVIS

### University Pediatric Specialists

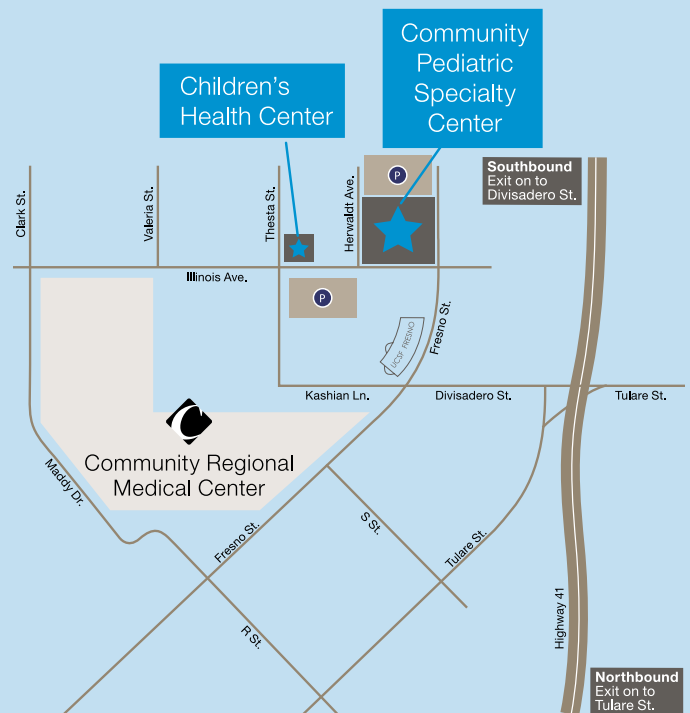
726 Medical Center Drive East, Suite 209  
Clovis, CA 93611

## DOWNTOWN FRESNO

### Community Pediatric Specialty Center

215 N. Fresno Street, Suite 370  
Fresno, CA 93701

**For Referrals, Please Call: 559-459-BEAR (2327)**





Hematology  
 Genetics  
 Pulmonary Diseases/Cystic Fibrosis  
**General Pediatrics**  
 Nephrology  
 RHEUMATOLOGY  
 Rheumatology  
 Urology  
**HIGH RISK INFANT CARE**  
 Dermatology  
**ALLERGY**  
**PSYCHIATRY**  
**Critical Care Medicine**  
 Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery  
 Craniofacial/Cleft Palate

# SPECIALIZING IN

Endocrinology & Diabetes  
 Neurological Diseases  
**CARDIOLOGY**  
 Neonatology  
 Neurology  
**General Surgery**  
 ORTHOPAEDICS  
 Gastroenterology  
 Infectious Disease

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