

# Career Guide

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American College of Cardiology (ACC) Annual Meeting

March 10 - March 12, 2018 - Orlando, FL



## **CARDIOLOGISTS**



An opportunity to join the #1 heart care program in the country and a top 2 ranked hospital nationwide per U.S. News and World Report 2017-2018 Best Hospital Rankings.

The Cleveland Clinic Heart and Vascular Institute's Department of Cardiovascular Medicine is recruiting BE/BC **Academic Clinical Cardiologists** and **General Cardiologists**. Our expert cardiologists collaborate with other Cardiology specialists and cardiovascular surgeons to manage outpatient and inpatient patients with complex multisystem disease in a comprehensive and highly effective manner.

**Academic Clinical Cardiologists** - The position focuses on non-interventional general cardiology with particular emphasis on coronary artery disease, valvular and structural heart disease, heart failure and offers the latest innovations in cardiac care and clinical therapies to patients of all ages. Position offers an exceptional career path to be recognized nationally and internationally with ample opportunity for research as well as education of fellows and residents.

**General Cardiologists** - The position focuses on those who are skilled in echo, and stress test interpretation (TEE ability optional). Dynamic positions combine outpatient clinical care with inpatient at our facilities in the Greater Cleveland area in rotation with existing providers. These challenging and rewarding positions will meet the needs of expanding services at main campus and regional hospitals and clinics within the Cleveland Clinic Health System.

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Attending ACC Annual conference in March 2018 and would like to meet our leadership team regarding Staff opportunities- please email Michael at palincm@ccf.org before March 9th, 2018.

Cleveland Clinic Physician Recruitment at ACC Career Fair Sunday, March 11th 2-4pm



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# Have an Orlando Adventure!

### Discover why Orlando is more than just theme parks.

Pelcome to Orlando! This city is famous for its theme parks south of the city – thanks to the legendary imagination of Walt Disney. Orlando also offers many other family attractions, so let's start our journey with a few must-see destinations before heading to the theme parks.

#### **Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex**

On Florida's Atlantic Coast, around an hour's drive away from Orlando, the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex is a must-visit if you are traveling with space-mad kids. The exhibition halls are fascinating enough, but the possibility of meeting an astronaut delivers some real star-studded magic. Check the program for details.

Florida 32899 | 855.433.4210 kennedyspacecenter.com

#### Dr. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts

This city arts center attracts big-name comedy and musical acts, world-class theatre and musical theater performances, as well as hosting local ballet and opera. It's located in the upscale Dr. Phillips neighborhood, just a short drive from downtown. Check out the program and book your visit in advance.

445 S Magnolia Ave, Orlando, FL 32801 | 407-839-0119 drphillipscenter.org

#### **Orlando Science Center**

Fabulous interactive and family-friendly science museum with diverse exhibits in a number of exhibition halls including Our Planet, DinoDigs, Kinetic Town and Nature Works. Well worth a visit if you are in town with the family.

777 E Princeton St, Orlando, FL 32803 | 407-514-2000 osc.org

#### **Rollins College**

This illustrious college in the upscale neighborhood of Winter Park attracts music-loving visitors to its campus each spring, thanks to the renowned annual Bach Festival. The Cornell Fine Arts Museum, also on campus, boasts more than 5,000 pieces of art and is one of the oldest and most distinguished art collections in Florida.

1000 Holt Ave, Winter Park, FL 32789 | 407-646-2526 bachfestivalflorida.org rollins.edu/cornell-fine-arts-museum/visit/index.html

#### Mall at Millenia

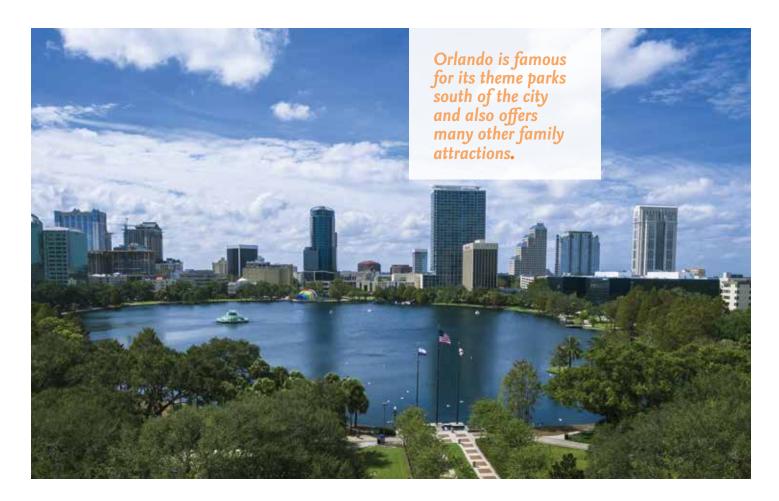
Orlando boasts many and varied malls, but the cream of the crop is the upscale Mall at Millenia. Here, you'll find highend labels including Bulgari, Cartier, Chanel and Salvatore Ferragamo alongside such favorites as Urban Outfitters, Victoria's Secret, Anthropologie and Abercrombie & Fitch. The anchor stores are Neiman Marcus, Bloomingdale's and Macy's and the many restaurants include The Cheesecake Factory, Brio Tuscan Grille, and the California Pizza Kitchen.

#### 4200 Conroy Rd, Orlando, FL 32839 | mallatmillenia.com

#### **Lake Eola Park**

This 43-acre downtown park has an interesting program of activities. The park including a lake that is actually an 80-foot (24-meter) sinkhole, hosts a popular Sunday morning farmers' market as well as a variety of community events throughout the year. Enjoy a concert or a play in the amphitheatre, check out the view of the Orlando skyline, while on Sundays, you can stop by the Farmers' Market.

You'll recognize the park's iconic Linton E. Allen Memorial Fountain in Lake Eola, from numerous postcards and



cityscapes. The lakeside track is ideal for runners or a family stroll. Kids will love the swan-shaped paddle boats on the park's lake, a relaxing but fun family activity.

512 E Washington St, Orlando, FL 32801
cityoforlando.net/parks/lake-eola-park

#### University of Central Florida Arboretum

With some 600 plant species within 80-acres (32-hectares), this is a must-see attraction for plant lovers. The Arboretum, opened in 1983, boasts at least eight natural ecosystems. Visitors can admire the Swamp Habitat, walk or bike along the 9-acre (3.6-hectare) lake, or play a game of disc golf.

110 Apollo Cir, Orlando, FL 32816 | 407-823-3583 arboretum.ucf.edu

#### Winter Park

Whether you want to take a rejuvenating walk through the grounds or play an intense game of volleyball, Winter Park has something for everyone. Visit one of the many playgrounds, or browse for goodies at the Saturday Farmers Market. You can also enjoy the blooms at the Kraft Azalea Garden, or learn about the history of Winter Park at the Winter Park History Museum. 200 W New England Ave, Winter Park, FL 32789 | 407-599-3397 cityofwinterpark.org/departments/parks-recreation/farmers-market

#### Lake Louisa State Park

Florida has three national parks and 164 state parks. Lake

Louisa is a beautiful, mixed-terrain park just a short drive from downtown Orlando. The eponymous lake is designated an Outstanding Florida Water Way and offers canoeing, fishing, lake swimming and kayaking. On the shores of Lake Louisa, you'll find picnicking facilities and a small playground. There are also a number of smaller lakes within the park boundaries, two of which offer additional opportunities for fishing and kayaking. Meanwhile, 16 miles of mixed-use trails and 4 miles of hiking trails provide opportunities for hiking, biking, nature watching and horseback riding.

7305 US Highway 27, Clermont, FL 34714 | 352-394-3969 floridastateparks.org/park/Lake-Louisa

#### Theme parks

You can spend weeks in Orlando's theme parks. The Disney World Resort encompasses six parks; four theme parks and two water parks as well as a newly revamped shopping and dining area. Universal parks, Universal Studios Florida and Universal's Islands of Adventure are a treat for cinema lovers, and Harry Potter fans. The Universal water park is Orlando's newest and most fabulous attraction.

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We hope we've given you a little inspiration for great family days out in the Orlando area. Whereever you choose to spend your time, have fun!

# **Chief of Cardiology and Medical Co-Director**

The Division of Cardiology at Columbia University Medical Center is accepting applications on behalf of Upstate Medical University for an academic practice position as Chief of Cardiology and Medical Co-Director of the Heart Institute the SUNY Upstate Medical Center in Syracuse, NY. The position requires an experienced MD or foreign equivalent, NYS license or eligible, and BC/BE in internal medicine and cardiology. The candidate should have demonstrated exceptional leadership, clinical, administrative skills and have the vision and acumen to help build a robust cardiovascular institute. A commitment to building a regional center of cardiovascular excellence with a specific emphasis on heart failure and support of a cardiovascular institute will be the central objectives in the overall job description. The Cardiovascular Institute will emphasize a patient-centered, collaborative Heart Team approach to cardiovascular disease designed to become the regional leader through innovative clinical practice, high caliber education and research within the broad array of cardiovascular services. This individual will be responsible for developing and coordinating the clinical, educational, and research programs of the Division, and effectively interfacing with programs throughout SUNY Upstate system.

SUNY Upstate Medical University in Syracuse, NY, is the only academic medical center in Central New York. As a regional center, Upstate University Health System serves 1.8 million people and includes Upstate University Hospital; Upstate University Hospital at Community Campus; Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital, and numerous satellite sites. Additionally, UMU's educational mission is anchored by its four colleges - Medicine, Nursing, Health Professions, and Graduate Studies (biomedical sciences).

The Division of Cardiology at SUNY Upstate includes 15 hospital based providers, a cutting-edge EP lab, an MRI lab, state-of-the-art Cath labs, and a full range of complementary and supportive services within a Heart and Vascular Center. A well-established fellowship program, as well as residents and medical students that form the base for teaching activities. Collaborative opportunities exist both in the clinical and basic science venues and translational research is strongly encouraged.

As a biomedical research enterprise, Upstate focuses on the broad array of most prevalent human diseases, including heart disease, cancer, diabetes, heart disease, nervous system disorders, vision, and infectious diseases. The quest for treatments and cures is built upon expertise in structural, molecular, and systems biology.

All of the Columbia University affiliate programs seek to provide the highest quality of care with outcomes that exceed national benchmarks while demonstrating efficiencies with regards to resource utilization. The Columbia University relationship with affiliate programs is tangible, supporting quality infrastructure, team development, and clinical decision-making as well as access to innovative therapeutics. This is a unique opportunity that will provide a rich blend of academic acumen with busy clinical practice.

If you are aware of potential candidates for this position, please contact Lawrence Beilis, Executive Director, Columbia HeartSource at: lb724@columbia.edu; or: 212-305-7389 for additional details. Please feel free to visit our website at: http://www.upstate.edu/about/ or: www.heartsource.columbia.edu

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Contact Kalah Haug, Medical Staff Recruitment, at (608) 775-1005 or kjhaug@gundersenhealth.org. Visit us at gundersenhealth.org/medcareers



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any physicians will work in a teaching hospital during their residency years – perhaps longer if they chose to pursue a fellowship. But teaching hospitals are not only an essential workplace at the beginning of a physician's career – they have much to offer throughout your career.

#### Reason #1: Your Choice of Specialty

Teaching hospitals are the backbone of medical services in the USA. The nation's 1,000+ Teaching hospitals train more than 100,000 new physicians and other health professionals every year. They disproportionately deliver specialized services, complex treatments and life-saving care, including 88% of comprehensive cancer care centers and 71% of all level-one trauma centers. This makes teaching hospitals a natural choice for physicians working in these specialized services.

#### Reason #2: A Culture of Excellence

In a 2016 article in the Washington Post, Harvard medical professor David Silbersweig noted that "physicians in other settings routinely refer patients to teaching hospitals when they can't figure out what is going on, when there are complications, or when they have run out of treatment options." A 2002 literature review by John Z Ayanian and Joel S Weissman looking at teaching hospitals and quality of care found that "for common conditions, particularly in elderly patients, major teaching hospitals generally offer better care than do nonteaching hospitals." It is this commitment to delivering

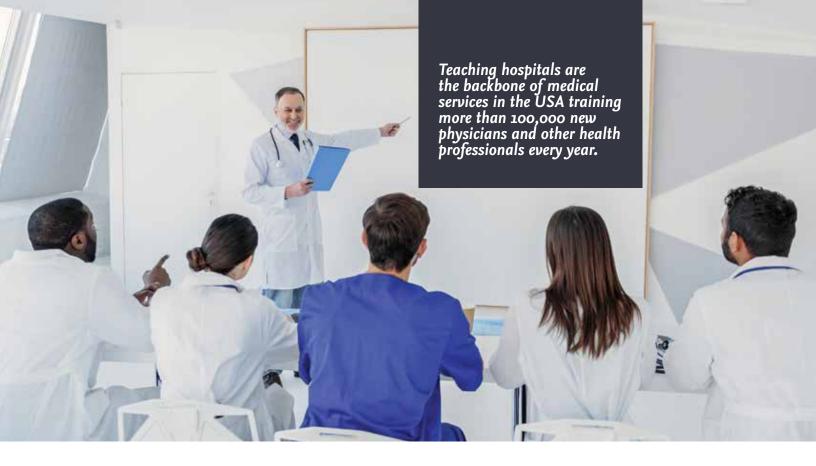
excellent care that attracts the best and the brightest to our teaching hospitals.

#### Reason #3: Leading Edge Research and Treatment

One of the reasons teaching hospitals are highly regarded and able to offer such excellent care is because of the research and clinical trials that are undertaken by them. This ensures our Teaching hospitals are the leaders in new treatments and cures. The possibility of being at the forefront of medical breakthroughs is a strong reason for choosing to work at a teaching hospital. But you don't have to be at the forefront of research to benefit from this aspect of a teaching hospital: the culture of teaching hospitals ensures that these analyses and breakthroughs are shared throughout the institution. Silbersweig argues, "only academic medical centers can provide the environment and expertise that advance the practice of medicine, and ultimately the health of society."

#### Reason #4: Publishing Research

Being involved in leading-edge research doesn't only advance the care you are able to offer patients, there are also personal advantages. First, the ability to stay in the forefront of your chosen field. Second, publishing research or being co-author on an important paper based on the research conducted at your teaching hospital offers opportunities for career advancement you simply can't get at another institution. One of the world's most internationally recognized medical journals, the BMJ, references the following benefits of publication for your career: "Career advancement. International recognition. Advancing



#### Reason #5: Travel

The benefits of participating in leading-edge research expands your boundaries beyond advancing standards of care and advancing your career. The possibility of national and international travel to present research findings are another major benefit. While the prospect of international travel might not be attractive to physicians who are already struggling to balance work and life with the needs of a young family or the other demands of home life, the prospect of being paid to present your findings to other leaders in your field in international centers of excellence is an undeniable attraction for some. If you have this opportunity, it's worth referring to the presentation tips offered by the American College of Physicians (ACP).

#### Reason #6: More Opportunities to Learn

In training young doctors, Lara Goitein argues, "Medical education is essentially a verbal tradition: knowledge is imparted by physicians talking and demonstrating what they mean at the patient's bedside much more than through the written word." The teaching hospital offers the greatest opportunities to nurture your talent.

#### Reason #7: Being Mentored

The Institute of Clinical Research Education states, "Mentoring is the key for developing and sustaining a satisfying professional career." The greater potential to connect with mentors is

another powerful reason to choose to work at a teaching hospital . Compare this with the talent pool with whom you are able to connect in a small rural hospital and you can clearly see the advantage of working in a teaching hospital in terms of finding someone from whom you can learn and make a valuable personal connection.

#### Reason #8: Being a Mentor

The advantage of this wider talent pool in teaching hospitals works both ways. For more senior caliber staff, the opportunity to share your knowledge with passionate and motivated junior staff is compelling. Being a mentor is a rewarding experience and the Teaching Hospital environment offers far more potential for connecting with others whom not only share your specialty but whom share your passion.

#### Reason #9: Improved Career Prospects

For all these reasons, a teaching hospital offers one other major advantage: improved career prospects. Whether through mentoring, research, published articles or simply exposure to leading-edge treatments and technologies and high-caliber peers, working at a teaching hospital is good for your career.

#### Reason #10: Better Job Satisfaction

What's more, the culture of excellence and the enhanced opportunity for learning and knowledge-sharing in a teaching hospital are important contributors to increased job satisfaction.

In an age when we are seeing a crisis in physician burnout and high numbers of people leaving the profession, job satisfaction is more important than ever – both on a personal level and for the profession and service as a whole. Of course, there is a role for mentors in modeling and supporting work-home balance, but the spiritual satisfaction of delivering the highest quality of care and sharing knowledge with peers and juniors helps to recharge depleted batteries and reconnect physicians with the reasons they went into the career in the first place.

Whatever stage you are in your career, working in a teaching hospital can be an incredibly rewarding experience; helping you to develop your career while offering you an opportunity to give back to those just starting theirs.

#### **ABOUT THE AUTHOR**

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You may contact Robert Hendel, MD, FACC (rhendel@tulane.edu)
Chief of Cardiology
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The Cardiovascular Division is an 18-member group that includes general cardiologists as well as specialists in electrophysiology, coronary and peripheral interventions, vascular medicine, heart failure, pulmonary hypertension, cardiac rehabilitation, congenital heart disease, and basic research. An expertise in autonomic dysfunction draws worldwide referrals.

The University of Toledo maintains a fertile environment for academic career advancement. Dramatic near-term growth is anticipated as the University forms a major academic affiliation with the region's Promedica Health Care System.

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Contact Stephenie Moench, Assistant to the Chief, 419-383-6095, stephenie.moench@utoledo.edu

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This physician must be able to provide full spectrum of non-invasive services, including office visits, community hospital consultations, and cardiac imaging including echocardiogram, vascular imaging, stress testing and nuclear imaging.

Clarion County, located in northwestern Pennsylvania has a small town atmosphere that provides its residents and tourists with a heartening feeling of serenity. The Clarion River (which runs through Cook Forest State Park) and Allegheny River provide many scenic areas and recreational activities such as boating, camping, fishing, hunting, hiking, mountain biking, and swimming. Clarion borders on the Piney Dam Reservoir which is suitable for everything from fishing to water skiing. It is also a thriving college town; Clarion University has over 5,000 students located on a 100 acre campus in Clarion, PA.

#### **Contact Information**

Send CV to Ashley Fusco, Physician Recruiter, at <a href="mailto:Ashley.Fusco@AHN.org">Ashley.Fusco@AHN.org</a> or 412-330-6276.

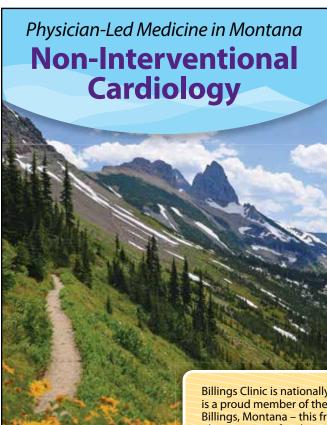


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- Open to new grads and experienced physicians
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# What Recruiters Look For In a Candidate

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he physician recruitment scene is changing. By 2025, millennials will account for about 70% of the workforce. And with many physicians rapidly nearing retirement, the healthcare industry is preparing itself for a major shift in its recruitment ideology.

With 70 million baby boomers preparing to exit the workforce or moving into leadership roles, the industry is facing an impending shortage of mid-career level practitioners. In fact, new data from the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) shows that the United States is expected to experience a deficit of 40,800 to 104,900 doctors by 2030. This means that experienced, sophisticated job-seekers are in demand, prompting recruiters to rethink their approach from the ground up.

Recruiters have recognized that the industry is on the precipice of profound change and have amended their tactics. To get the best candidates from the available pool of mid-career physicians, recruiters now look for the following desirable traits to inform their recruitment efforts.

#### **Communication Skills**

The days of patients relying solely on the advice of their physicians are gone. Patients are more informed and involved in their care than ever (thanks in part to Google and WebMD) and recruiters want candidates who can engage candidly without being dismissive or unreceptive. Recruiters value candidates who show that they can communicate clearly, listen, and are truly invested in the health of their patients. For hospitals, it is paramount that doctors can explain ailments, treatments, and drug options without the use of medical jargon to encourage a more participatory healthcare experience.

#### Electronic Health Records Knowledge

Many facilities will train new physicians on their Electronic Health Records (EHRs), but it is a plus if a candidate is already EHR-savvy or at least has working knowledge of any of the available platforms.

#### Empathy, Respect, and Collaboration

Studies show that patients whose physicians were trusted and showed empathy were more likely to experience positive clinical outcomes. This is in large part because patients tend to stick with a course of treatment if they have trust in their doctors. Recruiters consider a candidate's capacity for compassion a top priority, as it contributes heavily to a physician's presumed clinical capbilities.

Doctors, more than other professions, rely heavily on teamwork and collaboration. It is especially imperative in large hospitals and practices where physicians rely on a network of staff, nurses, and assistants. Physicians who show a willingness to share ideas and work as a team are desirable to recruiters.

#### Adaptability and Flexibility

In an industry that thrives on innovation and efficiency, hospitals and medical offices find it critical to implement new policies and systems often. It is imperative that physicians are highly adaptable and not averse to changes in their environments.

While work-life balance wasn't a consideration when the baby boomers joined the workforce, candidates today place a highpriority on their ability to have a well-rounded life outside of their profession. Recruiters understand this new generation of



job seekers and respect candidates who are upfront and flexible about their scheduling expectations. Employers too, prefer recruiting those who show a willingness to compromise, and are learning to reward them with other incentives like non-traditional shifts, more casual work environments, and signing bonuses.

#### Straightforwardness

Doctors, often tasked with delivering life-changing news, should be straightforward and forthright in their communication. A patient is more likely to be receptive to a physician who is honest and direct about the facts.

#### Cultural Fit

Because healthcare depends on how well a medical team works together, it is crucial that new recruits can adjust easily to their new environment. The industry, however, is a bit behind the curve in considering how well a candidate might fit into an organization. Recruiters, however, taking a cue from other service industries, now look to a candidate's interpersonal skills, attitude towards change, and overall personal affinities to steer hiring decisions.

#### Consistency and Passion

Recruiters are wary of physicians who are inconsistent in their experience or who hop from job to job. Unexplained gaps or dramatic shifts in practice that don't match a candidate's educational background raise red flags. Drastic changes on a CV could indicate to a recruiter that a candidate is trying to conceal malpractice claims or other unflattering details from previous employers.

Also, nothing is more disheartening, or unsettling to a patient, than a physician who does not seem to care about his/her practice. A study by the National Institutes of Health's National Library of Medicine (NIH/NLM) concludes that patient-physician relationships are built on trust, and patients' trust in their providers is derived largely from the passion with which they perform their work. Recruiters will ask questions to gauge a candidate's sincerity and passion for healthcare, and will often pursue the more genuine candidate.

#### **Good References**

Recruiters depend on references not only to verify a candidate's work history, but to get a better feel for how they work in a team environment. These conversations are often revelatory and can seriously hinder or boost a recruits' chances for a job. If a recruiter cannot reach a reference or receives an unfavorable review, they may seek more information from the physician before making a decision.

Healthcare recruiters are often the last line of defense between a patient and a less than stellar physician. Organizations depend on the reputation and commitment of their teams, and as a number of seasoned physicians begin to exit the workforce, they strive to maintain the level of service and professionalism of past generations of physicians, while embracing the needs and challenges of emerging opportunities. Candidates who embody both will remain in high demand for years to come.

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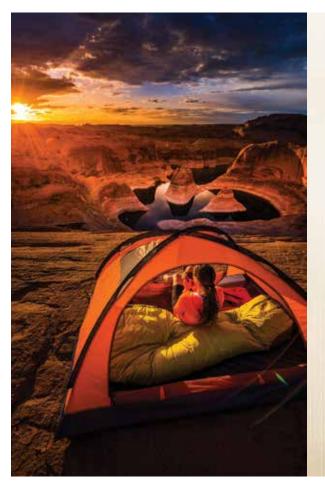
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- Non-invasive cardiology
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- Structural heart and valve center (TAVR, MitraClip, ASD/ PFO closure, VSD closure, Left Atrial Appendage Closure)

This position will benefit from:

- A high volume ambulatory practice with an established referral base and hospital presence
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- 4 weeks combined vacation and CME after attainment of supervisor MD status

This position will require high level skills for:

- Inpatient and outpatient cardiovascular consultative services
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No cardiac catheterization responsibilities are required.

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- Board Certified/Board Eligible Physician (MD or DO)
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