Cortez, CO: rural health care + epic year-round outdoor adventure

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Description:

If you are seeking an exciting opportunity where you can assist in changing the health disparities in rural USA... then your future legacy as a physician is in Cortez, CO at Southwest Health System (SHS)! SHS is seeking Family Medicine physicians for outpatient and inpatient opportunities including Pediatrics, Obstetrics, and Hospitalist.

Cortez, Colorado is located in the Four Corners area and offers a small-town atmosphere in Montezuma-County. Montezuma County is surrounded by beautiful mountain ranges, including Mesa Verde National Park and San Juan National Forest. Southwest Colorado offers a variety of outdoor activities including fishing, hiking, downhill and cross-country skiing, biking, and golf. The weather here allows us to enjoy all four seasons with plenty of sunshine.

Highlights and Benefits:

- Enjoy work/life balance
- Great compensation and benefits
- Competitive Salary plus incentives
- Health Insurance and Retirement Plan
- PTO: Vacation/Holidays/Sick Time
- Loan repayment options
- Time off for CME and very generous CME benefits
- Unique downtown and breath-taking outdoors

• Cortez, CO offers the best of both worlds. Access to endless outdoor activities and a unique downtown with local restaurants, shopping, coffee shops, parks and more!

Locations

- Close to 2 major ski resorts: Telluride and Purgatory
- Close to Moab, Utah

Whether you dream of epic outdoor adventure or creating your own farm in a rural location, Cortez, CO has what you are looking for.

About Southwest Health System:

Southwest Health System operates Southwest Memorial Hospital, a critical access hospital, and Southwest Medical Group's six clinics providing primary and specialty care services. SHS provides over 50 service lines to the community. SHS is a private, not-for-profit corporation operating under all guidelines and regulations for non-profits and is also governed by a volunteer board. For more information, visit www.swhealth.org.

FM Responsibilities:

- Preventative care
- Physicals
- Management of chronic health conditions
- Sick visits
- Annual exams
- Immunizations
- Acute walk-in care
- Option for Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment
- Option for hospital-based pediatrics, obstetrics and adult medicine

Family Medicine & Obstetrics Physicians

Responsibilities:

- Full scope of Family Practice with Obstetrics delivering 10-12 babies per month
- Steady OB volume and must perform cesarean deliveries
- Cover deliveries for physicians in the group in equal rotation currently 10 days per month
- Anesthesia coverage 24/7
- Office hours are 8:00am to 4:30pm Monday-Thursday

Qualifications:

- Board Eligible/Board-Certified FM-OB
- Licensed in Colorado and holds a current DEA Certificate
- Graduate of an ACGME-accredited or AOA-approved OB/GYN residency program