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CANDIDATE DESCRIPTION

PROFFSSIONAL OUALIFICATIONS

- BE/BC Primary Internal Medicine
- Practicing Physician with focus on wellness





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THE POSITION

Our client, located in Southern Colorado, seeks a BE/BC general internist to join a reputable and well-established private group of 5 physicians and 2 nurse practitioners. The practice was established in 1948 and has experienced very low turnover due to a collegial work environment with supportive peers. This is an excellent opportunity to join a practice setting independent of health system ownership and with strong growth potential.

The Front Range location provides a place to live and work in a beautiful and laid back community offering a wide variety of housing options, close proximity to the Rocky Mountains, low cost of living and little congestion, while providing convenient access to metropolitan amenities. Physicians enjoy 30 minute access to mountain biking, hiking, fishing, and hunting, as well as mountain resorts within 2 hours.

Highl ights

- 4-day work week, 9-5 clinic hours
- Call only 1 day per week and 1 weekend in 5
- A supportive hospital partner
- Very low uninsured patient population and strong billing and collections staff
- Minimal hassles short commute times and no outreach responsibilities

Compensation

- Office facilities adjacent to the hospital
- \$190,000 first year salary, plus net income bonus no withhold to the group
- Future earning potential up to \$250,000
- \$38,000 sign on bonus
- \$15,000 relocation package



DID YOU KNOW?

- The City of Pueblo is also known as "America's Home of Heroes"
- Pueblo has been the site of more visits by sitting United States
 Presidents than any other comparable-sized city in the United States



CLIMATE

Jan-Mar: 46 - 18 degreesApr-Jun: 82 - 47 degreesJul-Sep: 87 - 50 degrees



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Heritage Medical Group

Heritage Medical Group offices adjacent to St. Mary-Corwin Medical Center. St. Mary Corwin has been known for leading medical experts, cutting edge technology and a broad array of clinical services. They are home to the only, full service and nationally recognized Dorcy Cancer Center, accredited Breast Center of Excellence, state of the art robotic-assisted surgical technology and maternal-fetal-medicine clinic in the area.

St. Mary-Corwin Medical Center believes communities in their area deserve the unparalleled resources and technologies that they can provide with their world-class physicians, their patient-focused caregivers and their visionary leadership.

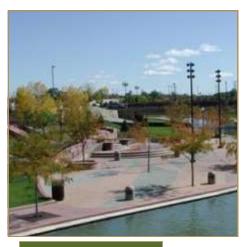
St. Mary-Corwin is part of Centura Health, connecting individuals, families and neighborhoods across Colorado and western Kansas with more than 6,000 physicians and 18,100 of the best hearts and minds in health care.

Puebl o

Pueblo is a multicultural community in Southeastern Colorado at the confluence of the Arkansas River and Fountain Creek. The City of Pueblo has a long and colorful history dating back to 1842, when it was called Fort Pueblo. What brought this city from a small fort in southern Colorado to the backbone of Colorado were the ore mines. The area is considered to be semi-arid desert land, with approximately 12 inches of precipitation annually. With its location in the "Banana Belt", Pueblo tends to get less snow than the other major cities in Colorado.

It's easier to enjoy what Pueblo has to offer with the extra disposable income that comes from the area's low cost of living. According to the 2013 U.S. Census, Pueblo's cost of living was 13 percent lower than the national average. Pueblo has a laid-back vibe and this is something you'll hear from just about any Pueblo resident. It's what makes the area special for residents big and small – the combination of big-city opportunities and small town, low-stress lifestyle.

Being a great place to live also means being a great place to work. A thriving economy helps the tax base and helps a city attract and retain talent. The economy in Pueblo's Pueblo County is led by the Home Health Care Services industry, which accounts for 2.1% of the jobs in the area. Other top employment sectors include Offices of Physicians,



DEMOGRAPHICS

- Population- 108,249
- Median Household Income- \$34,663
- Median Home Price-\$114,800



SURROUNDING CITIES

- Denver 112 miles
- Colorado Springs 44 miles
- Albuquerque NM 335 miles





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Pueblo has changed over time, steel mills giving way to the Riverwalk and family cafes joined by upscale restaurants. Today, the city is a thriving town that values culture and arts as well as livestock shows and hot-rod expos. In fact, the city's Creative Corridor runs through three historic neighborhoods, filled with galleries, museums, fountains, live music and other arts festivities.

One of the city's claims to fame is its Mexican food. Pueblo farmers grow their own variety of green chile, made into a savory stew to top just about anything edible. Local growers bring their produce to farmers' markets all over the region each summer. Each fall, the Chile & Frijoles Festival celebrates the harvest and the city's Hispanic heritage.

Downtown events often revolve around the <u>Sangre de Cristo Arts & Conference Center</u> and adjacent Buell Children's Museum, which has won national recognition for excellence.

The city's ambitious <u>Nature and Raptor Center</u> provides pleasant hiking along the river and houses rescued wild birds such as owls and eagles. There's also <u>Lake Pueblo State Park</u> west of town, where fishing, boating and other water sports are the order of the day, as well as great mountain biking trails. And in City Park, there's a zoo, including children's carnival rides and an antique carousel.

Pueblo has not forgotten its roots. Witness the revitalization of the Union Avenue Historic District and the completely rebuilt El Pueblo Museum, which honors the area's history and cultural diversity. Those in search of more history can find it at Rosemount Museum, home of one of the city's founding fathers, or the Steelworks Museum of Industry & Culture, which houses a

HELPFUL WEBSITES

<u>http://www.pueblo.us</u>
http://www.livability.com/co/pueblo