

GASTROENTEROLOGY DIVISION DIRECTOR

The Division of Gastroenterology, Nutrition and Hepatology is a large, diverse and growing group, composed of 25 board certified physicians, 6 clinical psychologists and 17 advanced practice nurses. There are four sections within the division, including the Sections of Gastroenterology, Hepatology & Transplantation, Neurogastroenterology & Motility and Gastroenterology Psychology.

The division provides over 20,000 outpatient visits yearly with nearly half those visits being provided in multidisciplinary or interdisciplinary clinics. There are 17 multi/ interdisciplinary programs hosted within the division and we participate in five multi/interdisciplinary clinics housed outside of the division.

The hallmark of clinical operations is holistic team care to meet the comprehensive needs of all our patients. In addition to clinics at our primary Adele Hall Campus, the division provides clinics at four other Children's Mercy locations within the Kansas City metropolitan area plus four regional outreach locations. Many of our programs provide consultative service to pediatric gastroenterology programs across a six-state region. The division also has two inpatient teams, one providing direct patient care for gastroenterology and hepatology patients and the other providing consultative service to other teams.

The division is one of the largest in the U.S. and nationally recognized for providing excellent care for children with complex intestinal, liver, esophageal and nutritional disorders. For example:

- Our innovative abdominal pain program is led by dedicated gastroenterologists and clinical psychologists.
- Our IBD program is one of the largest in the nation and actively participates in the ImproveCareNow Collaborative network.
- With four dedicated physicians, our neurogastroenterology and motility program is one of the largest in the nation and provides a full array of motility diagnostic and therapeutic procedures.

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MAKE YOUR MOVE

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Kansas City is a thriving cultural and economic city with more than 2 million residents. Our city's long list of attractions includes world class museums, a vibrant arts scene, professional sports, superb shopping, great jazz clubs, and the best places to enjoy barbeque! The city offers low cost-of-living, excellent commute times, and a vibrant downtown, eight-block dining, entertainment and shopping district. Kansas City offers excellent opportunities for both public and private school venues and is home to several colleges and universities. It's a community with a heart - friendly, easy-going and forward-thinking - a great place to live and pursue a career. For more information about activities in Kansas City go to www.visitkc.com.





FIND YOUR OPPORTUNITY AT CHILDREN'S MERCY

You don't have to wait your turn to change the world. We're looking for physicians who are ready to put their training to the best possible use: transforming the health, well-being and potential of children and their families.

Children's Mercy Kansas City is an independent, non-profit, 390-bed pediatric health system, providing over half a million patient encounters each year for children from across the country. Children's Mercy is ranked by U.S. News & World Report in nine specialties. We have received Magnet® recognition five times for excellence in nursing services. In academic affiliation with the University of Missouri-Kansas City and the University of Kansas School of Medicine, our faculty of nearly 800 pediatric specialists and researchers is actively involved in clinical care, pediatric research and educating the next generation of pediatricians and pediatric subspecialists.

The Children's Mercy Research Institute (CMRI) integrates research and clinical care with nationally recognized expertise in genomic medicine, precision therapeutics, population health and health care innovation. In 2021 the CMRI moved into a nine-story, 375,000-square-foot space emphasizing a translational approach to research in which clinicians and researchers work together to accelerate the pace of discovery that enhances care.

For more information about Children's Mercy Kansas City and about Kansas City itself, visit cmkc.link/TakeYourPlace.



· Our polyposis team is a key contributor to clinical position papers and guidelines for both American and European pediatric gastroenterology societies.

The division also has a robust and extensive procedural program, performing nearly 5,000 procedures annually, including advanced procedures such as ERCP and double-balloon enteroscopy.

Through academic affiliation with the University of Missouri-Kansas City and the University of Kansas School of Medicine, we are actively involved in scholarly activities including teaching and research. The division has a long-standing ACGME-approved pediatric gastroenterology fellowship program and an embedded research team with capabilities across the full array of transitional research activities. The division publishes over 60 peer-reviewed manuscripts annually and typically sponsors over 70 ongoing research studies at any given time.











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