



Northern Arizona Healthcare
Children's Health Center

Spring 2024
Newsletter

Comprehensive pediatric health care



Safe Child
Center



Inspire
Clinic



Therapies
(PT, OT, SLP)



Specialty
Clinics

Featured: **Adaptive Play at Children's Health Center (CHC)**

CHC utilizes an outdoor adaptive playground space that benefits patient care in physical therapy, occupational therapy, neurology, dietetics, developmental pediatrics, speech language pathology and the Inspire program.

Patients perform a plan of care in a fun outdoor environment that promotes negotiation of uneven terrains, challenges patient's core strength and provides opportunities for patients to perform independent standing while engaging with playground equipment. Patients are known to show better focus during specific tasks and goals because they get to enjoy fresh air and open space to run around safely.



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It's **Occupational Therapy Month** in April and **Better Hearing and Speech Month** in May. We appreciate our Occupational Therapists (OT) Susan Drexler; Kathy Barrett and Danielle Sweets, our Speech Therapists Hannah Hermann; Hannah Ward; Aubrey Stubler; JunLi Gallagher; Rebecca Lightner and Cassadi Duncan, and Audiologist Jennifer Lee!

2024 MACHINE SOLUTIONS RUN AND WALK FOR KIDS

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN



Join us Saturday, Aug. 3:

- Proceeds benefit CHC
- Participate at Fort Tuthill in Flagstaff or virtually
- To register scan the QR code or visit runsignup.com



NEW STAFF AT CHC



HANNAH WARD, CF-SLP

Hannah is a pediatric speech-language pathologist. She received her bachelor's degree in speech and hearing sciences from Portland State University and master's degree in clinical speech-language pathology from Northern Arizona University. She absolutely loves getting to work with children and their families everyday!

NEW SPECIALTY CLINIC DOCTORS AT CHC



ASHISH S. PATEL, MD

Dr. Patel has been with Phoenix Children's Hospital since 2019. Previously he served as the associate clinical director of the University of Texas, Southwestern Medical Center, Gastroenterology Program. He was recently recognized as a Top Doctor recipient by PHOENIX magazine.



JOSEPH C. WOOLLEY, DO

Dr. Woolley is a pediatric gastroenterologist with a special interest in cystic fibrosis. He is a member of the gastroenterology division of Phoenix Children's Hospital, and he works to partner with patients and families to empower them to take ownership of their own care.

Services offered:

Specialty Clinics and Services:

- Cardiology
- Developmental pediatrics
- ENT (ear, nose, throat)
- Gastroenterology
- Inspire
- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- Orthopedics and custom orthotics
- Plastic surgery
- Registered dietitian nutritionists
- Safe Child Center
- Urology
- Wheelchair/Seating

Therapies:

- Physical
- Speech/Language
- Occupational
- Nutrition
- Feeding/Swallowing

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