Trinity Health Physician Opportunity
Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center
Posting #THSTALRMC – 815

SPECIALTY Cardiology – Interventional
HOSPITAL Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center - Boise
LOCATION Boise, Idaho
GROUP PRACTICE Yes
PRACTICE MODEL Employment or Professional Services Agreement (PSA)
STATUS Full Time
AVAILABILITY 2017 – 2018
REQUIREMENTS Fellowship Trained
Board Certified or Board Eligible
CALL COVERAGE 1:4

OPPORTUNITY HIGHLIGHTS

Saint Alphonsus Medical Group (SAMG) and Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center (SARMC) have an excellent full-time employment or Professional Services Agreement opportunity for an Interventional Cardiology physician to join our ambulatory network of growing multispecialty group practices located throughout the metropolitan area of Boise, Idaho.

Saint Alphonsus Medical Group (SAMG) is a physician led and accountable 380+ provider multispecialty group practice that has an excellent opportunity for an Interventional Cardiologist with a passion for general and interventional cardiology and expertise in diagnosis and treatment of adult cardiovascular disease to join a 15 member cardiology group practice that is employed by and integrated within Saint Alphonsus Health System. The Cardiology group also includes eight mid-level providers (NP/PA’s). Cardiologists participate with hospital administration in managing the cardiovascular service line collaboratively. SAMG, with primary and specialty care providers at 74 clinic locations, is also a member of the Saint Alphonsus Health Alliance, a network of over 1,800 employed and independent providers.

The Saint Alphonsus Heart Institute is an outstanding comprehensive cardiovascular program with many other differentiating services which include an accredited Chest Pain
center, a Joint Commission Certified Stroke Center, a Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery program, a CVOR that operated on over 400 patients last year, a CV Research program, advanced EP lab with Stereotaxis robotics and a Women’s Heart Care Program.

The requirements for this physician opportunity include successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited Cardiovascular disease fellowship training program and board certification through the American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM) in Cardiovascular Diseases or the American Osteopathic Board of Internal Medicine (AOBIM) with certification of special qualification (CSQ) in Cardiology (or obtain such certifications within 3 years of employment). A strong cardiovascular disease background with excellent training as well as a desire to develop a practice to support a growing multi-specialty medical group is also required.

In order to provide support in a multi-disciplinary and collegial fashion, the selected candidate will obtain unrestricted medical licensure and valid controlled substance registrations with Idaho and Oregon agencies to maintain and strengthen the Health System’s heart care programs across all communities we serve. This opportunity also requires granting of privileges at other hospitals as needed to include cardiac catheterizations (left and right heart catheterizations), electrocardiograms, holter and echocardiogram interpretation, stress treadmill testing & supervision, stress echos as well as defibrillator and pacemaker checks. Nuclear cardiology skills are welcome but not required and Echo board certification is not a requirement of the position.

Saint Alphonsus Health System (SAHS) is the regional leader in telemedicine innovation and the successful candidate will have the opportunity to integrate the use of telemedicine into their practice to reach and better serve more remote communities.

SAMG currently utilizes Cerner PowerChart as their Inpatient EMR/Computerized Order Entry; therefore experience with Electronic Medical Records is preferred.

The schedule for this opportunity is primarily weekdays caring for patients in ambulatory, outpatient, and inpatient settings. The call is shared equitably with other Saint Alphonsus Interventional Cardiologists (approximately 1:4). Outreach clinics 1-2 times per month may be required at other health system sites within 3 hours drive time of Boise, Idaho.

**Saint Alphonsus Health System (SAHS) Values, Mission and Vision**

We support this mission by living our core values of Reverence, Commitment to Those Who are Poor, Justice, Stewardship, and Integrity. We at SAHS serve together in the spirit of the Gospel as a compassionate and transforming healing presence within our communities.

Unified by our faith-based mission, SAHS will:
- Provide healing and hope, close to home
- Help our communities grow and thrive
- Be a trusted partner for life
- Deliver value in everything we do
Saint Alphonsus Health System Guiding Behaviors

As a Catholic Health Care Services provider, Saint Alphonsus has a cultural expectation that all providers deliver care in accordance with the USCCB Ethical and Religious Directives for Catholic Health Care Services.

Saint Alphonsus greatly values the input and leadership of our providers and encourages each provider to actively participate in department meetings, SAMG Leadership Council and in matters of practice/service line development.

As continuous learners, we also encourage and promote ongoing continuing medical education (CME) activities for our providers and will financially support your CME endeavors. Additionally, as part of our shared vision to become a trusted health partner for life, we strive to continuously increase patient satisfaction and loyalty.

This is an exciting opportunity for the right Interventional Cardiology candidates to be part of Saint Alphonsus Health System.

About Saint Alphonsus Heart and Vascular Service – Boise

In providing and further developing an interventional cardiology service on behalf of Saint Alphonsus Heart Care in Boise, Idaho, you can expect to enjoy the strong support of the Saint Alphonsus Heart and Vascular Service, a nationally recognized comprehensive cardiac, thoracic and vascular program.

Additionally, there is a dedicated electrophysiology (EP) lab on the Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center (SARMC) campus in Boise and it is equipped with the Stereotaxis EPOCH Robotic Navigation System. Now well established (in place for past two years), the Stereotaxis program is one of the most successful in the region. EP services are part of an outstanding comprehensive cardiovascular program with many other differentiating services which include Chest Pain Accreditation, Echocardiography Accreditation (ICAEL), Cardiovascular Rehabilitation Accreditation at both Nampa and Boise sites (AACVPR), a Joint Commission Certified Stroke Center, a Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery program, Lipid Apheresis, and a Women’s Heart Care Program.

RECRUITMENT PACKAGE
An excellent and competitive income and benefits package is available.

ABOUT THE FACILITY

Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center – Boise, Idaho, is a 387 bed regional medical center serving people throughout the Northwest and is the principal provider of advanced, innovative and interdisciplinary services. It is also the region’s only ACS verified Level II Trauma Center whose annual trauma volumes exceed 1,250 with over 400 patients with an ISS>16. Trauma is predominantly blunt in nature. There are a wide range of subspecialty services available 24/7, including strong trauma/surgical critical care, neurosurgical coverage, in-house interventional radiologists,
vascular surgeons, cardiothoracic surgeons and fellowship trained intensivists and cardiologists.

As a not-for-profit medical center, Saint Alphonsus reinvests profits back into the community and works to improve the health and well-being of those we serve by emphasizing care that is patient-centered, innovative and community based. It focuses on providing services in a spiritual, healing environment; is renowned for its state-of-the-art digital environment and pioneering technologies including advanced imaging capabilities; and is known for its award-winning clinical services.

On January 15, 2013, HealthGrades® 11th annual Hospital Quality and Clinical Excellence Study again named Saint Alphonsus a Distinguished Hospital for Clinical Excellence™ for the third year in a row. Saint Alphonsus is the only hospital in Idaho to receive this recognition five times since the award originated in 2003 (2003, 2006, 2011, 2012 and 2013). This prestigious distinction places our medical center among the Top 5% of hospitals nationwide for clinical performance.

The medical center is part of Saint Alphonsus Health System, a growing four-hospital, 714-bed integrated healthcare system serving the full range of the health and wellness needs of the people in southwestern Idaho, eastern Oregon and northern Nevada. The system is comprised of Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise, Idaho, Saint Alphonsus Medical Center in Nampa, Idaho, Saint Alphonsus Medical Center in Ontario, Oregon and Saint Alphonsus Medical Center in Baker City, Oregon. Saint Alphonsus Health System is a member of Trinity Health, the second largest Catholic Health System in the nation. Trinity Health is based in Livonia, Michigan.

For more information about Saint Alphonsus Health System, www.saintalphonsus.org

COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION

Boise, Idaho, is an economically vibrant and growing community. Boise is a mid-sized metropolitan area of approximately 640,000 people. A commercial center in the Northwest, Boise is an outdoor enthusiast’s paradise and a flourishing scene for arts, entertainment and collegiate and professional sports. Known as the “City of Trees,” Boise also offers a reasonable cost of living, low crime rate, excellent cultural programs, numerous neighborhood parks and nearby national forests and rivers. Idaho’s culture of physician independence also makes it one of the best places in America to be a practicing physician.

Several high-profile publications rank the Boise metro area as one of the best places in the country to do business and live.

♦ Outside Magazine recently said, “The winner for best overall town in the western U.S. is Boise, Idaho.”
♦ Forbes recently ranked the Boise metro area 2nd for raising a family; particularly noting its low crime and high school quality, not to mention the chance to mix urban and outdoor lifestyles.
♦ CNN/Money ranks the Boise metro area 3rd best place to retire and also named Idaho as the friendliest state for small businesses.
♦ Medscape Medical News identifies Boise and Idaho as the Best City and State to practice medicine in the West & Northwest Region of the U.S.
For many, work life in Boise is characterized by diverse industries, like technology, government and financial services. Boise is headquarters for several major companies and manufacturing facilities. The corporate community includes Fortune 500 members: Hewlett Packard, Boise Cascade, Washington Group International and Micron Technology. Leading employers also include state government, universities, regional health centers and high tech companies.

When it comes to enjoyment, there are many ways to play in Boise. Situated where the high desert meets the western edge of the Rocky Mountains, Boise is the gateway to exceptional recreational opportunities including: world famous white-water rafting, Nordic and Alpine skiing, snowboarding, hunting, fishing, backpacking, hiking, biking, and camping. A charming downtown area delights residents with fine dining, theater, dance clubs and live music. Summer nights are spent taking in performances at the Idaho Shakespeare Festival or enjoying outdoor live concerts at the Idaho Center. A regional hub for jazz and theater, and home to The Boise Center which hosts numerous functions throughout the year, Boise is a delightful blend of traditional and non-traditional sights and attractions.

Boise frequently receives national recognition for its quality of life and business climate. Recent national rankings include: Best places for business and careers as well as Most Secure Place to Live (500,000 or more residents). Boise and the surrounding communities afford a quality of life second to none. Offering good jobs, affordable housing, a safe, clean and vibrant downtown, and with its vision of becoming the Most Livable City in the Country, the Boise area is a great place to live, work, and raise a family.

For more information on Boise, please visit www.boise.org

ABOUT TRINITY HEALTH

Trinity Health is one of the largest multi-institutional Catholic health care delivery systems in the nation. We serve people and communities in 22 states from coast to coast with more than 90 hospitals and 120 continuing care facilities – including home care, hospice, PACE and senior living facilities and programs that provide nearly two million visits annually. Trinity Health employs more than 131,000 colleagues, including 5,300 employed physicians.

Our mission: We, Trinity Health, serve together in the spirit of the Gospel as a compassionate and transforming healing presence within our communities. We support this mission by living our core values of Reverence, Commitment to Those Who are Poor, Justice, Stewardship, and Integrity. Committed to recruiting talented physicians, we are looking for physicians who share our values and want to help us fulfill the health care needs of the communities we serve.

At Trinity Health, we value the physician relationship and focus on partnering with our physicians. Whether you are a practicing physician looking to relocate or a medical resident, we offer opportunities with the flexibility to fit your individual needs. If you would like to be part of Trinity Health, we encourage you to explore this opportunity at www.trinity-health.org.

If you are interested in this opportunity and would like to submit your CV, please email backkg@trinity-health.org or call Trinity Health Physician Recruitment at (734) 343-2300.