

**Chief of Pediatric Orthopedics
CU School of Medicine
Anschutz Medical Campus
Department of Orthopedics**

The University of Colorado School of Medicine seeks individuals with demonstrated commitment to creating an inclusive learning and working environment. We value the ability to engage effectively with students, faculty and staff of diverse backgrounds. The Department of Orthopedics at the University of Colorado School of Medicine in Aurora, Colorado is seeking an experienced board-certified Orthopedic Surgeon with sub-specialty in Pediatric Surgery. This position will also serve as the Pediatric Chief.

All candidates must have completed a 5-year residency and a one-year fellowship, have an interest in developing a clinical practice and research endeavors and participate in our resident/fellowship education program. Academic rank and salary will be commensurate with the level of expertise and academic credentials.

The role of Chief of Pediatric Orthopedics will be primarily responsible for programmatic and operational direction of the Pediatric Section of Orthopedics with an emphasis on faculty development, while ensuring the enforcement of the Medical Staff Bylaws, rules and regulations, and Policies and Procedures within the department. Clinical responsibilities include building his/her own new practice as well as the practices of faculty within the section, and actively participating in continued growth of Pediatric Orthopedics programs at Children's Hospital Colorado.

The candidate will potentially provide medical services in both the inpatient and outpatient environments and satellite practices as needed. Children's Hospital Colorado is a national leader in pediatric care and the Chief's practice is expected to be at a national level of quality. Teaching responsibilities include participating in the education of Orthopedic residents, fellows, and medical students as directed by the Vice Chair of Education.

Research responsibilities including actively pursuing and participating in research activities, clinical and basic science as well as mentoring residents and other faculty in research endeavors, under the direction of the Vice Chair of Research. Administrative responsibilities include clinical and financial oversight of pediatric orthopedic section staff, and coordination of planning of OR time, clinic space, and research space.

Preferred Qualifications

- Leadership experience
- Growing and expanding pediatric orthopedic programs
- Experience in quality initiatives and patient data outcomes
- Academic experience
- Basic financial understanding and experience creating an annual budget
- Candidates must meet the minimum qualifications at the time of hire

To apply, provide recommendations, or to request additional information on this opportunity, please contact: **Andrea Hanson of Merritt Hawkins**. Interested candidates should provide their curriculum vitae and a letter of interest outlining key leadership experiences to Andrea.Hanson@merrithawkins.com. All interactions will remain confidential.