About Our Health System

UPMC Altoona (part of the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center hospital network) offers exceptional career growth opportunities and stability as part of a financially strong and thriving world-class health system. The 400-bed regional health care system provides care to nearly 350,000 residents in central Pennsylvania. UPMC Altoona is a level II trauma center, regional oncology center, and a Joint Commission certified stroke center. The hospital provides comprehensive cardiology and cardiovascular surgery, neurosurgery, vascular and endovascular surgery, behavioral health, vascular and wound care. The Health System’s medical staff is comprised of approximately 400 primary care physicians and specialists.

UPMC Altoona Regional Health Services (ARHS) is a multi-specialty physician group that employs over 100 physicians and 65 advance practice providers (APPs) in cardiology, dermatology, endocrinology, ENT, family practice, internal medicine, medical oncology, neurology, orthopedics, plastic surgery, pulmonology, radiology and urology.

About The Practice

ARHS Blair Medical Neurology practice offers an exciting opportunity for a BC/BE neuro-hospitalist to join a growing neurology team. The practice currently includes 3 neurologists and 3 APPs with plans to grow to 5 neurologists – 2 inpatient and 3 outpatient office practice physicians. Our neurology team provides general neurology, neurophysiology, electro-diagnostic medicine, stroke and neuro-ophthalmology to residents within a six-county region.

About The Opportunity

100% of the neuro-hospitalists’ work is with inpatients in the UPMC Altoona Hospital. Work schedule is 7 days on, 7 days off with on-call coverage during the week on. Work includes rounding on approximately 18-20 inpatients per day, answering an average of 4-6 inpatient consults per day, and responding to in-hospital stroke team activations.

Competitive compensation and benefits package includes salary + productivity bonus, sign-on bonus, relocation assistance, annual CME stipend, paid vacation, health/dental/vision and life insurance, retirement benefits and malpractice insurance.

About Our Community

Altoona and the surrounding communities provide an opportunity to celebrate the change of seasons, appreciate an outdoor lifestyle, and enjoy a balance between work and play. The area is rich in culture, excellent schools, sports, outdoor recreation, shopping and dining experiences, with easy access to nearby major metropolitan areas.

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