

One of the greatest assets of the Franciscan Health Family Medicine Residency Program is its directors and practicing family physicians who provide supervision in various aspects of outpatient and inpatient care. Their real-world experience offers a practical perspective to the residency training. The Franciscan program is an unopposed program, and there is enthusiastic support from all hospital staff. Residents are treated like colleagues and a sense of camaraderie develops through one-on-one, side-by-side teaching.



**CARRIE
ANDERSON, MD**
PROGRAM DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Her interests include obstetrics, women's health, childhood development, laser medicine and addiction medicine. She enjoys working with people from all walks of life and teaching the next generation of family physicians.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Anderson has a love for nature and most sunny days off she can be found outside running, hiking, swimming, gardening or relaxing at the lake. She loves reunions with her family and spending time with her husband and two sons.

WHY SHE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY

Franciscan Health has been her career home for over 15 years now. While she has seen it change, the tradition of compassionate care and respect for life has always remained. She could not imagine working in a more supportive environment and she enjoys the camaraderie.



**KATHERINE
CHOBANOV, DO**
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Kansas City University of Medicine and Biosciences
Kansas City, Missouri

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Chobanov is particularly interested in diabetes and weight loss management as well as ER and acute care.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Chobanov enjoys spending time with family, reading, traveling, horseback riding and trying new restaurants.

WHY SHE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY

She chose Franciscan Health because of the atmosphere of the residency and hospital. She wanted to attend a program that permitted her to gain experience in all fields of medicine during her training to become a well-rounded family physician.



**ADAM
PAARLBERG, MD**
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Paarlberg's clinical interests include emergency medicine, geriatrics, global health, preventive care, mental health, obstetrics, inpatient medicine and medical ethics.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Paarlberg enjoys music/guitar, travel, spending time with family, fitness, religion and philosophy.

**WHY HE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

He enjoys the wonderful people and family-friendly academic environment which encourages and fosters autonomy and the pursuit of personal and professional goals.



**JASON
RIESER, MD**
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Rieser's clinical interests include inpatient medicine, procedures, preventive medicine and improving office efficiency. He is passionate about finding solutions to ease the current rise in physician burnout.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Rieser enjoys spending time with his wife and twin boys and attacking whatever new adventures comes their way. Personally, he enjoys running, travel, shooting, skiing, SCUBA diving and serving at his church.

**WHY HE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

In Franciscan he found an institution encompassing an amazing reputation, continual pursuit of excellence, supportive administration, stellar leadership, and a genuine family atmosphere with a unified goal of training the next generation of physicians.



**WILLIAM
WARD, MD**

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Loma Linda University
San Diego, California

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Ward has always had an interest in preventive/lifestyle medicine. He also enjoys inpatient medicine, obstetrics and an office practice—the full scope of family medicine.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Ward devotes most of his free time to family and church activities. He has volunteered as a youth camp doctor. He also plays racquetball and attends an occasional golf outing.

**WHY HE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

After several years in private practice, he became interested in teaching. He felt the Franciscan program would be a good fit and more than 20 years later, he still believes that was the right decision.



**RYAN
TAYLOR, DO**

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Midwestern University-Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine
Downers Grove, Illinois

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Taylor enjoys office-based family medicine, sports medicine and helping patients lead active lifestyles. He completed a sports medicine fellowship.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

He likes watching and playing sports, outdoor activities and movies.

**WHY HE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

He chose Franciscan because of the people. It is a tight-knit group that is supportive of each other's goals.



**KRISTIN
WOOD, MD**
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Dr. Wood is most interested in caring for women and children, including obstetrical care. She takes great joy in bringing new life into the world and watching that infant grow. She also enjoys patient education and treating entire generations of families.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Wood enjoys spending time with her family, movie nights, walks around the neighborhood and activities like rock climbing. Physical fitness is important, and she likes to focus on training for sprint triathlons and running races.

**WHY SHE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

Franciscan Health puts the patient first no matter what. The Franciscan traditions provide a firm foundation that support the importance of Christ in her practice and life.



**RICHARD
FELDMAN, MD**
PROGRAM DIRECTOR
EMERITUS AND DIRECTOR
OF MEDICAL EDUCATION

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

He has an interest in vaccines and dermatology. He served as Franciscan Health Family Medicine Residency's program director for the past 36 years. Dr. Feldman also served as the President of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians in 2003-2004.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Feldman enjoys golf, art collecting, and Native American studies and religion. He served as Indiana's Commissioner of Health from 1997 to 2001 and continues his work in public health and healthcare policy as an editorial columnist for several Indiana newspapers including the Indianapolis Star.



**GEROLD
BUTLER, MD**

PEDIATRIC EDUCATION
COORDINATOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

He is interested in childhood asthma, ADHD and developmental issues.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Butler enjoys motorsports, travel and spending time with family.

**WHY HE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

Franciscan Health has always been his home hospital, and it was a natural evolution to join the residency program.



**STEPHANIE CASE,
PsyD, HSPP**

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
FACULTY

EDUCATION

University of Indianapolis (Clinical Psychology)
Indianapolis, Indiana

CLINICAL INTERESTS

She believes in treating the whole person from a bio-psycho-social-spiritual perspective. She has a special interest in treating children and adolescents. She enjoys the opportunity to work side-by-side with medical professionals, especially providing education and consultation to physician residents and behavioral health trainees.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Dr. Case enjoys dance, yoga, scrapbooking, woodworking and anything she can create. She's a lifelong learner and enjoys acquiring new skills and information. She likes reading autobiographies and watching documentaries.

**WHY SHE CHOSE FRANCISCAN HEALTH
FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY**

Franciscan Health embodies the values and culture she grew up with. The residency fosters teamwork, support for integrated health and treatment of the whole person.