



*At [Arc Health](#), we connect the best medical providers to the most underserved communities. We embed health equity at the forefront of our work and invest in local health professionals who will serve vulnerable communities for a lifetime.*

**Posting Date:** January 2021

**Position Title:** Family Medicine or Internal Medicine Physician or Med-Peds

**Position Type:** Full-time

**Location:** Chinle, AZ

**Start Date:** May 3, 2021, Minimum 6-week commitment, likely to extend

**Position Overview:**

Arc Health is seeking a Family Medicine or Internal Medicine physician in Chinle, AZ to provide outpatient primary care at a comprehensive health care facility. This is a full-time position, and, ideally, the clinician will commit to returning to the facility, and may even consider a permanent position.

- Schedule: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm, occasional evening clinic work, no/very rare call or weekends. Thursday morning admin time.
- Typically, providers see 16 to 18 patients per day
- No OB coverage

**Location & Population:**

The health facility is based in Chinle, Arizona (Northeast Arizona near Canyon De Chelly National Monument). It is a 60 bed hospital which serves as the health care hub for the region. The medical staff includes Family Physicians, Internists, Pediatricians, General Surgeons, OB/GYN's, Anesthesiologists, and a Psychiatrist. In addition to routine outpatient and inpatient primary care, services available to our patients include: Adult Intensive Care, General Surgery (including laparoscopic surgery), routine and operative Obstetrics, and 24-Hour Emergency Room Services. Health care services are provided to approximately 37,000 active users. Strong Navajo cultural traditions exist within the community, offering an opportunity to learn the Navajo language, or to learn about traditional Navajo medicine.

The service unit is located on the Colorado Plateau with excellent opportunities for photography, hiking, running, road biking, cross country skiing, and mountain biking. Canyon de Chelly National Monument is within 5 miles of the hospital and is a wonderful place for exploring and sightseeing, running and mountain biking.

**Primary Responsibilities:**

- Diagnose and treat acute, episodic or chronic illnesses
- Perform comprehensive physical examinations for adults

- Participate in quality improvement/patient safety projects
- Communicate with collaborating physicians or specialists regarding patient care

**Candidates must be:**

- Committed to rural, Tribal, and underserved healthcare
- Compassionate, mission-driven social medicine practitioners
- Interested in joining a dynamic and potentially disruptive social healthcare enterprise
- Board-certified or board-eligible in Family Medicine or Internal Medicine; Candidates just graduating residency may be Board-eligible only.
- Licensed in any state – active, unrestricted license
- Completed a US residency program
- Not had a loss of licensure or suspended licensure
- Not had a lapse in practice > 6 months leading up to assignment
- Be able to commit to a minimum of 4 weeks or more at a time
- Have a valid unrestricted DEA with schedule I-V

**Benefits include:**

- Flexible career options that allow rotating between domestic and international work
- Competitive compensation
- **Malpractice** coverage, including tail insurance
- Flexible spending stipend for loan repayment
- **Housing and Travel:** Can be arranged on your own or by Arc Health. Fully paid for by Arc Health
- Supportive and engaged community of social medicine practitioners

**Arc Health** is a mission-driven social healthcare enterprise and actively seeking physicians and other advanced practice providers of multiple specialties to join us in serving rural, underserved, and Tribal communities. In underserved, rural communities in the United States and around the world, there is a near-universal relationship between persistent poverty and a lack of dedicated and qualified healthcare providers.

This is an opportunity to join an early-stage organization that aims to disrupt the large temporary medical staffing industry. This opportunity will allow the right leader to shape and transform Arc Health as we establish a strong rights-based, social mission into the locum tenens space.

Permanent and contract positions are available to providers through four career pathways. Arc Ambassadors- salaried, one year commitment; Arc Shares- salaried, 6-12 month commitment; Arc Link- hourly, part-time commitment, and Arc Independent- hourly, 1099 independent contractor relationship, best for intermittent work. If you have further questions about our pathways, please email us at [ethosbuild@archealthjustice.com](mailto:ethosbuild@archealthjustice.com).

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