



Meet Our Family Medicine Residents



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ABOUT ME

I was born in Scottsdale, Arizona. I received bachelor's degrees in Physiology and Molecular Cellular Biology from the University of Arizona in Tucson before attending the University of Arizona in Phoenix for medical school -- Go Wildcats! I also lived for a time in a small town in the mountains of northern Arizona. This experience taught me a lot about the needs of rural communities and the importance of access to quality medicine.

WHY CHOOSE DEACONESS?

On my path to medicine, I originally thought I wanted to be a surgeon, but ultimately several personal experiences changed my passion to wanting to treat patients at the primary care level where disease can both be managed and prevented before it gets harder to treat. I also want to become part of a community where I can treat the whole family while supporting them as they navigate through both the good times and some of the harder ones. I'm passionate about taking my experiences caring for everyone, from all walks of life, and becoming active in public health and policy. I am stoked to become part of the family medicine residency at Deaconess, an unopposed, full-spectrum program with procedural training and a diverse patient population. I know that Deaconess is unique in that it has all the opportunities that led me to choose a career in family medicine!

HOBBIES/INTERESTS

Some of my hobbies outside medicine include both playing and watching sports (I have a cousin that pitched for the Evansville Otters for the past couple years). I also love travel, hiking, camping, and fishing. I enjoy restoring old houses and do much of the work myself. Lastly, I have a very vocal Siberian Forest cat named Chloe that greets me at the door after a long day!