

Pediatric Providers



Reshma Thadani, MD

Pediatric Associate Medical Director

Dr. Thadani received her B.A. in Child Psychology and Spanish from Tufts University. She then completed her Master's in Public Health in Population and Family Health from Columbia University. She received her medical degree from Drexel University College of Medicine and completed her pediatric residency at Children's Hospital and Research Center Oakland in 2006. Prior to joining RFHC in 2008, Dr. Thadani worked for two years at Bancroft Pediatric Medical Group in San Leandro. She is on the general pediatrics faculty at the Stanford University School of Medicine and is interested in reducing rates of asthma and obesity in underserved populations.



Elizabeth Baca, MD, MPA

Pediatrician

Dr. Baca grew up in New Mexico and was volunteering at a community pediatric clinic in a high-risk neighborhood long before becoming a pediatrician. After college she started her master's work in public policy in Venezuela and had the opportunity to work with the United Nations. Upon returning to the U.S., she completed her Masters in Public Administration at Harvard Kennedy School of Government and her medical degree at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Baca completed her pediatric training in the Pediatric Leadership for the Underserved (PLUS) program at University of California, San Francisco in 2008. Given her interest in international affairs she has worked in Nigeria, Venezuela, Mozambique, Egypt, Afghanistan, and Honduras. She is passionate about reducing health disparities, in particular access to healthy nutrition and physical activity. Dr. Baca is on the general pediatric faculty at Stanford and works with the Pediatric Advocacy Program to train pediatric residents and medical students.



Lisa J. Chamberlain, MD, MPH

Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine

General Pediatrics, Packard Children's Hospital since July 2000, Dr Chamberlain works at RFHC one day a week. Dr. Chamberlain completed her medical training at the University of Arizona College of Medicine in 1996, and her pediatric residency at Lucile Packard Children's Hospital in 1999. As a Maternity and Child Health grant recipient, she completed the Masters in Public Health program at University of California, Berkeley. Received a grant from David and Lucile Packard Foundation to develop and implement and evaluate a pediatric advocacy training program and from the William Randolph Hearst Foundation to expand and disseminate the program.



Lisa Lestishock, PNP

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner

Lisa Lestishock joined our pediatric team in 2002. Her first encounter with community medicine was as a public health nurse in the barrio of Guatemala City. She completed nurses training at Villanova University and Advanced Practice Pediatric Nursing at University of California, San Francisco. Lisa splits her time between Ravenswood Family Health Center and Lucile Packard Children's Hospital, where she works on their mobile clinic and specializes in the care of high-risk and homeless adolescents.



Janice Lowe, MD

Pediatrician

Dr. Lowe received her medical degree from Harvard Medical School and completed her residency at Children's Hospital Medical Center in Boston. From 1983 to 2004 she was a Staff Pediatrician at Massachusetts General Hospital Chelsea HealthCare Center. She is the editor of the Guide to Pediatric Medical Spanish which was published by the American Academy of Pediatrics. She has extensive teaching experience and was appointed Assistant Professor at Harvard Medical School 1997-2004. She is currently Clinical Professor of Pediatrics, Stanford University School of Medicine. In clinical practice, teaching and curriculum development, Dr. Lowe has focused on developing culturally competent clinical services in underserved communities.



Dana Weintraub, MD

Pediatrician

Dr. Weintraub is Clinical Assistant Professor in the Division of General Pediatrics at Lucile Packard Children's Hospital. She received a B.A. in history from Dartmouth College and received a medical degree from University of Massachusetts Medical School. She completed her internship and residency in Pediatrics at Children's Hospital in Oakland, followed by a Post-doctoral Fellowship in General Pediatrics at Stanford University. Dr. Weintraub is Project Director of SPORT, a community-based evaluation of after school team sports as a weight control intervention for overweight children in East Palo Alto. She is also Medical Director of the Peninsula Family Advocacy Program, a collaboration with Legal Aid Society of San Mateo County to bring free legal aid services to families served by LPCH, RFHC and affiliated clinics.