Enjoy an Incredible Career at Centura Health!

Who is Centura Health?

Centura Health is the region’s largest health care system. We connect individuals, families and neighborhoods across Colorado and western Kansas with more than 6,000 physicians and 21,000 of the best hearts and minds in health care. Through our 17 hospitals, two senior living communities, neighborhood health centers, physician practices and clinics, home care and hospice services, and Flight For Life® Colorado, our caregivers make the region’s best health care accessible. We’re on a mission to build flourishing communities and whole person care.

St. Anthony Hospital Overview:

St. Anthony Hospital, located in Lakewood, Colorado, is a Level I Trauma Center with four trauma rooms including the T-10 room, a dedicated field-to-surgery suite ready 24/7 for trauma surgeons and specially trained teams who provide life-saving care to the most severely ill and injured patients. St. Anthony proudly provides a full range of medical specialties and health care services to Denver and the surrounding region with a state-of-the-art medical campus and proud home base of Flight For Life® Colorado. We’re also proud to be the recipient of numerous awards, certifications and accreditations from the American Heart Association; Chest Pain Center (CPC); American College of Cardiology; The Joint Commission’s National Quality Approval; the Emergency Nurses Association Lantern Award; NAPBC Accreditation; American College of Radiology and many others. The St. Anthony Hospital combines a heritage of expert care with the latest in technology and innovation. If you’re looking to be part of a fast-paced environment where you can practice to the top of your profession in trauma, cardiology, stroke, neurosciences, breast imaging, cancer/oncology care, surgery and more, we invite you to apply.

Cardiac Cath Lab Overview:

The Cardiac Cath Lab at St. Anthony Hospital is a four-room cardiovascular lab, where associates care for those requiring interventional and structural heart procedures, including Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement (TAVR), MitraClip, Laser Lead Extraction, Atrial-Flutter and Atrial Fibrillation Ablation, explants and implants, Arterectomy, Balloon Angioplasty and stents. Cath Lab team members work collegially with our specialty medical providers. We provide preparation and recovery of inpatients and outpatients requiring use of the Cardiac Cath Lab. Our unit staffs Monday through Friday with on-call support after hours and weekends. New technology and techniques provide new arenas for life-long learning.
Cardiac Surgical Intensive Care Unit (CISCU):

The Cardiac Surgical Intensive Care Unit (CSICU) department at St. Anthony Hospital is a 24-bed ICU for patients with varied medical and surgical treatment needs. This includes recovering patients after open heart surgery and aortic repair. Cardiac devices include, but not limited to, Intra-aortic balloon pump, Impella and Left Ventricular Assist Devices. Patients with severe sepsis, abdominal surgery, acute respiratory diseases are also cared for within CSICU. Our associates work in a collaborative environment with multiple specialty providers and interventionalists. Our CSICU nurses actively use critical thinking while building on their skills. CSICU has developed multiple pathways to continually enrich and empower our associates.

Emergency Department Observation:

The Emergency Department Observation unit at St. Anthony Hospital is a 16-bed department with volume of more than 300 patients a month (usually 300 to 310). We take any patient needing further time to be observed from the ED. If a patient needs further testing or monitoring and is not appropriate to stay in the ED, then our department will take them. Our top two diagnoses are chest pain and abdominal pain. We also accept patients that are sent from surrounding free standing EDs with the same criteria. Our department only takes patients with an OBS status, we do not take overflow from other departments. If a patient needs more care than what can be done within 24-48 hours, we will transfer to an inpatient unit. The department’s mission is to deliver safe quality care to every patient in a timely manner. Most people join this team because they have an interest in emergency medicine. This department is a great place to 'get your feet wet' on emergency room patients. You will receive all types of patients and work alongside a mid-level provider (PA or NP) with every patient. We are a close-knit team and get opportunities to learn about many different disease processes. We want to help our team members achieve their nursing goals and help them attain education or certification to be closer to the ED position that they may desire. We look for candidates who are open, willing to ask questions, flexible with schedule, able to see the broader picture and are fast learners. This is a very fast-paced department and we admit and discharge patients on every shift. Nurses who work here must be adaptable to change and willing to work hard as they will be very busy on this unit.

Emergency Department:

The Emergency Department at St. Anthony Hospital is a verified American College of Surgeons’ Level I Trauma Center. We are a Joint Commission Comprehensive Stroke Center and a cardiac receiving center. We are a high-volume ED treating a variety of medical and cardiac conditions with 46 beds and approximately 58,000 visits per year. We are the home of Flight for Life® Colorado and surrounding areas bring around 1,000
patients from medical to trauma. We are a desirable department as we are the Premier Level I ED, Emergency Services Association Lantern Award recipient, providing exemplary care, ANCC equivalent of a Magnet, and we attract the best and brightest as an exemplary model department, recognized on national level of being the top one percent. We look for candidates with strong teamwork capabilities, collaboration, flexibility, and servant leadership, who can foster a warm and caring environment.

**Float Pool:**

The Float Pool department at St. Anthony Hospital is a team of nurses that will float between telemetry/cardiac, oncology, neuro, trauma, and general med/surg units within the hospital. Our staffing ratios are 4-5:1 on day shift and 5-6:1 at night, depending on which unit the team is floated to. We look for someone who is ambitious, is excited to learn new things, and is a team player. We also look for someone who is interested in a variety of duties and can handle constant change in types of patients. Candidates should have at least two years of experience, a positive attitude and be patient focused.

**Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility:**

The Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility department at St. Anthony Hospital is a 17-bed unit with a dedicated focus on providing intensive rehabilitation services to maximize return to independence and function at home and in the community. The unit offers Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Language Pathology, and Case Management services, as well as consultation services by wound care, nutrition, patient educators, orthotists and integrative healing specialists. Specialized rehabilitation nursing care is provided 24 hours a day to ensure medical monitoring. Medical team members including Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, and Physician Assistants see patients daily to ensure patients are meeting rehabilitation and medical goals for discharge. All patients that come to this department must go through a qualification process to be accepted into the program. We do not get overflow from other departments. The IRF provides services to adults across the lifespan for both typical and non-typical rehabilitation diagnoses, including but not limited to patients following stroke, traumatic or non-traumatic spinal cord injury and major multiple trauma including multiple injured extremities, traumatic or non-trauma brain dysfunction, neurological impairments such as Parkinson’s Disease or Multiple Sclerosis, and for significant deconditioning following a complicated medical hospitalization. The team has a lot of experience and support from therapy partners for patient care. A physician is on the unit daily for rounding, questions and patient meetings. We are a close-knit group of very caring caregivers. We are all dedication to our practice, have a strong interest in rehab medicine and we seek candidates who like seeing success and improvements in their patients.
Intensive Care Unit (ICU) Step-down:
The Intensive Care Unit (ICU) Step-down department at St. Anthony Hospital is also called the Progressive Care Unit, a 16-bed unit providing step down/intermediate (IMC) providing care to a variety of patients from all ICU specialties, ED and Med/Surg units. We have a large cardiac/cardiac surgery population (ex. Watchmen, CABG, MVR/AVR, AAA repair patients who may have chest tubes and external pacemakers) who transfer to the unit as early as post-op day one and stay through their hospitalization. We admit a variety of trauma patients and will also see strokes, TBIs, respiratory failure and medical patients. We have a great team who is fun and succeeds in a challenging environment. Our department is a great jumping off unit and is an area to learn and be challenged while seeing a variety of patient populations.

4th Floor Medical Surgical:
The 4th Floor Medical Surgical unit at St. Anthony Hospital is a medical/surgical telemetry unit comprised of 36 beds and is primarily a telemetry unit with medical/surgical overflow. The typical patients that are cared for on our floor are heart failure, pre and post cardiac catheterization, abnormal arrythmias, vascular surgery and other cardiac patients. Our mission is to provide the highest level of quality, patient-centered, safe care to all patients that come through our doors while also creating an atmosphere that is fun, exciting, and engaging to work in. Working on the 4th floor provides new graduate nurses an environment that is team focused, supportive and adaptive to the changes in health care. We look for candidates that are team players, have a positive attitude and are patient-focused.

5th Floor Medical Surgical:
The 5th Floor Medical Surgical department at St. Anthony Hospital specializes in stroke, neuro trauma and ortho trauma, as well as spinal surgery in our 36-bed unit. Patients are from all age groups (usually around 16 years and above) with occasional overflow of general med/surg patients. Our department has amazing teamwork and a very compassionate and caring culture. The floor is very busy which lends itself to developing great relationships with our coworkers and we work together to provide excellent patient care. We are a great starting point for someone interested in a future in Critical Care. Individuals on our team must be compassionate, friendly, intelligent with a strong work ethic.

6th Floor Medical Surgical:
The 6th Floor Medical Surgical department at St. Anthony Hospital is a medical surgical floor specializing in trauma, surgery, and oncology with 36 beds. Primarily, we care for trauma patients with blunt abdominal/chest traumas after car accidents, falls, and
mountain activities such as skiing, mountain biking and hiking injuries. We care for patients requiring mostly abdominal surgeries including appendectomies, colon resections, hernia repairs and serve as the overflow for orthopedic trauma patients including those with hip fractures and tib/fib fractures. We care for cancer patients, administering chemotherapy and treating neutropenics, accounting for about 10% of our current patient load. Our mission is to provide the highest level of nursing care in a compassionate manner in order to improve our patients’ lives. Our floor proudly identifies as a united team and have demonstrated this consistently for years. A good candidate for the 6th floor would be someone who prides themselves as being a team player, enjoys a very fast paced environment and wants endless amounts of learning opportunities during each shift. We look for someone who exhibits our core Centura Health CRISSIE values.

7th Floor Medical Surgical:

The 7th Floor Medical Surgical department at St. Anthony Hospital is a medical surgical unit where we primarily treat septic patients. Our department has 36 beds and we see a range of surgical patients, ETOH withdrawal, cellulitis and treat many chronic conditions such as COPD and CHF. We have a great culture focused on teamwork and positivity. Our nurse communication scores have been some of the highest in the hospital. We are an innovative unit, often where hospital-wide projects being. We are looking for dynamic, hard-working people, who are looking for a challenging medical surgical floor. We value teamwork, thoroughness and a positive attitude.

Neuro Trauma Intensive Care Unit (NTICU):

The Neuro Trauma Intensive Care Unit department at St. Anthony Hospital has 36 beds, 24 in the NTICU and 12 in the NVICU with one associate group for both units. The primary focus in NTICU is trauma and neuro trauma. Our typical patient diagnoses are MVA/MCA, TBI, penetrating trauma, assaults, SDH, SAH, IVH, SCI and orthopedic fractures.

In the NVICU, we primarily see stroke patients, post IR patients, craniectomy for tumor resection/debulking, SAH/IVH (non-trauma) and status epilepticus. We work very closely with our physician groups to collaborate on care. Nursing is well respected and a vital part of the care team for the patient. We have a strong culture of teamwork within the unit and have developed a well-rounded residency program for bringing in new nurses to the ICU.

Surgery:

St. Anthony Hospital is a Level I trauma center, which allows the Perioperative Department to see a wide range of patient needs and acuity levels. We are unique in the Centura Health system and in the community because have a designated trauma room that is at
the ready 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The trauma room (T-10) allows for the facility to triage any patient meeting specific criteria in an operating room, bypassing the ED, and has a designated response team of approximately eight different units with unique roles during a trauma team activation allowing prompt immediate surgical intervention within minutes of arrival by our partners in EMS and Flight for Life. The surgical unit itself has 12 rooms including the trauma room, a hybrid room, designated cardiac OR and a Cystoscopy room. We have two DaVinci Xi Robotic systems allowing us to provide robotically assisted procedures in general, urology, gynecology and thoracic specialties. Currently there are 17 different specialties provided here at SAH including trauma, neuro, ortho, general, cardiac, vascular, ENT, plastics, urology, GYN, thoracic, and more. Our caseload for 2019 was 5,859 procedures in this unit alone. We have one specialized team for cardiac, all other associates are cross-trained for all remaining specialties allowing for increased knowledge base of surgical procedures, skill level and ability to cover any patient care needs. We provide safe, quality patient care to all those in need and exceptional customer service to our providers as well. The surgical department is fully invested in the team approach to patient care including nurses, surgical technologist, surgeons, anesthesiologists, certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNA), support specialists, unit clerks, anesthesia techs, supply chain management, facilities and biomed.

We support one another and encourage further education, internal promotions and a work-life balance. We look for those who have a vested interest in our department and Centura Heath's mission. Candidates must have a positive attitude, open communication skills, be hard-working, dedicated and accountable.