



**Join Northern Indiana's only designated Children's Hospital to make a lasting impact in the clinical care to children spanning 13 counties and 29 referring hospitals. Experienced physicians and new graduates welcomed. Immigration candidates considered.**

## **How to Apply**

**Beacon Children's Hospital Pediatric Hematology Oncology is seeking a full-time BC/BE Pediatric Hematologist/Oncologist** to join our premier practice in South Bend, Indiana. Our position provides a great opportunity to contribute to the clinical program development and provide clinical care to children in a medically underserved area.

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## **Pediatric Hematologist/Oncologist Job Summary**

Beacon's Pediatric Hematology/Oncology program provides comprehensive care for infants, children, adolescents, and young adults with a wide range of blood disorders and cancers. The oncology service actively manages 30–40 patients at any given time, while also supporting a large population of patients who are off therapy. Additionally, this group receives approximately 200 new hematology referrals annually and provides ongoing care for around 80 children with sickle cell disease, in addition to many others with chronic benign hematologic disorders.

In close collaboration with Riley Children's Health, Beacon's pediatric oncology physicians work seamlessly with a broad network of physician specialists to ensure access to the full spectrum of treatment options. This partnership enhances the depth and breadth of care available to our patients.

As the region's only designated children's hospital, Beacon Children's Hospital serves as a referral center for 29 hospitals across Southwestern Michigan and Northern Indiana. Our forward-thinking, family-focused team treats a wide variety of medical and surgical conditions, offering families access to advanced pediatric care close to home.

Our world-class multidisciplinary team includes a pediatric subspecialists and support professionals, such as:

- Pediatric Neurology
- Pediatric Anesthesiology
- Pediatric Radiology
- Pediatric Intensivist
- Pediatric Hospitalist
- Behavioral and Developmental Pediatrics
- Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- Pediatric Pulmonology
- Pediatric Infectious Disease
- Pediatric Gastroenterology
- Pediatric Hematology/Oncology
- Pediatric Neurosurgery
- Child Life Specialists
- Diabetes Educators
- Registered Dietitians
- Licensed Clinical Social Workers

In 2017, Beacon opened a state-of-the-art, \$46 million children's hospital. This 109-bed, 101,530-square-foot facility plays a vital role in delivering care to thousands of children and their families across a 13-county region.

Beacon Children's PICU is actively engaged in several national multicenter quality improvement initiatives, including the Improving Pediatric Sepsis Outcomes program through the Children's Hospital Association and the Solutions for Patient Safety (SPS) initiative. These efforts reflect our commitment to delivering safe, evidence-based, and family-centered care.

**Work Schedule:**

- The physicians work in the outpatient clinic and cover an inpatient service, along with support from a strong pediatric hospitalist team.
- Call is shared equally among the physicians.

**Leadership Role Opportunities:**

- Affiliation with Indiana University School of Medicine at Notre Dame and Memorial Hospital Family Medicine Residency allows for teaching of residents, medical students and supervision of post-graduate trainees.
- The program has a strong working relationship with regional academic centers and collaborates with these centers frequently when caring for patients. We provide an opportunity to participate in limited medical student/resident education and clinical research.

**Professional Growth Opportunities: Yes**

## About the Practice

You will join a dedicated and collegial team comprised of a board-certified pediatric hematologist-oncologist and two highly skilled nurse practitioners. This multidisciplinary care team is further supported by an experienced and deeply committed group of certified pediatric oncology nurses and administrative professionals, all working together to deliver compassionate, high-quality care.

The practice features private, spacious patient rooms thoughtfully designed to comfortably accommodate families, allowing them to remain by their child's side throughout the course of care.

Additional features that enhance the patient and family experience include:

- Specialized pediatric ground and air emergency transport teams, ensuring safe and timely transfers for critically ill children.
- Dedicated outpatient Pediatric Hematology Oncology Social Worker and Child Life Specialist.

This environment fosters continuity, comfort, and collaboration—hallmarks of Beacon's commitment to delivering world-class pediatric care.

## Why Join Beacon Medical Group?

At the heart of northern Indiana and southwestern Michigan, **Beacon Medical Group**—a division of **Beacon Health System**—stands as the region's largest and most integrated network of healthcare professionals. With over **35 specialties, 10,800 associates, 1,260+ physicians**, and a team of highly skilled physicians and advanced practice clinicians, Beacon is redefining what it means to deliver exceptional, community-focused care.

As the **largest locally owned and operated non-profit health system** in the region, Beacon is deeply committed to meeting the evolving healthcare needs of the communities it serves.

### Expanding Access, Elevating Care: Beacon Grows in Southwest Michigan

As of July 2025, **Beacon Health System proudly welcomes 4 new hospitals and 35 additional outpatient clinics into our growing network**—bringing more than 250 exceptional providers into the Beacon family. This strategic expansion strengthens our presence across Southwest Michigan and enhances access to high-quality care for the communities we serve.

The newly integrated hospitals include:

- Beacon Kalamazoo (formerly Borgess)
- Beacon Allegan (formerly Borgess Allegan)
- Beacon Dowagiac (formerly Borgess-Lee)
- Beacon Plainwell (formerly Borgess-Pipp)

This growth not only broadens our geographic footprint but also brings Beacon's specialized services closer to home for thousands of patients.

In addition, Beacon is proud to partner with the Western Michigan University Homer Stryker M.D. School of Medicine, home to more than 240 residents and fellows across 14 programs. This collaboration reinforces our deep commitment to advancing medical education, training the next generation of healthcare leaders, and delivering innovative, compassionate care.

## Beacon's excellence is nationally recognized:

- Among the top **10% of hospitals nationwide** with a prestigious **5-Star CMS Hospital Rating**
- Holds an **AA- bond rating**, placing it in the **top 10th percentile** of health systems across the U.S.

With locations spanning **north central Indiana to southwest Michigan**, Beacon offers its team the opportunity to live and work in vibrant communities like **South Bend, Mishawaka, Granger, Elkhart, La Porte, and Kalamazoo**—each offering a unique blend of culture, charm, and quality of life.

## Hospital Highlights

- The Region's only Level II Trauma Center and MedFlight Helicopter
- Dedicated Adult Critical Care, NICU, Maternal and PICU
- DaVinci Robotic Surgery
- Hybrid Operating Suites
- Northern Indiana's only designated Children's Hospital
- Designated Baby-Friendly Birth Facility
- Level of Care III Certification for NICU and Obstetrics
- Memorial Regional Breast Care Center

## Why You'll Love Living in Our Community

Nestled along the St. Joseph River, South Bend is more than just the home of the **world-renowned University of Notre Dame** – it's a city where tradition meets transformation. For those who crave a blend **of small-town charm and big-city ambition**, South Bend offers a compelling lifestyle.

From the **South Bend Museum of Art** to the **Morris Performing Arts Center** and **Lerner Theatre**, the city pulses with creativity. Local festival, farmers markets, live entertainment, and a **growing food scene** add flavor to everyday life. With **more than 50 parks, scenic riverwalks, and nearby dunes and lakes**, South Bend is a haven for outdoor enthusiasts. Kayaking on the East Race Waterway, hiking on the many walking trails, or paying a visit to Potawatomi Zoo, are just a few weekend options. If you are still looking for something fun to enjoy, South Bend is also home to the **South Bend Cubs, a Class-A minor league baseball team**.

If you're looking for adventure outside of the city, the **sandy shores of Lake Michigan** are **less than an hour drive away**. You can visit Silver Beach – located in the charming lakeside town of St. Joseph, or you may want to venture to the **Indiana Dunes National Park** which spans **15,000 acres** and some of the most scenic dunes in the Midwest. Whether you are into kayaking, sunbathing, wine tasting, or simply watching the sunset over the lake, these destinations are perfect for a **spontaneous day trip or relaxing weekend retreat**.

Compared to major metros, South Bend offers a **lower cost of living** without sacrificing quality of life. **Historic homes, modern apartments**, and a strong sense of community make it ideal for families and young professionals alike.

South Bend isn't just a great place to live – it's a **gateway to the Midwest**. Whether you're traveling for business or pleasure, you'll appreciate how easy it is to get where you need to go. The **South Bend International Airport** offers direct flights via major carriers like Allegiant, American, Delta, and United. A 90-minute drive to Chicago, and you can take advantage of additional travel opportunities. Plus, South Bend is well-connected by the **South Shore Line, Amtrak, Interstate 80/90, and regional bus lines**, making travel to cities like Chicago, Indianapolis, and Detroit smooth and straightforward.

## Beacon Medical Group Offers a Competitive Salary with Excellent Benefits!

**Full Time Pediatric Hematologist/Oncologist Salary Range:** To be discussed with recruiter

### What Benefits Can You Look Forward to?

- Flexible Health & Dental Plans, Vision Insurance
- 403(b) with 4% matching and 457(b) Retirement Savings Plans
- Life Insurance
- Short & Long Term Disability Plan
- CME (Continuing Medical Education) Allowance
- Generous Time Off Allowances
- Paid Malpractice and Tail Coverage
- Relocation Allowance (where applicable)
- Student Loan Repayment assistance (where applicable)
- Wellness Plans
- Work/Life Resources

## Contact Information

If you have questions regarding this posting or would like assistance with Physician opportunities, please contact:

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