

# Meet Your Certified Nurse Practitioner

## Amber Oberheim, CNP



*I honestly can't remember a time when I thought I would follow a career path other than medicine. From an early age, I can remember telling my parents and teachers that I wanted to be a "baby doctor" when I grew up. As I grew older, I became more fascinated by the human body and the amazing way it works. For as long as I can remember, I have had an innate desire to help people. My work as a Family Nurse Practitioner is one way that I can accomplish that.*

### What Sets Me Apart From Other Medical Providers

"My relationship with my patients is very special. I take the time to listen to their needs and work with them to develop a plan of care. Remaining approachable and down-to-earth has helped me really get to know the people who trust me with their healthcare needs. I learned very early in my career that if I treat my patients like I would my own family members, then I am doing it right. I also choose to lead by example. I don't believe that I can ask my patients to eat right, exercise, and follow a healthy lifestyle if I don't do those things myself."

### BS

Mennonite College of Nursing, Bloomington, IL  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing

### Masters

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL  
Master of Science, Public Health Nursing

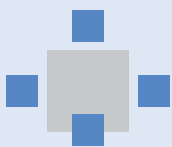
### Certification

Family Nurse Practitioner – American Nurses Credentialing Center

### Department of Family Medicine

As a member of Christie Clinic's Department of Family Medicine, Amber specializes in the treatment of non-surgical diseases and disorders and wellness promotion for patients of all ages.

*My time away from work is almost always spent with my family. My husband, Chris, and I have 4 beautiful daughters- Hannah, Avery, & twins Addison and Aubree. Our girls keep us very busy with various different activities including travel softball, dance, basketball, soccer, and school activities. In addition to spending time with my family, I enjoy traveling, reading, and attending sporting events.*



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