

# Meet Your Pediatrician

## Whitney Gutierrez, MD



### Why I Chose Health Care

"I always knew from a young age that I wanted to work in healthcare. I worked at an after school childcare center in high school and absolutely loved it! I enjoyed helping the children learn new things and watching them develop an understanding of the world around them. The children were so fun and inquisitive that through this job I decided I wanted to be a pediatrician."

### Residency

Phoenix Children's Hospital/Maricopa Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ

### Internship

Phoenix Children's Hospital/Maricopa Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ

### MD

Loma Linda University School of Medicine, Loma Linda, CA

### Certification

American Board of Pediatrics

### Professional Memberships

American Academy of Pediatrics

### Department of Pediatrics

The physicians in Christie Clinic's Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine see patients ranging from birth to 18 years of age for acute care, wellness checks, school physicals and recommended immunizations for all age ranges.

### Hospital Affiliation

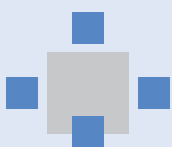
Carle Foundation Hospital

### Language

Fluent in English and Spanish

*I am passionate about breastfeeding and am working towards becoming an International Board Certified Lactation Consultant (IBCLC). I also have a special interest in nutrition. Outside of work, I love spending time with my husband, son, and family in the area. We enjoy traveling, reading books, spending time outdoors, and bike riding.*

*Above all, I want my patients to feel that I am listening to their needs and that their concerns are addressed. I want to provide the highest quality of medical care for my patients by working with them and their families on achieving their health goals. Pediatrics is unique in that we are setting up our children for the rest of their lives. I strive to ensure each child gets the best start possible to grow into healthy adults.*



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