

We are worthy of your reputation.



PASA

Pediatric, Adolescent Surgical Associates, P.C.

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PASA also has Neighborhood offices in: Athens ° Cherokee ° Clayton ° Cobb ° Fayette ° Gwinnett ° North Fulton

And, here are six great reasons to refer us.

Reason 1: Our board certified surgeons and qualified support staff

With six board certified surgeons, PASA is one of the largest and most respected neonatal, pediatric and adolescent surgery groups in the region. Our size and wide range of expertise enables us to provide quick response to your needs.

Reason 2: Our highly satisfied patients and parents

Testimonials from referring practices confirm the fact that our patients and families are tremendously satisfied with the Doctors at PASA, as well as our support and office staff. We never forget that the impression we make on your patient also reflects on your practice.

Reason 3: We have a full time female pediatric surgeon for our female patients

The availability of a female surgeon may be especially important to your female pediatric and adolescent patients.

Reason 4: We have two pediatric surgeons that speak Spanish

The availability of a Spanish speaking surgeon and support staff will be very valuable to your Spanish speaking parents and patients.

Reason 5: We give you fast, reliable up-to-date patient information

We understand that the status of your surgery patient is of great concern to you. Therefore, we strive to provide information as soon as possible concerning your referred patient or your patient that one of our surgeons has cared for in the emergency department.

Reason 6: Our convenient locations throughout greater Atlanta

Locations throughout the area make it easier to refer your patients to one of our offices near your patient's home or parent's workplace.



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On Staff Doctors

Theodore Brand, M.D., F.A.C.S., F.A.A.P.

Roger M. Pitt, M.D., F.A.C.S., F.A.A.P.

John C. Bleacher, M.D., F.A.C.S., F.A.A.P.

George R. Raschbaum, M.D., F.A.C.S., F.A.A.P.

Julie R. Glasson, M.D., F.A.A.P.

Joseph G. Bussey, III, M.D., F.A.A.P.



Dedicated to providing excellent care, reliable service and timely response to referring physicians, their patients and parents since 1978.

We provide a full range of pediatric and adolescent surgical care services.

PASA has been providing excellent surgical care and services to patients ranging from neonatal through adolescence since 1978. Patients are referred to our practice for surgical treatment of common childhood conditions as well as complex conditions requiring highly specialized surgical procedures.

General Pediatric Surgery

You may refer your patients to us for evaluation, tests, or treatment. Some of the more common types of childhood conditions requiring surgical treatment include:

- Inguinal hernia
- Circumcision
- Removal of foreign bodies
- Sinuses of the neck
- Skin and subcutaneous lesions
- Hydrocele
- Undescended testis
- Biopsies
- Cysts

Urgent Conditions

We are available 24 hours a day to provide emergency care to patients including:

- Trauma surgery
- Acute appendicitis
- Intestinal obstruction
- Other illnesses or injuries requiring immediate attention
- Incarcerated hernia
- Soft tissue infections
- Pyloric stenosis
- Burns

Complex Illnesses and Conditions

PASA surgeons are qualified and experienced in handling complex illness and conditions including:

- Anorectal malformation
- Surgical critical care
- Necrotizing Enterocolitis
- Abdominal wall defects
- Pectus excavatum repair including the Nuss procedure
- Fundoplication for GE Reflux
- PDA Ligation
- Endocrine surgery
- Oncology surgery

Neonatal and Newborn Surgery

Neonatal surgical care is available whenever there is a surgical emergency. Our practice makes special efforts to accommodate the needs of newborn surgical patients.

Prenatal Consultation

Antenatal diagnosis often makes surgical care by arrangement possible.

Tumor Service

PASA treats patients referred for primary resection, follow-up care or adjuvant therapy for treatment of solid tumors including:

- Wilm's tumors
- Breast lesions
- Sacrococcygeal Teratoma
- Hepatic Tumors
- Neuroblastoma
- Thyroid malignancies
- Lymphomas
- Soft tissue sarcomas

Care is rendered in conjunction with the staff of Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Tumor Service, a member of the Children's Hematology Oncology Group.



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Gastrointestinal Surgery

Surgical treatment for gastrointestinal conditions is provided in conjunction with pediatric gastroenterology and nutrition services. Evaluation including endoscopy can be accomplished in outpatient as well as inpatient settings.

Services provided to patients whose conditions include:

- Gastroesophageal reflux
- Chronic abdominal pain
- Short bowel syndrome - congenital and acquired
- Inflammatory bowel disease
- Disorders of intestinal motility including Hirschsprungs Disease
- Pseudo-obstruction syndromes including problems of intestinal absorption affecting growth

Minimally Invasive Surgery

Many of our procedures are done with state of the art laparoscopic and thoracoscopic techniques to reduce post operative pain and hasten recovery.

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Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

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404.705.9331 Surgery scheduling

404.705.8019 Patient accounts

877.815.8804 Toll free

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Second Opinions and Consultation

We can accommodate your patients' needs for second opinions when it is required or suggested by your practice, your patient or your patient's insurance company. We provide these services and render written recommendations on any pediatric surgical condition.

Hospital Privileges:

Our Doctors have hospital privileges at:

- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Scottish Rite and Egleston
- Northside Hospital
- They are also on staff at most other hospitals in the greater Atlanta area for patient consultations.

Making a referral

Referral authorization forms are provided to make the referral process easier for you and your patient. If your practice needs additional forms, please call the Surgery Scheduling Office at 404.705.9331. Please be assured that we will see your referred patient as soon as possible. In emergency situations, we will make every effort to see your patient immediately. We will also communicate our findings and results to you in a timely manner.

Our financial policies

We will bill a patient's charges to their insurance company.

Patients whose services are not covered by their insurance and those who have no insurance are required to make a deposit prior to the scheduled procedure.

Financial arrangements, such as payment plans, can be made through our Business Office on a case by case basis for those with extenuating circumstances.