



CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL COLORADO

# Pediatric Emergency and Trauma Outreach Symposium Pueblo, CO

**April 28-29, 2026**

April 28 - 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. | April 29 - 8:00 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

**Colorado State University Pueblo**

2200 Bonforte Blvd, Pueblo, CO 81001-4901

Occhiato Student Center - North and South Ballroom

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## Overview and Target Audience

This symposium is for interdisciplinary healthcare team members caring for pediatric patients in an emergency and pre-hospital setting. Current clinical issues and implications for children's health and clinician care delivery are presented and discussed.

## Learner Outcomes

After attending this education, learners will report new knowledge and intent to change practice to provide current, evidence-based care to pediatric patients in an emergent setting.

## Registration

Registration Fees	Per Clinician
Both days	\$60
April 28 <sup>th</sup> only	\$30
April 29 <sup>th</sup> only	\$30

[Click here](#) or scan the QR code to register



## Agenda

### Tuesday, April 28, 2026

7:30 a.m.	Check-in
8:00	Welcome and Opening Remarks
8:15	<b>Who's Afraid of Little Old Me? Practical Airway Management Pearls from a Pediatric Anesthesiologist for Non-Pediatric Professionals</b> <i>Grant Young, MD, MBA, CPE</i>
9:00	<b>Pediatric Respiratory Emergencies and Stabilization</b> <i>Kelley Roswell, MD</i>
9:45	Break
10:00	<b>Closing the Gap: Early Diagnosis and Treatment of Sepsis</b> <i>Patrick Mahar, MD</i>
10:45	<b>Pediatric DKA</b> <i>David Listman, MD</i>
11:30	Lunch - on your own
12:30 p.m.	<b>Seizure Management in the Emergency Setting</b> <i>Kelley Roswell, MD</i>
1:15	<b>Recognizing Child Abuse in Trauma and ED Settings</b> <i>Kathi Wells, MD, FAAP</i>
2:15	Break

### Breakouts

Choose one session to attend per breakout

#### 2:30 Breakout #1

##### **Bring Me (Back) to Life: Pediatric Resuscitation Cases**

*James Brown, MD*

##### **Pediatric Sedation Outside of the OR**

*David Listman, MD*

##### **Pediatric Cardiac Emergencies**

*Kelly Reichert, MS, RN, CCRN, NPD-BC*

3:00 Rotation time

#### 3:05 Breakout #2

##### **Pediatric Disaster Preparedness**

*Michael Halaska, RN*

##### **Trauma Case Studies**

*Shannon Becker, BSN, RN, CPN*

*Sarah Cross, MSN, RN, CNOR*

##### **Meeting Kids Where They Are: Trauma Informed Approaches for Child Serving Professionals**

*Lauren Eckhart, PsyD*

3:35 Wrap-up and Evaluation

3:50 Adjourn

## Wednesday, April 29, 2026

7:30 a.m.	Check-in
8:00	Welcome and Opening Remarks
8:15	<b>Fragile Beginnings: Managing Neonatal Emergencies</b> <i>Katie Jameson, NNP-BC, APRN, C-NPT</i>
9:00	<b>Pediatric TBI/Head Injuries</b> <i>Derek Samples, MD, FAANS</i>
9:45	Break
10:00	<b>General Approach to Managing the Injured Child</b> <i>John F. Bealer, MD, FACS, FAAP</i>
10:45	<b>Evidence Based Practices for Suicide Screening and Prevention: Supporting Youth Experiencing a Mental Health Crisis</b> <i>Lauren Eckhart, PsyD</i>
11:30	<b>The Den: Night in Pediatric Emergency Department</b> <i>Patrick Mahar, MD</i>
12:30	Wrap-up and Evaluation
12:45	Adjourn

## Continuing Education Credits

Registration, attendance, sign-in and submission of the evaluation, including a written response to questions related to any change in practice that you may make as a result of learning that took place at this activity, are required for successful completion and receipt of the certificate of attendance. Claim only those hours you attend.

### Nursing

Children's Hospital Colorado is approved with distinction as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the Colorado Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. This educational activity for 10.25 nursing contact hours is provided by Children's Hospital Colorado.

### EMS

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### Other

A general certificate of attendance will be available.

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