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## Certified Pediatric Anesthesiologist Assistant

The Medical College of Wisconsin is an academic partner to Children's Wisconsin, the region's only independent health care system dedicated solely to the health and well-being of children. This freestanding 304-bed hospital ranks as one of the top children's hospitals in the United States.

At Children's Wisconsin, anesthesia care is provided using a team model that includes faculty anesthesiologists providing direct care and medical direction of anesthesiology fellows, residents and advanced practice providers, including certified nurse anesthetists (CRNA) and certified anesthesiologist assistants (CAA). Anesthesia services are provided at the main hospital, its pediatric Ambulatory Surgery Center, and at other satellite locations to a full range of healthy and critically ill neonatal and pediatric patients, including adults with persistent pediatric problems.

The successful candidate must possess the desire and ability to provide the highest-quality anesthesia care to a complex pediatric patient population, working directly under the supervision of our pediatric anesthesiologists and as part of a highly trained and dedicated team of CAAs and CRNAs.

Applicants should expect that exposure to different care environments will be dependent on patient care needs and the capabilities of members of the care team, with patient safety and experience as the primary considerations. Initial assignments will be structured and supported, with emphasis on development of professional skills in the Children's Wisconsin environment, especially for those without prior pediatric experience.

For more information about our program, please visit [mcw.edu/anesthesiology](http://mcw.edu/anesthesiology).

### In this role, you will:

- Administer general and local anesthesia
- Maintain anesthesia delivery systems and monitors, including testing and calibration
- Prepare patients to be effectively monitored
- Monitor patients under anesthesia
- Make recommendations regarding anesthetic care plans
- Perform post-procedure tests on patients to ensure that they are recovering well
- Responsible for the operation of anesthesia equipment to monitor patients while delivering direct anesthesia care
- Provide direct patient care before, during and after anesthesia to ensure continuity of care and quality
- Obtain complete patient medical histories, conducting physical exams and pre-procedure interviews
- Review the complete patient medical history to confirm its authenticity with the patient/family to ensure it is accurate with the physical exams and pre-procedure interviews
- Administer/order required diagnostic and laboratory tests
- Work with anesthesiologists to determine the next step of prep for the procedures and begin the stages of prepping the patient for the procedure
- Employ CPR or other emergency procedures as indicated
- Perform various administrative duties that might involve collecting medical records, conducting patient chart reviews and following up with patients/families pre- or post-procedures
- **Highly competitive sign-on**



### Salary/benefit highlights

- 8% matching 403(b) after two years of employment
- 20 days vacation and 8 observed holidays + paid sick time
- CME annual allowance - \$2,000
- Potential to pick up additional shifts, including late evening/night shifts
- Robust benefits package, including health, dental, life insurance and disability coverage
- Adoption assistance, tuition reimbursement program, wellness programs and more special benefits





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## [Medical College of Wisconsin | mcw.edu](http://mcw.edu)

MCW offers medical, master's, doctorate, master of public health and master of art degrees. MCW has approximately 1,600 full-time and part-time faculty and approximately 3,445 full-time employees, making it one of the largest health care employers in Wisconsin. MCW works with national and international medical specialty societies and community hospitals to accredit approximately 200 continuing medical education activities annually for physicians and other health professionals.

## [Children's Wisconsin | childrenswi.org](http://childrenswi.org)

A 304-bed hospital dedicated solely to the care of children, Children's Wisconsin is one of the top-ranked pediatric hospitals in the country. It offers a Level I trauma center, a Level I surgery center, a Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and a 72-bed Pediatric Intensive Care Unit. It is the primary pediatric hospital for all of the children of Southeast Wisconsin and the main referral center for children living in much of Wisconsin and Northern Illinois. The hospital also receives patients from across the country and around the world for specific subspecialty care.

## [Children's Research Institute | childrenswi.org/research](http://childrenswi.org/research)

With more than 1,000 active clinical trials and nearly \$30 million in external funding, the work done at Children's Research Institute yields new diagnostic tools, treatments, preventions and cures for many childhood illnesses. The Research Institute brings together researchers and clinicians from multiple disciplines throughout Southeastern Wisconsin, including life sciences, medicine, psychology, nursing, engineering and epidemiology to investigate and bring research to bear on clinical practice.

## [Children's Specialty Group](#)

Children's Specialty Group is the pediatric specialty group established in 2000 as a joint venture between Children's Wisconsin and MCW. Children's Specialty Group includes more than 440 pediatric specialists, 197 pediatric advanced practice nurses and 56 physician assistants. All physicians have faculty appointments with MCW.

## [Milwaukee | visitmilwaukee.org](http://visitmilwaukee.org)

Milwaukee has all the advantages of a large, vibrant city without the stress or cost. The largest city in Wisconsin, Milwaukee has affordable housing, excellent public and parochial schools and minimal traffic. Neighborhoods are known for their variety and character. The local business community is strong in manufacturing, technology and service industries. Milwaukee is located in the southeast corner of Wisconsin, nestled along one of Lake Michigan's beautiful bays.

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