Rheumatology web copy

The Rheumatologists of University Clinical Health specialize complex autoimmune diseases including arthritis and lupus, and in a wide spectrum of Rheumatic conditions that result in joint pain, bone pain, musculoskeletal disorders, organ system dysfunction and other unique symptoms.

A rheumatologist is an internal medicine physician specially trained to diagnose and treat musculoskeletal disease and systemic autoimmune conditions referred to as rheumatic diseases. These diseases typically affect joints, muscles, and bones causing pain, swelling, stiffness, and even deformity.

University Clinical Health Rheumatologists will often collaborate with other University of clinical Health specialists to diagnose and treat lupus and rheumatoid arthritis.

**Services**

Rheumatology services include but are not limited to the evaluation and management of rheumatoid arthritis, lupus and dermatomyositis, psoriatic arthritis and osteoporosis. We offer X-ray facilities on site, and we process blood work and other tests to fully evaluate causes of arthritis or conditions of the muscles.

**Conditions Treated:**

 Bursitis, Tendinitis and Rheumatic Syndromes

 Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

 Gout

 Lupus

 Myositis Inflammatory Muscle Disease

 Osteoarthritis

 Osteoporosis

 Raynaud's Phenomenon

 Rheumatoid Arthritis

 Scleroderma

 Sjogren's Syndrome

 Spondyloarthropathies

 Systemic Lupus Erythematosus

Tendinitis

Vasculitis

**Services:**

Infusions

Selective Joint Injections (steroid)

Lab and X-Ray

CONTACT UT Rheumatology

For our office hours, locations and to schedule an appointment, call (901) 866-8700.

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**Our Doctors:**

**Vaishnavi R. Pulusani, MD**

**Certification:**

American Board of Internal Medicine

**Education:**

University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN

 Rheumatology Fellowship, Chief Rheumatology Fellow (2015)

 Internal Medicine Residency (2015)

American University of Antigua, Manipal, India

 Doctor of Medicine, Magna Cum Laude (2012)

Emory University, Atlanta, GA

 Bachelor of Science, Neuroscience and Behavioral Biology (2007)

**Residency:**

University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN

 Internal Medicine (2015)

**Fellowship:**

University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN

 Rheumatology (2015)

**Academic Title:**

Assistant Professor

**Special interests:**

Rheumatoid Arthritis

**Professional membership:**

American College of Rheumatology (2015-present)

**Bradley Postlethwaite, MD**

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University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN

 Doctor of Medicine (2007-11)

University of Memphis, Memphis, TN

 Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology

 Pre-Med

**Residency:**

University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, TN

 Internal Medicine (2012-15)

**Fellowship:**

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 Rheumatology (2015-17)