

# Why Hospitalists? Patients Benefit.

## THE TRADITIONAL MODEL



### ISSUES WITH THE TRADITIONAL MODEL:

- Decreased face-time with patient due to volume.
- Decreased amount of time to communication with hospital care team.
- Loss of quality time due to travel to/from hospital to office.
- Physician at-risk of burnout.

## THE HOSPITALIST MODEL



### BENEFITS OF HOSPITALIST MODEL:

- Hospitalist quarterbackes patient care along entire continuum of care.
- Increased time with patient.
- Direct communication with Primary Care Physician and entire hospital care team.
- Increased communication with family.