



62 primary & specialty care practices in 11 counties

215 clinicians: 140 MD/DOs, 75 NPs, PAs



124 primary care clinicians  
caring for ~88,000 pts

91 specialists offering 23+  
specialty care services

Practice directory:

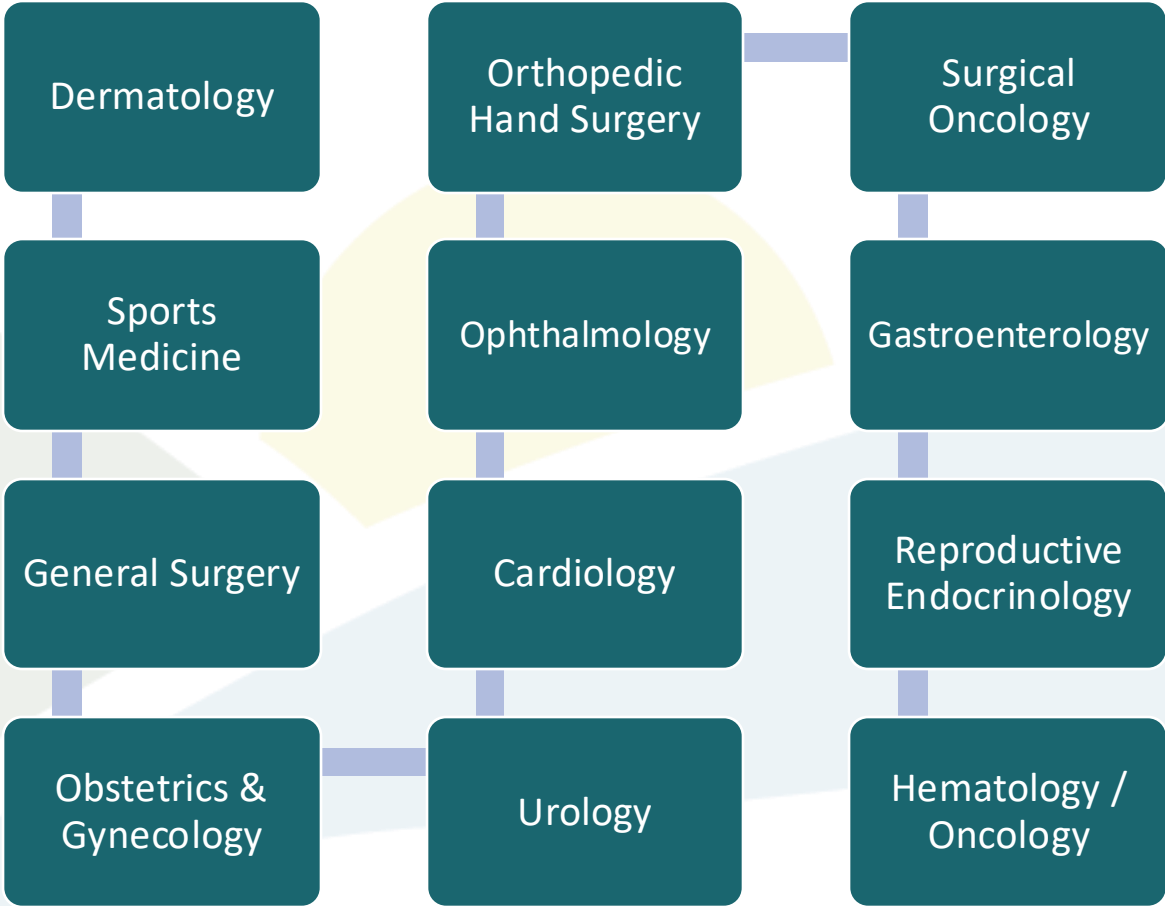
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# Some Specialties Represented (+ PC)



Northeast Kingdom  
Hematology Oncology

EVERGREEN  
SPORTS MEDICINE

Maitri

OPHTHALMIC  
CONSULTANTS  
OF VERMONT

Lakeshore  
HAND SURGERY  
Denise Durant, MD

Many specialist procedures done at

Green Mountain  
Surgery Center

NORTHEASTERN  
REPRODUCTIVE MEDICINE  
VERMONT



Northern Vermont  
DERMATOLOGY

TWIN RIVER  
Urology

CVCA  
Champlain Valley Cardiovascular Associates

Vermont  
Gynecology  
Compassionate, Contemporary Care

VERMONT  
GASTROENTEROLOGY



## Value of Independent Practices

- ✓ High quality care at lower cost
- ✓ Accessibility, usually shorter waiting times
- ✓ Physician-led care that's personalized and responsive
- ✓ Diversifies healthcare options
- ✓ Allows for more employment options
- ✓ Increases overall healthcare system resiliency





# Top Concerns & Challenges

- ✓ Reimbursements don't keep pace w/expenses
- ✓ Fragility of primary care, entire system
- ✓ Unlevel playing field
- ✓ Workforce/recruitment
- ✓ Excessive administrative burden on practices



# How You Can Help

- ✓ Ask, “How will this affect independent practices?”
- ✓ Support efforts for sustainable & fair reimbursement
- ✓ Sponsor Certificate of Need reform bill
- ✓ Promote smooth transition to new payment model, increased support for primary care
- ✓ Back policies promoting loan repayment, loan forgiveness options
- ✓ Advocate for level playing field for independent practices

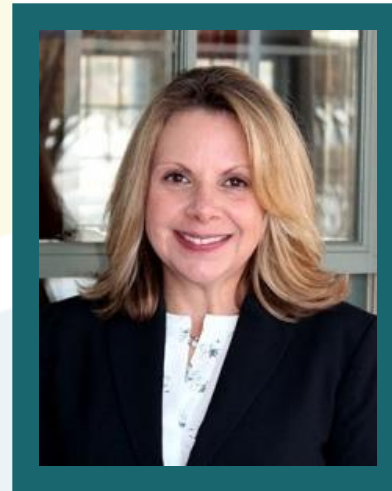


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