About the Clinic
The Eosinophilic Gastrointestinal Disease (EGID) Clinic at Phoenix Children's Hospital is a specialty clinic that provides care for children with eosinophilic gastrointestinal disease. It is commonly called the “EoE” (Eosinophilic Esophagitis) Clinic due to the large volume of eosinophilic esophagitis seen in the clinic.

The multidisciplinary EGID clinic offers comprehensive coordination for the diagnosis, treatment, intervention (including nutritional, psychological, and feeding interventions), and education of eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE), eosinophilic gastroenteritis, and eosinophilic colitis. This coordinated care provides expertise in pediatric gastroenterology, allergy/immunology, nutrition, nurse driven education, feeding therapy, and psychology—all in one clinic! And, it is the only such clinic for eosinophilic disorders in the state!

As a tertiary medical center specialized in seeing children with complex eosinophilic gastrointestinal conditions, the appointments in the EGID Clinic are very thorough, with first appointments often lasting 2 to 3 hours. Procedures commonly performed in the clinic include allergy “skin testing” and spirometry. Procedures arranged through the EGID Clinic include: endoscopy with biopsy, interventional esophageal dilation, pH impedance studies, esophageal motility testing, and more.

The Team
- Gastroenterologist: Shauna Schroeder, MD
- Allergist and Clinical Immunologist: Cindy Salm Bauer, MD
- Lead Coordinator Nurse: Melissa Pecak, RN
- Medical assistants: Melissa Linder, MA, Cedria Wells, MA
- Nutritionists: Janet Iurilli, RD, Amy Martinez, RD
- Respiratory Therapists: Robert Hall, RRT, Kathy White, RRT, Jason Seckman, RRT

Pending your child’s needs, other health care providers that may be involved in the clinic include: Dermatology (Dr. Judy O’haver), psychology, speech pathology, and social work.

To Make a Referral
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