

PEDIATRIC NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOR CLINICAL RESEARCH PROGRAM

The University of Kentucky (UK) Markey Cancer Center (MCC) and the Kentucky Children's Hospital (KCH) has launched a new clinical research program dedicated to neuroendocrine tumors (NETs) in children.

Our pediatric NET cases are discussed at both pediatric and dedicated NET tumor boards, leveraging the multidisciplinary expertise of surgery, pediatric and medical oncology, nuclear medicine, pathology, genetics, radiology and social work. This team-based approach—stressing individualized care, patient education and research—is expected to result in better care for patients, improving both their prognosis and their quality of life.

PEDIATRIC NET PROGRAM PROVIDERS



Aman Chauhan, MD
Pediatric NET Program Co-leader

Dr. Chauhan completed a dual residency in internal medicine and pediatrics at Louisiana State University in New Orleans. He completed a fellowship in hematology and oncology at UK and currently serves as the director of NET Theranostics at MCC. Dr. Chauhan currently leads multiple NET Phase I and II clinical trials.



Caryn E. Sorge, MD
Pediatric NET Program Co-leader

Dr. Sorge is a board certified pediatric hematologist/oncologist. She completed her pediatric hematology oncology training at the University of Alabama at Birmingham.



David J. Worhunsky, MD
Pediatric NET Program Co-leader

Dr. Worhunsky trained in general surgery at Stanford University School of Medicine, where he published research on surgical management of NETs and trained under a renowned surgical oncology program with a particular expertise in NETs. He then completed a pediatric surgical fellowship at Yale University School of Medicine prior to his faculty appointment at UK and KCH.



Joy Haney
New Patient Coordinator

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