

Welcome to The University of New Mexico's

Department of Pathology

Candidate Information Packet



From the Department Chair

Welcome to the University of New Mexico's Department of Pathology! I hope you find the information in this presentation helpful. The University of New Mexico was founded in 1889 in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The links on the following pages provide an overview of the campus and include resources to help you navigate the Health Sciences Center. Next, you will be introduced to the School of Medicine, founded in 1961, and the Department of Pathology, established in 1964, which is committed to improving human health through world-class research, education, and patient care through the various subspecialties we offer.

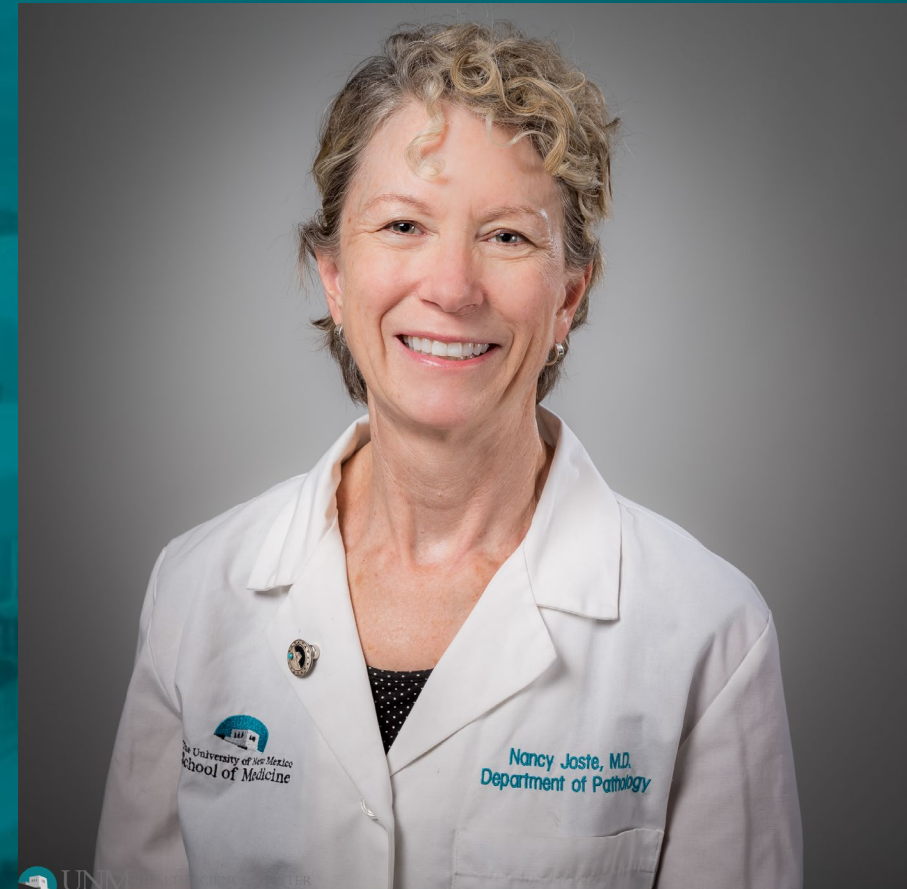
As you interview here and consider your decision on what is best for you, we hope you will also consider the benefits of living in our beautiful state. You will notice we have included information on the cost of living, public safety, and education in the Albuquerque area.

New Mexico is a vibrant state with a rich history and diverse cultures; it is called the "Land of Enchantment" for a reason. Whether you enjoy the great outdoors or prefer the city life, there is something for everyone.

I hope you find this informative and find that New Mexico is a wonderful place to work and live. I appreciate your interest in the Department of Pathology here at The University of New Mexico.

Kind regards,

Nancy Joste, MD
Professor and Department Chair



University Resources



- [Main Website](#)
- [My UNM](#)
- [Parking](#)
- [Human Resources](#)

UNM Campus

- [About UNM](#)
- [Administration](#)
- [Branch Campuses and Special Programs](#)
- [HSC Mission, Vision, and Values](#)
- [HSC Faculty](#)
- [HSC Badging Office](#)



Pathology Department



- [Pathology Website](#)
- [UNM Hospital](#)
- [School of Medicine](#)
- [Health Sciences Center](#)
- [Office of the Medical Investigator](#)
- [Comprehensive Cancer Center](#)

New Mexico Quick Facts

- **State Bird:**
Roadrunner
- **Capital:**
Santa Fe
- **Nickname:**
Land of Enchantment
- **Population:**
2.1 million
- **Flower:**
Yucca
- **Birthday:**
January 6, 1912
- **Flag:**
Red Zia with Yellow Background



New Mexico History



- [State History](#)
- [Santa Fe \(the country's](#)
- [oldest capital\)](#)
- [Roswell](#)
- [Trinity Site](#)
- [Old Town Albuquerque](#)

New Mexico Leadership

- **Governor:**
Michelle Lujan Grisham
- **Lieutenant Governor:**
Howie Morales
- **Attorney General:**
Raúl Torrez
- **State Treasurer:**
Laura M. Montoya
- **State Auditor:**
Joseph M. Maestas
- **Commissioner of Public Lands:**
Stephanie Garcia Richard



New Mexican Cuisine

New Mexican cuisine is the fusion of Native American, Spanish, and Mexican dishes.



- [El Pinto Restaurant and Cantina](#)
- [Golden Crown Panaderia](#)
- [Sawmill Market](#)
- [Steel Bender Brewery](#)
- [The Grove Café and Market](#)
- [Farm and Table](#)
- [Frontier Restaurant](#)

Adventure

- [New Mexico True Tourism and Travel](#)
- [Ski Taos](#)
- [Ski Apache](#)
- [White Sands](#)
- [New Mexico River Adventures](#)
- [Rio Grande Stables](#)
- [Paseo Del Bosque Trail](#)



Art



- [Meow Wolf](#)
- [Georgia O' Keefe Museum](#)
- [Canyon Road Art District](#)
- [New Mexico Museum of Art](#)
- [Albuquerque Museum](#)
- [Museum of International Folk Art](#)
- [Taos Arts Community](#)

Entertainment

- [Sandia Peak Tramway](#)
- [Albuquerque BioPark](#)
- [New Mexico Museum of Natural History](#)
- [National Museum of Nuclear Science and History](#)
- [Santa Fe Opera](#)



Sports



- [Albuquerque Isotopes](#)
- [University of New Mexico Lobos](#)
- [New Mexico State University Aggies](#)
- [New Mexico Ice Wolves](#)
- [New Mexico United](#)

Events

- [Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta](#)
- [Albuquerque Art Walk](#)
- [River of Lights](#)
- [Old Town Holiday Stroll](#)
- [Summerfest](#)
- [Twinkle Light Parade](#)
- [Santa Fe Indian Market](#)
- [Rail Yards Market](#)



New Mexico Living



- [Greater Albuquerque Chamber of Commerce](#)
- [Visit Albuquerque](#)
- [Visit Santa Fe](#)
- [State Statistics and Data](#)

Public Safety

- [UNM Police](#)
- [Albuquerque Police](#)
- [Bernalillo County Sheriff's Office](#)
- [New Mexico State Police](#)



Education



- [Albuquerque Public Schools](#)
- [Rio Rancho Public Schools](#)
- [Top Albuquerque Private Schools](#)
- [Top New Mexico Charter Schools](#)
- [Best STEM High Schools](#)
- [New Mexico Public Colleges and Universities](#)

Universal Child Care

New Mexico is the first state in the U.S. to offer no-cost universal child care to families regardless of income. Starting November 1, 2025, families can apply for child care assistance with no copays or fees. This initiative saves families an average of \$12,000 per child annually and supports family stability, workforce participation, and high-quality early learning. Required documents to qualify include proof of income, birth verification, school/training schedule, picture ID, proof of residency, and provider contact information.

- No income requirements—all families can apply
- No copays or fees—child care is completely free
- 55 new child care centers, 120 licensed homes, and 1,000 registered homes

- [More Info](#)
- [Apply](#)
- [Child Care Providers](#)



Parent Support Resources



- Parent Resource Center
- Women's Resource Center—Student Parent Initiative
- HSC Resident and Fellows—Families in Medicine
This UNM School of Medicine networking group connects you with other parents in medicine for sharing experiences and activities. To join the Families in Medicine listserv, you can email us at OPW@salud.unm.edu.
- Children's Campus
High-quality early care for children of UNM students, staff, and faculty.

Questions?

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Thank you for your interest in The University of New Mexico's Health Science Center and the Department of Pathology!