

## Abigail Claire Gelb Fruzza, M.D.

**Philosophy of Care** I am strongly committed to improving the health and well being of children and adolescents with a wide variety of endocrine conditions. It is important to provide patients and their families with a comfortable environment to discuss medical diagnoses, management and treatment options, and allow for informed healthcare decisions. I enjoy building lasting relationships with patients and their families and I work hard to provide the highest quality of care for my patients.

**Clinical Interests** I value medical education and public service, and strive for excellence in these areas. My involvement in the Pediatric Endocrinology Telemedicine clinic provides services to patients living in rural areas of Northern California as well as Oregon.

**Research/Academic Interests** My subspecialty training included stem cell research and treatment for diabetes mellitus.

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**Specialty** Pediatric Endocrinology

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**Education** M.D., Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY 2006

B.S., UC Los Angeles, Los Angeles CA 2001

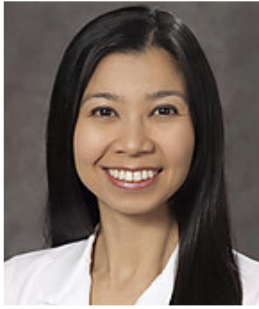
**Residency** Pediatrics, Children's Hospital and Research Center at Oakland, Oakland CA 2006-2009

**Fellowships** UC San Diego Pediatric Diabetes Research Center, San Diego CA 2011-2013

Pediatric Endocrinology, UC San Diego and Rady Children's Hospital, San Diego CA 2010-2013

**Board Certifications** American Board of Pediatrics, 2009

American Board of Pediatrics, Pediatric Endocrinology, 2013



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### Professional Memberships

American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)  
The Endocrine Society

### Honors and Awards

California Institute for Regenerative Medicine Clinical Fellow Training Grant, 2011  
UCLA Department of Microbiology, Immunology, and Molecular Genetics College Honors, 2001  
Phi Beta Kappa, 2001

### Select Recent Publications

A Gelb Fruzza, C Demeterco-Berggren, Kenneth L Jones. Unawareness of the Effects of Soy Intake on the Management of Congenital Hypothyroidism. *Pediatrics* Sep 2012 130:e699-e702.

AC Gelb, GS Manligas, S Gharaybeh, LA Schimmenti. Identification of two polymorphisms in the PAX2 gene. *Human Mutation* Jan 2001;17:155.

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