

Parent Approved on the Crystal Coast!

Disclaimer: This list was made in March, 2020 using all recommendations I received by asking for recommendations on the Crystal Coast Family Facebook and Instagram Accounts. It includes my personal recommendations, but I didn't only want to go on one opinion - especially when we are blessed with a variety family-friendly options on the Crystal Coast! If I somehow missed your recommendation, it wasn't intentional, please let me know so that I can add it.

Pediatricians

Oceanside Pediatrics

Oceanside Pediatrics - Elizabeth

Oceanside Pediatrics.... I love they have IBCLCs on staff to help with breastfeeding goals. - Maggie

We've been happy with Oceanside Pediatrics. Prompt appointments, very short wait times, and friendly staff.

Doctor Kiluk & Maureen at Oceanside Pediatrics in Morehead. Love how we aren't just a number. They truly get to know your family there. Maureen is also a lactation consultant. Such an advantage having one the same place you are going for the back to back appointments when baby is first born! - Erin

Carteret Children's Clinic

We love Dr. Moorehead at Carteret Children's Clinic. - Erin

I had good experiences with Carteret Children's Clinic in the past. - Kristin

Kid's Rule Pediatrics

Kid's Rule Pediatrics is great! - Tabitha

Carolina East Pediatrics

Carolina East Pediatrics....they also have brief weekend hours - Erin

OB/GYNs

Carteret OB/GYN

Dr. Marsh at Carteret OBGYN has saved my sanity! - Alison

Carteret OB all the way - JusticeElite

Carteret OB hands down! - Jodi Justice

Carteret OB!! - Jessi

Dr. Megan Lambeth at Carteret OB. - Mallory

Carteret OBGYN!! - Rebekah

Dr. Lambeth @ Carteret OBGYN!! - FullMoonOysterBar

There is only one. Carteret obgyn. I second Dr. Lambeth is amazing. - Kris

Theresa Monteith Johnson at Carteret OB - Marci

If this is for a pregnancy Carteret OBGYN is the only local practice that delivers at Carteret Health Care. If you have care with any other provider Carteret OBGYN will still deliver you. No other provider in town has hospital access. Aside from that I love COBGYN. - Deja

Anyone at Carteret OBGYN!!! - Amanda

Carteret OBGYN! Haven't had a doctor I didn't love!

Tara Prosser Mitchell at Carteret OBGYN - Mandy

GirlTalk & Gynecology

Dr. Orr!! - Virginia

Girl talk & gynecology. I love Dr Orr but not sure if she's accepting new patients. I've also seen Susan there and she is fantastic. - Kelly

Dr. Orr at Girltalk but OBs you're limited to Carteret. - Amanda

GirlTalk - Keli

* Carlyn says, If they are interested in home birth/birthing center, or a more natural approach to regular GYN care, [Bella Donna Midwifery](#) located in Jacksonville at La Vita Bella Birth Center is AMAZING.

Dentists

Mary Moran Day, DDS

Everyone mentioned are great but gotta stay with family so Mary Day - John

Mary Day. Carter's first visit was supposed to be a "fun visit" but he did so great seeing the tools and riding down in the chair that they went ahead and did his cleaning. Ever since he has asked for me to stay in the waiting room so he could go back by himself! - Kristin

We just had our first visit to Dr. Day and they were so wonderful with my daughter. They even ended the checkup with fairy dust.

Dr. Mary Day HAS to be on this list! She helped my daughter through her fear of the dentist!

Dr. Mary Day and staff. They are so good with kids. Were able to calm my kiddos fears. Lil guy didn't even realize he got injections of "sleepy juice" before his extractions. Hahaha. - Amber

Barrett Davis Jr. DDS

Barrett Davis Jr. DDS!! They are the absolute best!!!! - Krista

Dr. Barrett Davis. He's been seeing my daughter since she was two, is kid friendly, kind, and understanding. Always schedules visits conveniently as well where I can get my cleaning at the same time. - Wendy

Dr. Barrett Davis is amazing. After going through chemo for many years my teeth suffered and Dr. Davis has been there every step of the way to get my mouth back to tip-top shape. - Derek

Wells Family Dentistry

Wells Family Dentistry - Molly

Wells Family Dentistry - Shirley

Johnson Family Dentistry

Dr. Getty - Heather

We love Dr. Getty at Johnson Family Dentistry - Erin

Dentists, continued (We have a lot of great dentists on the Crystal Coast!)

Lawrence Family Dentistry

I like Lawrence Family on Bridges - been with them a number of years - David

Coastal Dentistry

Coastal Dentistry - Lesley

Cheryl Davis, DDS

Cheryl Davis - Dulcy

Seaside Dentistry

Seaside Dentistry may become my favorite soon... - Kristina

Oceanside Dentistry

We love Dr. Tom Ward at Oceanside Dentistry! - Erica

Cape Lookout Dental

We LOVE Hannah Thompson at Cape Lookout Dental. - Jenny

* If you need an office that specializes in Pediatrics, Rebekah, recommends **White & Johnson Pediatric Dentists** (in Jacksonville). She says they are great with kids! Going to be their regular routine dentist. Kid chairs, cartoons on tvs on the ceiling, tokens, happy smiles, great waiting room, we loved it. They can't wait until their next checkup. My other son was jealous he couldn't get his teeth cleaned today!

Hair Stylists

The Hair Gallery

Cortney is the best! She cuts my whole family's hair and has for years! - Kristin

The Hair Gallery - Molly

The Hair Gallery - Christina

The Hair Gallery! - Amanda

Hair Gallery (Cortney Thomas Herron) - Maggie

Big Rock Barber Shop

My husband just used Big Rock Barber Shop for the first time and I don't think he will ever go anywhere else now. The whole experience was incredible. (Hot towels, excellent cut, friendly barbers, and very affordable)!

Big Rock Barbershop for guys/boys. My youngest son got his first ever haircut there. And my older son changes his style frequently. - Erin

Salon Indigo

Krystina at Salon Indigo - Emily

Thairapy Salon & Spa

Thairapy Salon & Spa (Jeanne Boyle) - Kelly

Bella Hair Studio

Bella Hair Studio - Candace

Primary Care (Moms & Dads need to go to the doctor, too!)

Sound Medical or GirlTalk - Amanda

Carolina East has Internal Medicine coming to MHC this summer. - Erin

Dr. Dabney with CMG is amazing - Keli

Dave Henderson with Crystal Coast Family Practice - Kristin

Crystal Coast Family Practice, love Kathleen Boykin. Hubby sees Dr. Reichert. Dr. Odom is awesome as well; same practice. - Kelly

Carolinas Urgent and Primary Care. - Hannah

Veterinarian and/or Pet Groomers

Dr. Austin in Beaufort ([Austin Vet](#)), [Beach Paws](#) - Emily

We love [Austin Vet](#) for medical visits & [Beach Paws](#) for grooming and boarding! - Maggie

[Austin vet](#), [Mitchell village](#), and [paws and affection](#) - Jerica

[Morehead Animal Hospital](#). All the Drs. there are amazing - Tamera

[Mitchell Village Animal Hospital](#) run by two local mamas! - Liza

Dr. Todd Worrell with [PetDocks](#) saved our dogs life in the past and now cares for our kitty. - Kristin

We love [Beaufort Veterinary Hospital](#) and Dr Romano is amazing. We love [shampooches](#) for grooming! - Erin

[Shampooches Self-Service Dog Wash & Boutique](#) - Robin

[Paws And Affection Mobile Dog Grooming](#); [70 West Veterinary Hospital](#) - Sara