



## Raymond L Benza, MD

### Cardiology

Dr. Benza is an internationally renowned clinician and research scientist in heart failure, cardiac transplantation, mechanical circulatory support, and pulmonary hypertension. He has helped develop a new risk algorithm for pulmonary hypertension that has modified the nation's lung allocation process to ensure a fairer distribution of donor lungs for patients with end-stage pulmonary diseases.

Dr. Benza was named Physician of the Year by the Pulmonary Hypertension Association in 2013 and has served on multiple boards, committees, and councils related to his work on pulmonary vascular diseases. He is a funded investigator for the National Institutes of Health and the American Heart Association and has published more than 150 articles in peer-reviewed journals in addition to several book chapters.

## Locations

### AGH McGinnis Cardiovascular Institute

#### West Penn Hospital

4815 Liberty Ave  
Suite 158  
Pittsburgh, PA 15224  
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Fax: 412.359.3282

#### Peters Township Health + Wellness Pavilion

160 Gallery Dr  
Canonsburg, PA 15317  
Tel: 724.260.7400  
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#### Allegheny General Hospital

320 E North Ave  
1st floor  
Pittsburgh, PA 15212  
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## Credentials | Training & Certifications

### Residency

University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Center

### School

University of Florida College of Medicine

### Board

American Board of Int Med-Cardiovascular Disease  
American Board of Internal Medicine - Advanced Heart Failure and Transplant Cardiology

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## Expertise

Heart Failure  
Congestive Heart Failure  
Heart Failure

Heart Transplantation  
Pulmonary Hypertension