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Bay Area Day Trips
Explore popular neighborhoods and attractions in San Francisco.

San Francisco: The cultural, commercial and financial center of Northern California that is home to Silicon Valley and to the 49ers Football Team. Founded in 1776, this hilly city is known for more than its iconic Cable Cars and the Golden Gate Bridge. San Francisco is also known for its cool summers, fog, eclectic architecture, and landmarks. With so much history and culture packed into just under 48 square mile, take some time out of your schedule to visit some of the Bay Area’s popular neighborhoods and attractions. Be sure to wear a jacket and comfortable shoes!

Alcatraz Island
The Alcatraz Federal Penitentiary (Alcatraz for short) is located on the island and operated from 1934 to 1963. During its time, Alcatraz held some of America’s most ruthless criminals such as Al Capone, George “Machine Gun” Kelly and Ellsworth “Bumpy” Johnson as well as prisoners who repeatedly caused trouble at other federal prisons. Today, Alcatraz is a public museum operated by the National Park Services and offers ferry passes and tours of the penitentiary.

Chinatown
San Francisco has the largest Chinatown outside of Asia and is the largest Chinese community in North America. It was established in 1848 and is steeped in the history and culture of ethnic Chinese immigrants in America. Chinatown’s restaurants are considered the birthplace of American Chinese Cuisine, introducing such food items as Chop Suey and Dim Sum to Western and American tastes; its Dim Sum tea houses remain a major tourist attraction. Walking tours are available to take in the history, the art and culture of Chinatown. Enjoy the great restaurants and shopping.

Crissy Field
Crissy Field is a place to walk or bike - offering breathtaking views of the Bay and the Golden Gate Bridge. Formerly a US Army airfield, thanks to restoration by the National Parks Conservancy, the area now has beaches, picnic tables and windsurfing. Warming Hut and Beach Hut Cafés are on site for grabbing a bite to eat.

Mission District
This gentrified Latin neighborhood is home to the famous Roxie Theater and to five restaurants that have received 2017 Michelin stars. Mission has four sub-districts: The northeast is known as the center for high tech startups and chic bars and restaurants. The northwest is famous for their Victorian mansions and for Dolores Park a popular recreation area. The Valencia corridor and the 24th Street corridor (Calle 24) are popular for their restaurants, bars and galleries.

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the forests. A paved main walking trail begins at the entrance, travels alongside redwood creek and into the old growth forest. Bikers are only permitted on designated roads. [nps.gov/muwo/index.htm]

**North Beach**

North Beach is near Fisherman’s Wharf and Chinatown, and is San Francisco’s Little Italy with a large Italian American population. Part of the old Barbary coast, the neighborhood was formerly home to Jack Kerouac, Allen Ginsburg and Joe DiMaggio. Today North Beach is best known for its ristorantes, caffes and old-world delicatessens. Washington Square Park and Beat Museum are also fixtures in this beloved neighborhood. [sftravel.com/explore/neighborhoods/north-beach]

**Richmond District**

Richmond District (not to be confused with the city of Richmond some 20 miles north of San Francisco) is a melting pot of cultures, restaurants and theaters. The city is also called Little Russia represented by East Asian, Indian, Ethiopian, Russian and other world influences. The most famous Restaurant in Richmond District is Sutro’s Cliff House, known for its magnificent views of the Bay and its seafood menu. [sftravel.com/explore/neighborhoods/richmond-presidio]

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To learn more about the Department of Urologic Surgery at UC Davis, please visit http://urology.ucdavis.edu/urology/.

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PREPARING FOR A CAREER BREAK

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For physicians, planning ahead for a career break can help make a return to work easier. If you are thinking of taking personal or professional time off, there are some factors you will need to consider.

There are a number of things physicians can do prior to taking a career break that will make the transition back to work less stressful, in addition to running more smoothly.

1. Identify potential problems
2. Plan ahead
3. Give plenty of notice
4. Keep good records
5. Retain your license, if possible
6. Continue professional memberships
7. Keep up with Continued Medical Education (CME)
8. Continue to practice - with a reduced schedule or volunteer
9. Stay up to date with changing professional standards and re-entry requirements
10. Be prepared to adjust your plans and expectations

Keep in mind that each state has its own re-entry requirements and definitions of what constitutes a break.

1. Potential Problems
If you are expecting to return to the medical profession, you will need to start thinking about how to leave and how you wish to return as early as possible before even beginning the formal process. While there are differences from state to state, they share one common characteristic: the difficulty of re-entering the profession after a prolonged period away, especially if you have allowed your license to expire while on leave.

Of course, state medical boards have a duty to protect the public, so they require that returning physicians demonstrate clinical competency through CME, and board interviews.

2. Have a Plan
Investigate the specifics of your own state and specialty; research the state regulations and your medical specialty requirements carefully, but don’t rely on this information alone. Speak directly with your state board to discuss its policies with particular consideration given to your own individual specificities, and identify any potential hurdles you might encounter.

Once you understand what is required to reinstate your medical profession after taking a break, you can begin to plan based upon your own goals and specialty. You’ll need to consider whether it makes financial sense to retain your license, how you will continue with CME and how you will demonstrate continued competency to the relevant boards prior to your return. If possible, begin with your expected return to work date and plan backwards from there. Keep in mind that, depending upon your state, you may need to share your re-entry plan with your state licensure board.
3. Giving Notice
We've already noted the importance of planning ahead to give yourself plenty of time to prepare for your break and your re-entry to the profession. It is also important to extend this time to prepare the other people involved.

If you are employed and plan on returning to the same facility, you will need to liaise closely with your Human Resources department and medical staff leadership in order to understand the processes for leaving and returning. There may be specific rules around timely notification for a leave of absence and you will need to understand the possibilities and processes for maintaining or restoring hospital credentials.

Even if you aren’t planning to return to the same facility, communicate with Human Resources and the medical leadership teams as early as you can. Early notice doesn’t just make it easier for your employer to find a suitable replacement for you, it can help you ease your return to the field. You don't want to burn bridges with people who can help you stay up-to-date with current practices and upon whom you will rely to provide references for you when you do return.

For physicians with their own practice, the issues are different, but still benefit from early action. You may need to seek legal counsel, depending upon the practice structure and legal arrangements. Make arrangements for the notification and transfer of your patients and their medical records to other physicians in the practice. Securing malpractice insurance tail coverage may be essential to cover you in case of malpractice claims being brought after a claims-made insurance policy is terminated.

4. Paperwork
Keeping good records of your professional activities before and during your leave of absence should help to smooth re-entry.

Before you leave, secure written references from senior colleagues, medical associates and practice or hospital managers. Continue to keep records of CME and any clinical practice undertaken during the period of your career break.

5. Licensing
Maintaining your license is the best way to ease your return to work. It can be significantly harder to regain a license once it has been allowed to expire. However, the financial implications of maintaining your license do need to be considered.

The financial impact of taking a break from the profession is significant enough. It can become a real burden if you need to add that to the cost of maintaining your license with the state licensure, board certification, credentialing, memberships of professional organizations and – potentially – insurance (either malpractice tail insurance, or for continuing your regular malpractice insurance if you plan to work part-time or on a voluntary basis). If you are able to cover these costs, however, your ability to return to work will be considerably enhanced; it is a worthwhile investment if you can afford it.

6. Professional Memberships
National, state and local professional organizations can provide a good way of keeping up-to-date with the medical profession,
current clinical and procedural practice, and your colleagues. The potential for networking and CME that your membership in these organizations affords you is often a good reason for maintaining your membership.

Some organizations offer reduced membership rates for clinically inactive members – ask your professional organizations what support they can offer you.

7. Continuing Medical Education
Keep detailed records of all reading, online learning, training, volunteering and clinical practice you undertake during your leave of absence. Collecting references from colleagues whom you have worked alongside is a vital part of demonstrating your continued competence.

Reach out to your local medical school as it may be able to help you meet some of your CME requirements as well as providing networking and paid work opportunities.

Stay in touch with the profession by keeping your seat on any boards or committees, or finding a professional who is happy to mentor you during your time off.

8. Work Part-Time
Working part-time or on a locum or voluntary basis is the best way to keep up your skills. Continuing to work, even with a minimum schedule, will help you to demonstrate continuing competence when you are ready to return to full-time work.

In addition, the compensation may help to cover some of the costs of maintaining your license. Try to establish a good relationship with a good local locum tenens agency and ensure that you work with an agent who understands your priorities.

If you put in these hours out of state, or in a different country, make sure you keep records, get references, and seriously consider maintaining your state license in your home state as well. Of course, any clinical practice will be helpful but, if you can, aim to cover each aspect of the clinical practice to which you plan to return.

Nevertheless, however interested you are to secure continued clinical practice hours, don’t leave yourself exposed. Ensure that for every venture, you meet your obligations in terms of license, certification, malpractice insurance and any necessary permissions or credentialing.

9. Physician Re-entry
As previously mentioned, it will be much easier for you to return to the profession if you keep your license current. While this may require considerable effort and expense, it is likely worth it (if you are in a position to do so).

Maintaining competency and connections will also help with your peace of mind and help sustain the confidence you will need to manage the return to work.

10. Adjust Your Plans
The need to plan ahead is fundamental to minimizing the hurdles you will face. However, it is likely that your plan will need to evolve over the course of your career break. As the American Medical Association (AMA) and Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) continue to press for a more cohesive and standardized approach to physician re-entry, it is likely that state requirements and policies will change. You will need to stay ahead of these changing expectations and adjust your return-to-work plan accordingly.

Sources:

State Requirements - Federation of State Medical Boards fsmb.org
Report 6 of the Council on Medical Education: Physician Re-entry, American Medical Association ama-assn.org
Resources for Physicians Returning to Clinical Practice, American Medical Association ama-assn.org
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Being a Mentor

Anyone who has enjoyed the experience of being coached by a sympathetic and knowledgeable mentor knows how special, and beneficial the mentor-mentee relationship can be. There are many powerful reasons to become a mentor. The main attraction is, of course, helping others just starting out in their careers to excel. Sharing the knowledge you have picked up during your own path can give meaning to your own career trajectory, your self-worth and the value you derive from your job. The mentoring relationship also has an important role to play in mitigating the causes and effects of physician burnout for both parties.

Mentoring holds a special attraction for women and minorities who have advanced in their own careers because they can help promote greater diversity in the medical field by helping young people overcome the challenges they themselves faced.

A good mentor-mentee relationship also provides a valuable opportunity for reverse mentoring; helping the more experienced physician to stay in touch with current thinking and language, discuss new trends in technologies and processes, as well as to build and maintain relationships with the younger generations entering the profession.

The Qualities of a Good Mentor

Physicians who have risen to the top of their institution or area of clinical expertise will undoubtedly attract a fair number of younger interns and physicians who would like to be mentored by them. This is no guarantee, however, that the physician will make a good mentor.

While reputation is certainly important, the personal and behavioral characteristics of a physician can play an even more significant role in determining the success of a mentor-mentee relationship.

Having an open mind and a willingness to help others succeed are essential characteristics for any mentor. The ability to build a good rapport with students and junior members of staff is also important.

Time management can also be critical - mentors need to be available to their mentee. It can work well if both parties are able to schedule a regular time to meet, listen and talk through their concerns away from the workplace. It is ideal if you can make this a regular occasion; for example, lunch on the first Friday of every month. While making the time might seem like a challenge in an already over-stretched schedule, the benefits that mentoring offers makes finding time well worth the effort.

Mentoring and Diversity

The mentor relationship offers more than straight-forward technical, clinical and career guidance. Mentors have an important role to play in offering emotional support and guidance. This is certainly true when race and gender come into play. As we’ve already noted, mentoring has an important role to play in promoting diversity in medicine.

Physicians have to cope with many stressors. Learning to face down racism and/or sexism on top of the other challenges of the job can exacerbate feelings of physician burnout. The support and guidance of a senior staff member who understands these additional challenges can be critical for young medical students.

Writing in STAT, Jennifer Adaeze Okwerekwu relates the story of the racism she experienced during her medical practice. She cites Dr. Sue Taylor, a former medical director of palliative care for Tucson Medical Center in Arizona, who made the
point, “if students targeted by racial aggression don’t see their mentors actively moving to curb racism, that sends a powerful message.” Corporate civility coach, Sue Jacques, suggests that mentors should prepare themselves by creating a guiding set of principles that summarize how you will treat others and how you expect to be treated yourself. She says pre-determining these standards will help you deal with awkward experiences with grace.

**Tips for Mentoring Success**

Being a mentor requires you to exemplify model behavior and make good choices, Jacques states. Showing leadership and acting as a role model at all times is part and part of a senior physician’s lot. Emotional capacity is also important to the success of the mentoring relationship. A study by Dunn and colleagues identifies self-disclosure as an important attribute within the relationship.

Perhaps the most important tip for a successful mentoring relationship is to talk about both parties’ expectations of the mentoring relationship from the start. Don’t overcommit or set unrealistic expectations; be open about what you both are able to commit to.

A mentor’s role is to encourage self-empowerment. Depending on which stage a mentee is in their career, the mentor may have a huge potential impact on the development and trajectory of the mentee’s career plans. The mentor’s job is never to direct - but instead, to listen, share their experiences, talk through the options and suggest possibilities, never forgetting that ultimately the mentee has to be responsible for his or her own career.

**Finding a Mentee**

Senior physicians at the top of their fields may find themselves approached to be a mentor quite regularly. In these instances, the key to determine who to mentor are those students with whom you have a natural rapport and will be able to create value through your relationship. Some teaching facilities have a program to match interns with senior physicians, so the decision is removed from the physicians’ hands.

If neither of these circumstances apply to you, there are database matching services which can put would-be mentors and mentees in touch with each other. The American College of Physicians (ACP)’s Mentoring Database is a good place to start. The American Medical Women’s Association (AMWA) also operates a mentoring database.

If you don’t have time to commit for an extended period, you may wish to consider reaching out to younger generations before they make the educational choices that will help them pursue a career in Medicine. The Doctors Back to School and Mentoring in Medicine programs reach out, particularly to under-represented black and ethnic minority school age kids, to help open their eyes to the possibility of a career in medicine and encourage much-needed diversity in the profession.

To learn more about becoming a mentor, please visit:

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