



- Associate Professor
- Department of Medicine
- Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care & Sleep Medicine

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#### Conditions Treated:

- Chronic Respiratory Failure

#### Research Areas:

- Hypersensitivity Pneumonitis
- Epidemiology
- Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD)

#### Programs & Services:

- Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD) Program
- Department of Medicine
- Sleep Center
- Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine (Adult)

#### Research Interests

Interstitial Lung Diseases including Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis, Autoimmune Lung Diseases, Hypersensitivity Pneumonitis and Bronchiolitis.

#### Board Certification

Internal Medicine  
Critical Care Pulmonary

#### Residency

1999 - 2003 University of Colorado Denver, Internal Medicine/Chief Medical Resident

#### Fellowship

2004 - 2008 University of Colorado Denver/ National Jewish Health, Pulmonary and Critical Care  
2005 - 2007 University of Colorado Denver, Public Health

#### Teaching or Professional Positions

Assistant Professor of Medicine, National Jewish Health

#### Affiliations with the University of Colorado Denver

2003-Present: Clinical Instructor of Medicine, University of Colorado Denver

#### Awards & Recognition

2015: Best Doctors in America, Best Doctors, Inc.  
2003-2004: The 8th Annual Elaine Cleary Faculty Award Recipient for Excellence in Education, Division of

Internal Medicine, University of Colorado Denver  
2002-2003: Chief Medical Resident, Internal Medicine Residency Program, University of Colorado Denver

### **Publications**

Olson AL, Swigris JJ, Sprunger DB, Fischer A, Fernandez-Perez ER, Solomon J, Murphy J, Cohen M, Raghu G, Brown KK. Rheumatoid arthritis-interstitial lung disease-associated mortality. *Am J Respir Crit Care Med*. Accepted for publication with minor revisions, June 2010.

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Olson AL, Huie TJ, Groshong SD, Cosgrove GP, Janssen WJ, Schwarz MI, Brown KK, Frankel SK. Acute exacerbations of fibrotic hypersensitivity pneumonitis: a case series. *Chest* 2008;134:844-850.

Olson AL, Swigris JJ, Lezotte D, Norris J, Wilson C, Brown KK. Mortality rates from pulmonary fibrosis increased from 1992 to 2003 in the United States. *Am J Respir Crit Care Med* 2007;176:277-284.

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