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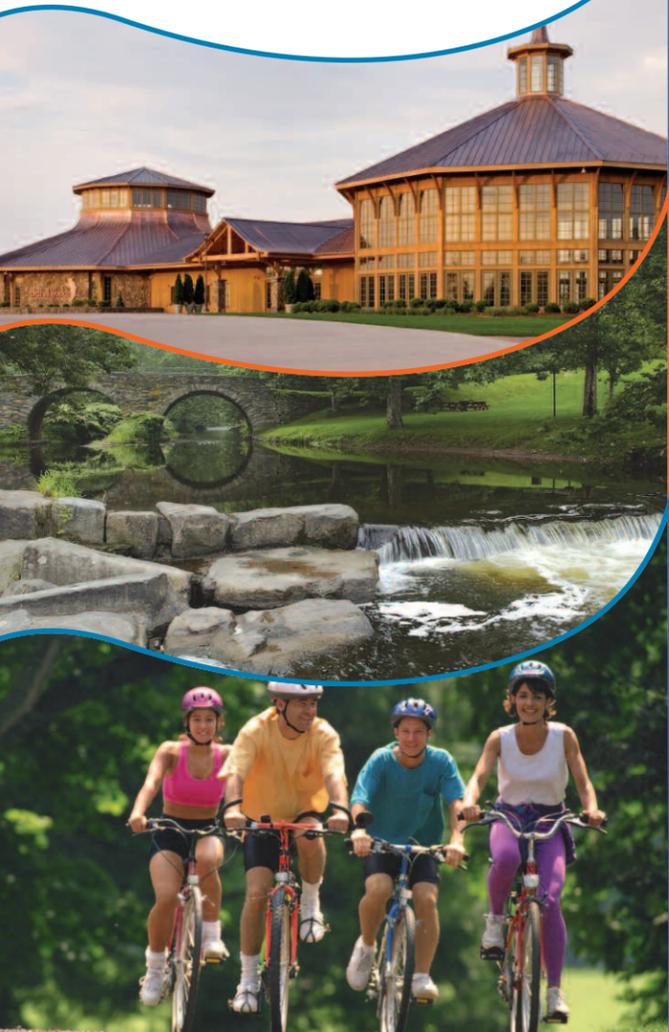
Covering an 11-county region in New York's lush and active Hudson Valley region,



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Catskill-Hudson Area Health Education Center and its innovative new healthcare recruitment service, HealthMatch, is ready to help you fulfill your practice goals while providing you and your family with the best quality of life that upstate New York offers.



New York's Hudson Valley Region has Great Medical Practice Opportunities



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Whatever you prefer—**world class art, architecture, mountain climbing, skiing, fine dining** and/or **top-notch cultural experiences**—the quality of life in our 11-county region is second to none.

Art & Culture

As the inspiration for generations of artists, the Hudson River's majesty—at times lush and at times stark—gave birth to what is now known as the Hudson River School. Take in the school master's work at Olana, now an historic site, which is the home of Frederic Church in Columbia County. Or visit another Hudson River master, Thomas Cole, at the historic site named for him in Greene County. If you're looking for something more avant-garde, Sullivan County's Nutshell Arts Center is home to



many local artists whose work can also be found in some of New York City's upscale galleries. You'll find a rich collection of American Folk Art and American Indian Art at Cooperstown's Fenimore Art Museum in Otsego County.



Museum at Bethel Woods - Interior Bus

Music and theatre abound throughout the MacHayden Theater in Columbia County to the Bethel Woods Performing Arts Center located on the 1969 world-famous Woodstock Music and Arts Festival Site in Sullivan County. For opera buffs, there's Glimmerglass Opera in Cooperstown in Otsego County and the Hudson Opera House in Hudson, Columbia County.



Fine Dining

Start at the Culinary Institute of America in Dutchess County's Hyde Park and work your way through the many gastronomic delights to be enjoyed throughout the area. In the Hudson Valley, four star restaurants, casual cafes and bistros are home to incredibly talented chefs who were drawn to the area from New York City. Extraordinary ethnic fare can be found on the main streets throughout the region, but if you're looking for fine dining in an historic setting, try the George Mann Tory Tavern in Schoharie County, the Beekman Arms in Rhinebeck in Dutchess County or the Otesaga Hotel and Resort in Otsego County's Cooperstown.



Recreation

If you're interested in swimming, skiing, golfing, fishing or hiking, to name a few, our 11-county region has more to offer than most. Sparkling lakes and streams, as well as community pools, make cooling off during our hot summer months a cinch. The area sports some of the best golfing in New York State—from those in New York State Parks like the Rockland Lake State Golf Course in Rockland County to public courses such as the Catskill Golf Club in Greene County to private courses such as the one at Quaker Hill Country Club in southeast Dutchess County that was built by media personality Lowell Thomas.



If you're ready to trade a golf club for a fishing rod, the streams and rivers throughout the area are well stocked and ready for you. American fly fishing was born in the Catskills. Today, the West and East branches of the Delaware River are premier trout streams and the Pecos and Cannonsville Reservoirs in Delaware County, which both supply water to



New York City, are two of bass and trout fishing's best kept secrets.



Lander River Trips on the Delaware River

In the spring, summer and fall seasons, the Catskill Mountain range's numerous peaks are the playground for hikers and mountain climbers alike. The beauty and majesty of experiencing the range from any of the 35 highest peaks—at 3,500 feet—is absolutely breathtaking. The Shawangunk Mountains, or the Gunks, as they are known in rock climbing circles, is a rock climber's paradise that stretches through Ulster, Sullivan and Orange Counties.



Climbing in the Shawangunk Ridge



When wintertime falls on the Catskills, many of its peaks turn into the area's best skiing at Hunter Mountain in Greene County, Belleayre Mountain in Ulster County and Holiday Mountain in Sullivan County.

History

While Paul Revere warned everyone in Boston that the British were coming, it was in the Hudson Valley that some of the Revolutionary War's pivotal battles and moments took place. George Washington established his longest residency during the war in Orange County's Newburgh and it was during that time he established the Order of the Purple Heart. Just up the Hudson in Kingston in Ulster County, stands the Senate House, the oldest public building in the United States where New York's state government was established in 1777. Not happy with the rebelliousness of the area, King George sent his troops to burn down Kingston which was then the Empire State's capital.



History abounds throughout the region—FDR's home and resting place in Hyde Park in Dutchess County for one. Another president, Martin Van Buren, had his Georgian and Italianate home in Columbia County. The region's first route from the Hudson to the new frontier of the west, the Catskill Turnpike, originated in Delaware County.



photo credit: Martin Van Buren National Historic Site

Attractions

Whether it's the Baseball Hall of Fame in Otsego County, West Point in Orange County, Mohonk Mountain House in Ulster County or the Walkway over the Hudson connecting Dutchess and Ulster Counties, the range of attractions in our region seems endless. Old and new wineries dot the landscape throughout the Hudson Valley, selling local wines and many offering a place for the visitor to relax with a fine wine in hand and be entertained by local musicians. In fact, Brotherhood Winery is the oldest winery in New York State and part of the Shawangunk Wine Trail.



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