



Efren Rosas, MD
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“I like to fix things,” says Efren Rosas, MD and that’s great news for patients needing surgery or hospitalization throughout Kaiser Permanente Northern California.

Dr. Rosas’ passion for “fixing things” has resulted in the creation of San Jose’s Pre-op Medicine Clinic, which lets patients get all their pre-op testing done in a single visit.

He also helped improve the teamwork and communication that goes on in operating rooms to enhance patient care and safety. And he recruited a team of talented physicians to initiate improvements throughout the hospital to ensure faster recovery for many patients after surgery, with fewer post-op complications.

“ Dr. Rosas represents the very best in Permanente Medicine,” says Rajan Bhandari, MD, Physician-in-Chief, San Jose Medical Center. “He has helped solve complex problems to improve access, quality and service for our patients. ”