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Dr. Cabrera is an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at the Medical College of Wisconsin and practices in the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin's Diabetes and Endocrine Clinic as a pediatric endocrinologist. She received her medical degree at the University of Tennessee in Memphis and completed a combined Internal Medicine and Pediatrics residency at Indiana University. Dr. Cabrera remained at Indiana University as a pediatric endocrinology fellow. While there, she worked in the research lab of Dr. Raghu Mirmira and studied the immune and beta-cell specific effects of DPP-4 inhibitors and histone deacetylase inhibitors in the non-obese type 1 diabetes mouse model. She joined the faculty at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Milwaukee in 2012. She is an active member of the institution's Max McGee National Research Center for Juvenile Diabetes. Dr. Cabrera has been able to translate and expand the basic science immunological work of the center into observational and interventional clinical trials. The primary focus of her work is identifying intestinally-mediated environmental factors that may contribute to increased susceptibility of type 1 diabetes progression. In addition to investigator-initiated studies, she also actively participates in TrialNet, an international type 1 diabetes research consortium.