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From Your DIO

I would first like to wish all of you a happy and prosperous new year! May this year bring all the peace, happiness and success you deserve. Welcome to our inaugural issue of the Wayne State University Graduate Medical Education newsletter. The intent of this newsletter is to keep our community informed of the news, best practices, accolades, updates about new faculty & staff and highlights of approaching important dates and deadlines. Our hope is that you walk away with at least one new nugget of knowledge from each newsletter. We will be publishing our newsletter every other month, however, if there is critical information to share with the community, a special issue will be distributed. We would also like to invite you to be involved in creating this newsletter. If there is a



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best practice you would like highlighted from your program or a new faculty member who has joined your team, please send that information to [Amelia Mills](#) in order to include it in the next issue. We also will have a trivia question included in each issue and hope that you take the time to figure out the correct answer. The responses received will be entered into a drawing to win a gift certificate to Starbucks. Winners will be notified via email. The GME office hopes 2013 brings great opportunities, bright promises and abundant success!



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2013 ACGME Annual Educational Conference Registration:

Registration for the 2013 ACGME Annual Educational Conference, *New Horizons*, is now open. Registration will be available through the end of January. The conference will be held February 28-March 3, 2013 at the Swan and Dolphin in Orlando, Florida. Details can be viewed [here](#).

ACGME Awards:

The ACGME is now accepting nominations for its 2014 awards. The deadline for nominations is March 15, 2013, at 5:00 p.m. CST. Nomination

forms and FAQs for the 2014 John C. Gienapp Distinguished Service; the Courage to Teach; the Courage to Lead; the David C. Leach, MD; the GME Program Coordinator Excellence; and the GME Institutional Coordinator Excellence awards are now available on the ACGME website. There is no limit to the number of times a person can be nominated. For additional information, and to access the nomination application, please click on the "Awards" tab in the top right-hand side of the [ACGME website](#), or follow [this direct link](#).

Upcoming Important Dates:

- **January 8th**—PD Task Force & GMEC Meeting, 1328 Scott Hall, Detroit
- **January 25th**—SEMCME Session 3: Making Sense of Competency-Based Med Ed, Milestones & the NAS
- **February 5th**—Orthopaedic Surgery Site Visit
- **February 8th**—Urology Internal Review
- **February 12th**—Program Coordinator Development Session

Trivia Question:

According to the ACGME:

- CCC is short for what?
- The CCC evaluates what on a semiannual basis?

Next trivia question may have to do with Common Program Requirements or CLER visits



Admin Updates

PC Development Session:

At our last session we discussed the implementation of the ACGME NAS – three of our programs – Orthopaedic Surgery, Internal Medicine and Urology, are part of phase one and we will be working with them to make any changes needed to be prepared for implementation on July 1st. We also discussed the importance of tracking licenses for the residents – **as a reminder Permanent Licenses expire in January** – if any of your residents have a Permanent License check to make sure their license is renewed. It was great to see everyone for our last meeting of the year! If you have any ideas for topics you would like to see covered in future meetings please let the GME office know.

New Innovations:

New Innovations has been making changes to adapt to the ACGME NAS – not only have they changed their menu to be more user friendly they will be adding some tools to assist the residency programs with reporting in the

NAS. We were especially happy to see that they will be uploading the milestones into New Innovations directly as soon as they are released by the ACGME, they will be incorporated into a Milestone Review Report which will make it easier to evaluate each resident's achievement of the milestones. We have also started using the Advancement Checklist - tested out this December with a resident who is graduating from the Family Medicine Residency Program, this will allow us to make any changes before it is needed for the larger group in June.

Internal Reviews:

Urology – February 8, 2013

Transitional Year – April 2013

Site Visits:

Orthopaedic Surgery – February 5, 2013

Ophthalmic Plastic Fellowship – May 3, 2013

Internal Medicine – July 2013

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation – August 2013

Resident Quality Council Updates

The Resident Council was formed through the continued efforts by the Graduate Medical Education Committee to enhance the educational experience at WSU. It is a peer-selected group of residents representing all the residency programs at WSU. The Council provides an independent forum in which residents meet among themselves to communicate and exchange information on their work environment and programs. Its purpose is to serve as a voice for residents, provide a forum and ensure resident involvement. We are in the process of developing a lecture series to expose area youth to the process of applying to medical school and to the various specialties we have all chosen to train in. Also we have been planning a resident outing/ fun night for early spring. Please join us as we shape the policies governing physician and patient life and be active in improving the quality and value for our patients and peers. Please send your ideas for the resident outing/fun night to Resident Quality Council President, [Christina Kimbrough](#).

Task Force Updates

Transitions of Care:

iPatient SignOut has been rolled out to Otolaryngology. Urology, Orthopaedic Surgery and Dermatology are next on the list to learn the software. Family Medicine and Internal Medicine are postponed until the IT Department at Crittenton Hospital works out the interface between their Cerner EMR system and iPatient SignOut. A training/user manual is under development for use the GME Programs. Finally, the GME Policy governing Transitions of Care and Hand-Off procedures has been written and is in the review process.



Scholarly Accolades

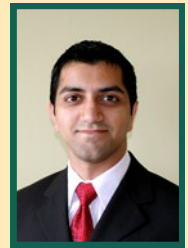
Congratulations to Drs. Markova, Coticchia, Kruper, and Robert Dace-Smith and Martha Jordan! They are accepted for a poster presentation to the AAMC Group on Resident Affairs Spring Meeting with their project entitled “A Standardized Model for Implementation and Training of Handoffs and Transitions of Care Across Numerous Training Programs”. It highlights the development of a multi-specialty, multi-disciplinary task force to create a standardized model of training, evaluation and monitoring of handoffs across all Wayne State University programs. We engaged all residency programs with representative residents, faculty, IT, process engineering and simulation center specialists. As a result, we developed a standardized SBAR derived template and placed it on a HIPPA compliant web-based system, iPatient SignOut. We also designed a curriculum for training of residents focused on interpersonal communication skills and utilizing an online training module followed by a day of interactive instruction. An observed simulation handoff evaluation (OSHE) will be used to assess competency level in this area, graded by the receiving residents with a handoff CEX.

Resident Accolades

Wayne State University Physician Group and the Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation – Oakwood are pleased to announce the recent accomplishments of Dr. Saurabha Bhatnagar, who has served as Chief Resident in the Department for the past 2 years. He is distinguished as the sole resident member for the Clinical Learning Environment Review (CLER) Committee at the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME). Dr. Bhatnagar additionally serves with the Council of Review Committee Residents (CRCR) at the ACGME and is a member of the leadership subcommittee to develop a leadership curriculum for residents at a national level.

His professional contributions and service to the scientific community includes being a peer reviewer for both the PM & R Journal, the official journal of the American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, as well as a peer reviewer for research abstracts submitted to the American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Annual Assemblies.

During his time at Wayne State and Oakwood Hospital, Dr. Bhatnagar had contributed his time serving with various local and regional organizations including the Brain Injury Association of Michigan and the Michigan Public Health Initiative Traumatic Brain Injury Services and Prevention Council. Dr. Bhatnagar also worked with co-residents to create educational materials regarding concussion and brain injury to distribute to local high-school athletes and patients evaluated in the Oakwood health system. His effort and service in communicating prevention initiatives and awareness for patients and their families makes a difference in our community. Education is a passion of Dr. Bhatnagar's and he has recently accepted a position at Harvard Medical School as the Traumatic Brain Injury Fellow at Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital.



Welcome New Staff



Michelle C. Brock joined the staff of Wayne State University Physician Group this November as the Senior Residency Coordinator for Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at Oakwood Heritage Hospital. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Theology from Saint Mary's College, Orchard Lake, MI and a Master of Arts Degree in Religious Studies from the University of Detroit Mercy. Michelle brings over 20 years of professional leadership experience in education, program administration, and human service from her career as a director of religious education with the Archdiocese of Detroit. Her hobbies include taking in all the good theatre in Midtown, listening to classical music, singing as a cantor for her Church, and enjoying outdoor adventures up north with her four children. Michelle believes the best part of her new position is the opportunity to be of service to others who are skilled in healing the human person.

Internal Medicine—OSCE Review Session

The Wayne State University Internal Medicine Residency Program at Crittenton Hospital participates annually in the objective structured clinical examination (OSCE) focusing on a patient-centered approach to the practice of internal medicine. The OSCE focuses on four main clinical scenarios: error disclosure, informed consent, approaching health disparity and breaking bad news. During their training, the internal medicine residents receive instruction on “patient-centered” rounding with emphasis on the approach to the actual patient in place of simply the approach to disease management.

This year, Drs. Khalid Zakaria, Jacqueline Moore and Anurag Mehrotra organized and administered a workshop designed to provide robust feedback to the resi-

dents from colleagues, faculty mentors, the OSCE faculty champion and program director. The focus of the workshop was to generate conversation that increased the residents understanding of a successful patient encounter. The feedback from colleagues and faculty was given in the context of the Kalamazoo Essential Elements Checklist. A post workshop survey was administered which reflected a posi-



IM Residents working in their small group sessions.

tive learning environment and overall outcome. The vast majority of the residents were comfortable providing and receiving feedback during the group session. Also, the residents found that learning from viewing their colleagues’ videos was a beneficial experience. Residents also indicated that they would like similar group review sessions repeated in the future.

Overall, we believe there is a role of video based group review sessions demonstrating the clinical encounters. "Making medical education more patient-centered with use of video review sessions is something we highly promote here." - Dr. Jacqueline Moore. We plan on conducting these review sessions on an annual basis.

To find out more about the learning goals, plan of execution and evaluation results, click [here](#).

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