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Introduction

The EM Research Division is restarting a monthly E-Newsletter. We want to let everyone know about the wonderful accomplishments of our department. Please email Debbie Eurom monthly updates: <mailto:debra.eurom@jax.ufl.edu>. This issue covers May–September 2009.

Presentations

Florida EMS for Children Advisory Committee June 30, 2009

Drs. Hendry and Ennis presented a lecture and literature review on Pediatric Pre-hospital Therapeutic Hypothermia. They later met with the state EMS Medical Director, Dr. Joe Nelson and other Bureau of EMS staff regarding future recommendations on the subject.

FCEP Annual Symposium by the Sea

- Dr. Gray–Imaging in Abdominal Pain
- Drs. Booth, Caro & Morrissey–LLSA Workshop
- Drs. Booth & Gray–Preparing for the Real World
- Dr. Espetia–CPC Competition

SAEM Annual Meeting May 14–17, 2009

- Drs. Hendry and McIntosh directed panel discussion on Integrating Hospice Services in the ED
- Drs. Booth and Smolik presented oral CPC cases
- Dr. Andescavage gave an oral presentation: “Pupillary Response to Light is Preserved in Patients Undergoing Pharmacologic Neuromuscular Blockade for RSI”. Sub-Investigators: Caro, Kalynych, and Akhlaghi

SAEM Annual Meeting May 14–17, 2009

- Drs. Westenbarger and Godwin presented Innovations in EM Exhibit on SimWars
- Dr. Godwin along with Mount Sinai EM co-directed SimWars competition
- Dr. Godwin moderated oral presentations for airway management

Ponte Vedra Clinical Decision Making in Emergency Medicine Conference June 25–27, 2009

- Dr. Godwin: conference co-director and speaker
- Dr. Caro, Booth, Morrissey and Wylie: speakers

9th International Meeting on Naturalistic Decision Making in London – June 2009

- Gilardi S, Guglielmetti C, Perry SJ, Pravettoni G, Wears RL. Changing horses in mid-stream: sudden changes in plan in dynamic decision problems. In: Wong WA, ed. 9th International Naturalistic Decision-Making Conference. Covent Garden, London
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Publications and Posters

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Murphy AG, Wears RL. The medium is the message: communication and power in sign-outs. *Ann Emerg Med*. 2009;54(3):379 - 380.

Patterson ES, Wears RL. Beyond "Communication Failure". *Ann Emerg Med*. 2009;53(6):711-712.

Savitz SI, Levitan EB, Wears R, Edlow JA. Pooled analysis of patients with thunderclap headache evaluated by CT and LP: is angiography necessary in patients with negative evaluations? *J Neurol Sci*. 2009;276(1-2):123-125.

Zeretzke C, Hendry P. Diagnosis of Ovarian Cyst in a Neonate Presenting with Abdominal Distension. ACEP SEC Educational Conference, SanDestin, FL. June 2009. Poster

Grants

AHEC Tobacco Grant

Colleen Kalynych and Drs. McIntosh and Hendry received an additional \$30,000 for a cumulative total of \$90,000.

Kudos to.....

Dr. Wears for teaching at University of Wisconsin's Systems Engineering Initiative for Patient Safety program and Northwestern University's Master's program in Safety and Quality in July 2009.

Dr. Wears was also a visiting faculty member at the Mt Sinai program in August and spoke on Overcrowding: Causes and Solutions

Dr. Phyllis Hendry is featured in the in UF Physician Spotlight:

<http://www.hscj.ufl.edu/medicine/spotlight/hendry.asp>

Dr. Kelly Gray was elected FCEP Secretary/Treasurer

Dr. Jay Schauben was elected to the Board of American Association of Poison Centers

Dr. Joe Sabato with help from Dr. Julie Lewis achieved accreditation for Shands Jacksonville as a National Disaster Life Support training site. <http://www.bdls.com/>. Faculty can participate in scholarly activity by writing an updated chapter for the national curriculum.

Drs. Lenhart, Gray and Caro's abstract was accepted in ACEP's Teaching Innovations on Coping with Crowding Abstract Contest. Poster exhibition October 5th, 1:30-2:30

Dr. Joseph was chosen to represent ACEP as Chair of DHS grant Interactive Disaster Preparedness Gaming

Kudos to.....

Dr. Chrissy Zeretzke who will be presenting "Impact of Immunization Registry Program on Children aged 6–24 months who Present to ED with Fever Without Source" Sept 14–17, 2009 in Valencia, Spain at the Fifth Mediterranean Emergency Medicine Congress (Dr. McIntosh–Faculty mentor).

Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER

- 21st, Ann Arbor, MI: SAEM Midwest Regional Meeting

OCTOBER

- 5–8, Boston: ACEP Scientific Assembly
- 5–6, Boston: ACEP Research Forum
- 16–20, Washington DC: AAP National Conference

NOVEMBER

- 5–7, Charlotte, NC: International Trauma Conference
- 11–17, Clermont, FL: FL EMSC Pre-hospital Pediatric Education Symposium

Upcoming Deadlines

- December 2, 2009–Call for abstracts SAEM Annual and Western Regional Meeting
- January 20, 2010–Call for Innovations in Emergency Medicine Education Exhibits
- February 3, 2010–Call for Photographs, SAEM Annual Meeting
- March 5, 2010–Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference Follow-up Research Special Issue
- March 26th, 2010–Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference

PGY–3 Resident Projects

Senior resident and fellow scholarly projects will be presented at the annual EM Research Day on March 25, 2010. Residents should be progressing on their projects and meeting regularly with faculty mentors. Please contact Colleen at 244–8605 with questions.

RESIDENT	PROJECT	MENTOR
Beach	STEMI	Sabato
Lim/Dembitsky	EMS Therapeutic Hypothermia Simulation	Sabato
Desai/Sheikh	Navy Grant Simulation Scenarios	Godwin & Simon
Ennis	Pediatric Therapeutic Hypothermia	Hendry
Forrest	International EM Literature Review & AHEC Tobacco Grant	Hendry, McIntosh & Kalynych
Hopkins	Intralipid Review	Kunisaki
Ingram	Disaster Management Training	Sabato
Lancaster	Needs Assessment for EM Resident Website	TBD
Laperouse	ED Radiation Exposure	Caro & Booth
Lenhart	Rapid Response Team	Sabato & Godwin
Lissoway	US Guided Intra-articular Anesthesia in Shoulder Dislocations	Caro
Price	Case report	TBD
Smolik	CPC SAEM	Booth