

February 05, 2019



## LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

Welcome to the Department of Pediatrics' weekly email blast designed to deliver important department information straight to your inbox.

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### LSU Pediatrics Announcements

**Mark your calendars:**

**Friday, February 15th at Noon in Conference Center:  
"State of the Department" Presentation by Dr. Watts**

LSU Faculty Members elected to leadership roles in Children's Hospital Medical Staff - Several LSU faculty members were elected to leadership roles in the Children's Hospital Medical Staff at the Medical Staff Meeting of 1.31.19. Please join me in congratulating our colleagues who will lead the hospital medical staff over the next two years. ([information](#))

LSU Department of Pediatrics Faculty member Jovanny Zabaleta receives 2019 AACR Minority and Minority-Serving Institution Faculty Scholar in Cancer Research Award!



Brandon Fairless and Katie Greer (pictured above) named Chief Residents of the LSU Pediatric Residency Program for the 2020-2021 academic year ([information](#))

Dr. Ryan Pasternak named Vice Chair for Pediatric Community Health and Advocacy ([information](#))

\$1.2 million Grant Awarded to LSU Department of Pediatrics Division of General Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine ([information](#))

Children's Hospital Appoints Bonnie Desselle, MD as Chief Medical Education Officer and Director of the Department of Medical Education ([release](#))

Dr. Gary Duhon named Acting Section Head of Pediatric Critical Care for the LSU Health New Orleans Department of Pediatrics ([release](#))

Feeding Team Gets NIH Grant ([information](#))

Please welcome our new round of medical students ([composite](#))! Please be mindful of the upcoming medical student evaluation [deadlines](#).

The Colombian Pediatric Endocrine Association will honor Alfonso Vargas, MD at their annual meeting in March ([information](#))

ISPCTN Professional Development Update ([information](#))

PAS 2019 meeting registration is now open ([information](#))

SPIRIT Research Funding Opportunity ([information](#))

LSU Proof of Concept Fund: LIFT2 Round 10 ([information](#))

New eRA submission process ([information](#))

### **Faculty Development** - Thinking Like a Doctor

Faculty, please take a look at this [video](#) (11 minutes) which describes the RIME scheme of medical student evaluation (Reporter, Interpreter, Manager, and Educator). This terminology not only helps in giving feedback to students and residents, but also helps in writing good evaluations for our learners and grading our H&Ps, presentations and notes.

For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Prudhomme](#), [Jessica Patrick-Esteve](#) or [Amy Creel](#). ([video](#))



The LSU Healthy Tigers would like to extend our sincerest appreciation for all donations to the Holiday Book Drive. We received 1500+ books which will be distributed throughout the year!  
 We are looking for volunteers for an evening of service on February 13th from 5:30-7:30 PM at Second Harvest Food Bank. If interested, please email Amanda Glinky at [aglink@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:aglink@lsuhsc.edu).

**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF  
GREATER  
COVINGTON**

*Project Prom 2019*

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE INVITED  
TO PICK OUT A FREE FORMAL GOWN, SHOES,  
AND ACCESSORIES!

**NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED!**

529 N. COLUMBIA STREET, COVINGTON, LA 70433  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2019  
9 A.M. - NOON

QUESTIONS? CONTACT [JLGCPROJECTPROM@GMAIL.COM](mailto:JLGCPROJECTPROM@GMAIL.COM)

LSU Healthy Tigers is also collecting new and gently used formal dresses and accessories, benefiting Project Prom through February 14th. Project Prom is an organization that provides these items, free of charge, through the Junior League of Greater Covington. Items can be brought to the resident PICU call room or you can contact Amanda Glinky at [aglink@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:aglink@lsuhsc.edu) to arrange for pick-up with one of the members of Healthy Tigers.

## CHNOLA Announcements



Dr. Kurt Piggott selected first CHNOLA Physician of the Quarter ([information](#))

CHNOLA Construction Update ([information](#))

A Message from CEO John Nickens ([information](#))

Latest issue of Small Talk ([link](#))

CHNOLA is offering Provider Optimization Labs to help people with either personalization or learning efficiencies. A trainer will be available in the Medical Staff lounge 11am-2pm on the following days:

- February 4
- February 5
- February 18
- February 19
- March 18

The labs are drop in. The trainer will also be available to come round or assist in the main campus clinics before/after these times if arranged ahead of time. Please let me know if you would like the trainer to visit your clinic at main campus.

Lactic Acid ordering changes: Lactic Acid is only done by RT and the new order routes it to them. Please see the attached picture showing the new order appearance. ([Lactic Acid Order](#))

EPIC upgrade coming in July. Be on the lookout for more information as we get closer!

2nd Annual Leadership Symposium ([information](#))

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## Upcoming Events

**02/06/19** - Grand Rounds: *Screen Time in 2019*, Amanda Glinky, MD

**Grand Rounds Shuttle**  
now departing the main hospital at 7:45am and 7:55am  
and returning at 9:05am and 9:15am.

**02/09/19** - CHNOLA's Pediatric Saturday Symposium ([information](#))

**02/21/19 - 02/23/19** - SSPR Annual Meeting - pre-register by February 15th!  
Registration info and meeting program can be found here: [information](#)

**03/29/19** - LA CaTS Professional Development Core ([information](#))

**04/22/19 - 04/26/19** - LSU Pediatrics Wellness Week

**05/02/19** - Diabetes Research Day ([information](#))

**05/23/19** - EQUiP QI Forum, LSU GME

**05/24/19** - LSU Pediatrics Research Day, CH Conference Center

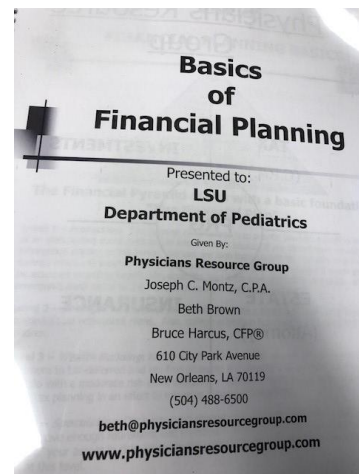
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## Department Wellness

Free Yoga at CHNOLA! Classes are held every Wednesday from 5:15pm to 6:15pm in the State Street Conference Center. Sign up [here](#).

Take home points from this week's resident wellness event that focused on financial planning:

1. Have portable disability insurance
2. Be aware of all your student loans (amount and payment plans)
3. Pay off ALL credit card debt before you graduate
4. Start a budget ( see where your money is going)
5. Invest in a Roth IRA soon
6. Consider a 3-5 month emergency savings



In battle against doctor burnout, reading - for fun - is fundamental ([article](#))

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Pediatric residents practicing their lab skills at a recent morning conference



## Department Anniversaries

The following employees celebrate another year with the department this month. Thank you for your continued service to LSU Pediatrics!

Hyang Lee, 21 years  
Jovanny Zabaleta, 18 years  
Isa Ashoor, 2 years

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Submit information to the next Tuesday Tidbits