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Dr. Ben Springgate (Community and Population Medicine) and Professor Larry Palinkas of University of California, San Diego gave a seminar on January 30, 2026, for the University of Washington REACH Center on “Climate, Health, and Implementation Science - The PROUD-LA Study”.

Dr. Kayla Rykiel (Med-Peds Resident) and **Dr. Allison Pinner** (Hospital Medicine) recently published this case study in *Cureus* with our dermatology colleagues.



Dr. Stephanie Taylor (Infectious Diseases) recently published a number of important papers in the area of sexually transmitted infections. These include publications in *New England Journal of Medicine*, *Lancet* and *Sexually Transmitted Diseases*. The citations are listed below:



1. Hook EW 3rd, Dionne JA, Workowski K, McNeil CJ, **Taylor SN**, et al. One Dose versus Three Doses of Benzathine Penicillin G in Early Syphilis. *N Engl J Med.* 2025 Sep 4;393(9):869-878.
2. Luckey A, Balasegaram M, Barbee LA, Batteiger TA, ..., **Taylor SN**, et al. Zolifludacin versus Ceftriaxone plus Azithromycin for Treatment of Uncomplicated Urogenital Gonorrhoea: An International, Randomised, Controlled, Open-label, Phase 3, Non-inferiority Clinical Trial. *Lancet.* 2026 Jan 1 0;407(10524):147-160.
3. Aaron KJ, Gaydos CA, Hook EW 3rd, Chernesky M, Moncada J, **Taylor SN**, et al. Chlamydia and Gonorrhea Infections in Genital and Exogenous Samples Among Men and Women. *Sexually Transmitted Diseases.* 2025 Oct 1;52(10):597-602.

