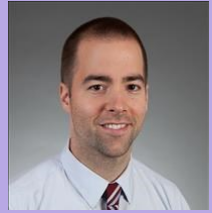


DOM NEWS BLAST

The LSU Department of Medicine Weekly Communication

Dr. Marcus Bachhuber (Community and Population Medicine, and Addiction Medicine) was selected as a Fulbright U.S. Scholar for 2026 - 2027! Dr. Bachhuber will study the science of addiction and clinical addiction medicine practice with other internationally renowned scholars during research at universities in Vancouver, Canada; Helsinki, Finland; and Melbourne, Australia.



Congratulations Dr. Bachhuber!



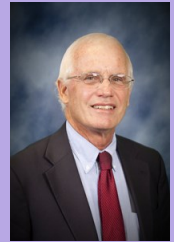
PRESENTATIONS:

The Primary care model at the Wetmore TB clinic has been nationally recognized and published internationally. Dr. Amy Wolfe (Pulmonary/Critical Care), Director of the Wetmore LSU TB program in New Orleans, recently presented a poster “Survey of Primary Care Access at TB Clinics in the USA” in collaboration with the Wetmore Team and the National TB coalition of America.



Dr. Seth Vignes (Hospital Medicine) and Dr. Ben Springgate (Community and Population Medicine), both members of the Department of Medicine's Program in Addiction Medicine, led a discussion with the Oregon Health Sciences University Substance Use Disorder ECHO regarding Benchmarks for Quality of Inpatient Care for Opioid Use Disorder.

Dr. Dick Culbertson (Community and Population Medicine) and colleagues were selected to present at the IHF World Hospital Congress 2026 in October in Seoul, Korea. The title of his presentation will be “Reducing Rural Surgical Disparities through Policy Investment in Robotic Surgery: National Data and Real-World Implementation”.



PUBLICATIONS:

Dr. Juzar Ali (Pulmonary/Critical Care) joined with colleagues from otolaryngology on the paper published in the European Society of Medicine.



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REVIEW ARTICLE

Otolaryngologic Effects of Inhaled Medications Used in Pulmonary Medicine: A Review

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