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LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

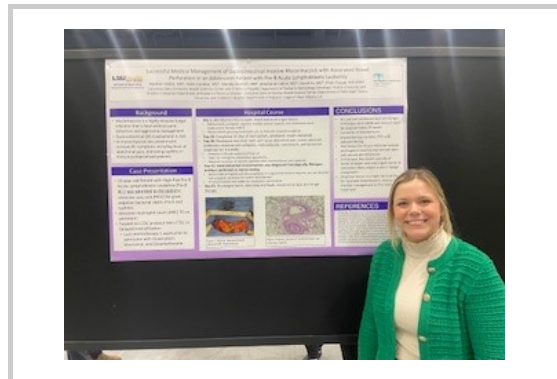
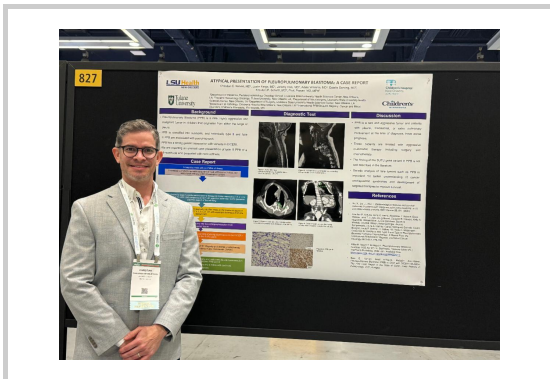
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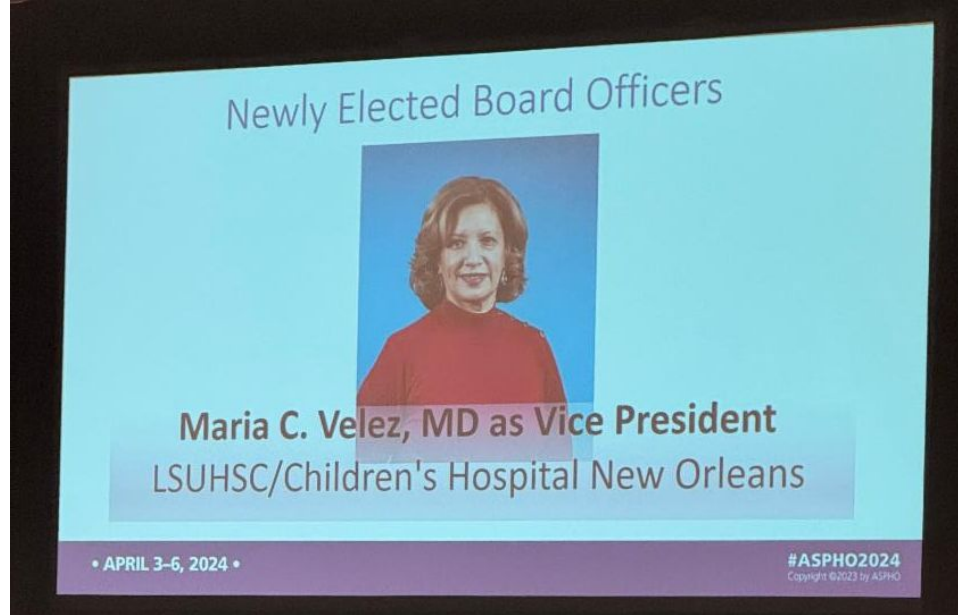
LSU Pediatrics Announcements

Recent Scholarly Activity

The Division of Hematology/Oncology made a strong showing at the American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology (ASPHO) National Conference in Seattle recently. Fellows Christian Nieves Rivera (pictured below left), Heather Valdin (pictured below right), and Casey Treuting presented posters at the meeting. Pediatrics Residents Peyton Bennett and Mariah Humphrey also presented posters. Mariah's poster was titled "Standardizing the Evaluation and Management of Adolescents with Abnormal Uterine Bleeding and Anemia."



Congratulations to Maria Velez who will be the incoming President-elect of ASPHO!



Pinki Prasad, Dana LeBlanc and Zachary LeBlanc each presented posters and were noted as volunteers for ASPHO. Dr. Prasad is the outgoing Chair of the Professional Development Committee, Dr. Dana LeBlanc is the Chair of the Hemoglobinopathy Special Interest Group, and Dr. Zach LeBlanc was elected to the Training Committee.





Bootcamp for 4th Year Medical Students

Pediatric Clerkship Leaders Leslie Reilly, Amy Prudhomme, and Callie Roth hosted a 4th year medical student bootcamp last week. Students learned procedures and participated in workshops on handoffs, informed consent, how to admit and discharge a patient, how to triage/identify patients that are sick or not sick, and how to call a consult from some of our awesome faculty!





Promotions Update

For those faculty interested in academic promotion, by now you should have attended one of the promotional workshops and met with department promotions chair Dr. Brian Barkemeyer. For those interested in moving forward with the promotion process this cycle (approved promotions effective July 2025), please submit your updated CV in LSUHSC format to Kelly Allerton by Friday, May 10, 2024.

Administrative Professional's Day

Dr. Moulton and Dr. Desselle treated the Admin Staff to lunch from Milk Bar today in honor of Administrative Professionals Day.



Share Your News!

The department wants to highlight your success! Please send any news to include in *Tuesday Tidbits* to [Kelly Allerton](#)



FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

New video monthly

April Video: Communication

Good communication skills are crucial to quality healthcare. Whether during rounds, in clinic or via Telemedicine we can all teach our learners about clear, compassionate communication. Let's focus on our communication skills during the month of April. This quick video (under three minute) is a great reminder of how important these skills are and gives tips for continual quality improvement.

<https://youtu.be/aeSIJPLFk8Q>

Please send any suggestions or areas of faculty development need to acree1@lsuhsc.edu.

If you are interested in other forms of Faculty Development, visit these websites:

- [LSU Pediatrics Faculty Development Page](#)
 - [LSUHSC GME Medical Education Development Site](#)
 - [LSUHSC Faculty Development and Evaluation Committee's Tiger Bites Series](#)
 - [ACGME LEARN](#)
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For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Creel](#).

CHNOLA Announcements

Grand Rounds

Virtual Pediatric Grand Rounds



Children's Hospital
New Orleans
LCMC Health

"Choosing Wisely Campaign, Part III"

Wednesday, May 1, 2024

Large Conference Rooms, Noon

You may join Pediatric Grand Rounds from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:

To receive CME or CEU Credit in person or online, you **MUST** register.

Register here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

Zoom link: <https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92060561657>

Meeting ID: 920 6054 1657

This is Part Three of a three-part series about the AAP's Choosing Wisely Campaign.



Presented by:

Dr. Shannon Palombo, Pediatric Hospital Medicine

Dr. Anita Dhanrajani, Pediatric Rheumatology

Dr. O. Adetola Roberts, Pediatric Neurosurgery

Dr. R. Carter Clement, Pediatric Orthopedics

Dr. Adele Williams, Pediatric General Surgery

Dr. Amanda Raines, Pediatric Urology

Objectives: At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1. Highlight the mission and impact of the Choosing Wisely Campaign.
2. Review the AAP Choosing Wisely Toolkit for the last 5 of 16 pediatric subspecialties.
3. Learn how to choose wisely as a patient.

Intended audience: This activity is specifically directed towards the pediatrician, but it is open to all other interested physicians, residents, medical students, and allied health professionals.

Accreditation

Children's Hospital New Orleans is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation

Children's Hospital New Orleans designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

CNE statement: Children's Hospital is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by Louisiana State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Provider #4003155. To receive credit, you must attend the entire program and submit a post program evaluation.

ADA Statement: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if special accommodations are needed, please notify Denise Graham at 504-896-9431.



Please see the [attached flyer](#) for this week's presentation. A limited number of lunches will be provided for guests in the Large Conference Rooms. Overflow viewing space is available in the small rooms outside the Conference Rooms, or on the 3rd floor in the Physician Lounge.

Register Here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

PLEASE READ: You need to register using the linked form to receive credit for participating. Thank you for your understanding.

The usual note: to receive credit, attendees must register using the provided form, and attendee names as they appear in zoom should clearly identify the attendee.

Department Wellness

CHNOLA's childcare center open for children of providers/staff working at Children's Hospital ([flyer](#))

LSU Pediatrics Wellness Resources ([information](#))

Other Announcements

Latest Edition of The Pulse ([link](#))

Resident Education

- Resident Participation in Research ([information](#)) - complete a shared spreadsheet with a brief description of the project you are looking for collaboration or assistance with.

Department Biostatistician

- Department Biostatistician, Dr. Zhide Fang, is available to provide biostatistical support to faculty, fellows, and residents. Please see below for revised scheduling procedures:
 1. Email Zhide Fang at zfang@lsuhsc.edu
 2. Provide brief explanation of the service you need and, if applicable, times you are able to meet
 3. Dr. Fang may request additional information depending on the nature of your request
 4. Asking simple, direct questions through email is welcome at any time, but appointments are preferred

Administrative Reminders

- Importance of Time Certification ([information](#)) - learn more about why we certify time each month!
- Use of Non-LSUHSC Email ([information](#))
- Download the new Department Composites for the 2023-2024 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), and [Admin Staff](#)).
- LSU travel policy and procedures ([information](#))

Department Anniversaries

Pinki Prasad, 13 years
Bonnie Schiffman Brignac, 5 years
Charles Hemenway, 2 years
Taylor Rogge, 2 years

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