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School of Medicine
Department of Pediatrics

LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

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LSU Pediatrics Announcements

WATTS FEST - this Saturday!

A final reminder to join us to celebrate the career and contributions to LSU and Children's Hospital of Dr. Ray Watts at WattsFest this Saturday, June 18 at 6 pm at Worley Hall, Children's Hospital campus.

Tickets are free, but please RSVP to trogge@lsuhsc.edu so we can plan accordingly.

If you'd like to contribute to the LSU Pediatrics Faculty/Housestaff Wellness Fund in honor of Dr. Watts, you can donate online at

<https://give.lsuhealthfoundation.org/wattsfestdonation>



Join us for food and music as we say farewell to

Dr. Raymond Watts

in true New Orleans fashion.

Watts Fest

Presented by LSUHSC Department of Pediatrics

Saturday, June 18

6-8:30pm

Worley Hall

Parking available in Lot C on the Children's Hospital State Street campus.

To RSVP please email trogge@lsuhsc.edu

Thanks to a generous donation from Children's Hospital New Orleans, tickets to Watts Fest are now free.



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Residency Graduation Events

The graduation ceremony for our Pediatrics, Med/Peds, and Peds/EM classes was held this past Saturday at the Audubon Tea Room. Congratulations to our stellar class of graduates! We will miss you all!

The celebrations are not over yet. Please mark your calendars for this Thursday's Graduation Part 2: Annual Report & Awards...



We hope you can join us to celebrate our
2022 graduates!

**LSU Pediatric Residency Program's
Graduation Part 2: Annual Report & Awards**

Thursday, June 16th at 12:00pm
Worley Hall / State Street Conference Center
*Lunch provided

Zoom Option Available
Meeting ID: 450 447 3541
Password: lsupeds

QI/PS Presentations from the Department of Pediatrics

The 10th Annual LSU QI/PS Forum hosted by the LSU GME EquiP Committee on June 8th was a great success for the LSU Department of Pediatrics, which represented almost 25% of all submissions this year.

- 10 pediatric submissions of 41 total (with recognition to all LSU pediatric and/or CHNOLA-affiliated projects)
- 2 oral presentations (including this year's oral presentation winner!)
- 5 posters
- 3 abstracts
- 16 residents/fellows
- 12 faculty mentors

Congratulations to all on your ongoing contributions to quality improvement and patient safety for our pediatric patients! And a special shout out and thank you goes out to **Dr. Shannon Palombo** for helping organize the event with LSU GME and serving as the Head Moderator for the forum. She is also the newly elected EQUiP Program Director for LSU GME.



Oral Presentations:

Improving Critical Patient Transitions from OR to NICU Using a Standardized Handoff Tool

Marie Bulathsinghala, MD, PhD, C. Mumphrey, MD, B. Barkemeyer, MD, J. Zagory, MD, L. Richard, RN, K. Vincent, RN, D. Sciacca, J. Gallois, MD

Congratulations to Dr. Bulathsinghala and her project group as this year's oral presentation winners!

The Cost Benefit of On-Site HSV PCR Capabilities Compared to Send Out Testing: A Retrospective Chart Review

Kelly Angelle, MD (Child Neurology), Rachel Evans, MD, R. Rao, MD, A. Stoltz, MD, R. Saravia (MS3), A. Messer, MD, R. Craver, MD

Posters:

Implementation of a Standardized Respiratory Protocol for Very Premature Infant Aims to Decrease Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia by Providing Consistent Management Plans

Annie Nuttli, MD (Pediatrics—Neonatal-Perinatal), J. Gallois, MD, R. Beyl, PhD, J. Surcouf, MD

Neonatal Hyperbilirubinemia Inpatient Standardization

Karleigh Barkemeyer, MD (Pediatrics); P. Prevot, MD, N. Vegh, MD, K. Quarls, MD, K. Ragas, MD, W. Fernandez, MD, J. Gallois, MD

Geauxhealth.org—A Technological Approach to Addressing Social Determinants of Health in New Orleans

Ashley Reeves, MD, (Pediatrics), M. Goldberg, MD, M. Jenkins, MD, L. Williams, MD, V. Krupadev, MD, S. Sarkar, MD

Survey Utilization to Identify the Unmet Needs of Adolescent and Young Adult Oncology Patients

Jordan Doss, MD (Hematology/Oncology), C. Morrison, MD

The Implementation of a Patient/Family Satisfaction Survey at a Growing Pediatric Palliative Care Program

Tabitha Kearns, (LSU School of Medicine—2nd Year), Mallory Robichaux, BS (MS2), A. Morvant, MD, A. Vaden, LCSW, J. Zeringue, RN, A. Kiefer, MD

Abstracts:

Infection Control Precautions Pocket Card Guide for Pediatric Residents

R. Lambert, MD (Pediatrics), K. Procarione, MD, M. Burke, MD, A. Misky, DO, J. Schroeder, MD

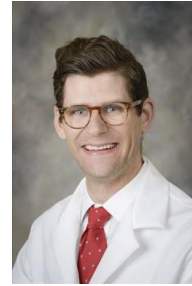
Safe Trach Program: Pediatric Tracheostomy Safety and Quality Care Initiative

at CHNOLA

A. Evans, MD (Otolaryngology)

The Development of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology-Specific Sign-Out Templates to Improve Interprofessional Communication

J. Doss, MD (Pediatrics—Hematology/Oncology), P. Prasad, MD, D. LeBlanc, MD



News from the Neonatology Division

Congratulations on becoming board certified in Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine to Doctors Julie Gallois, Mary Johnson, and Peter Joslyn. Additionally, as graduates of the LSU Neonatology Fellowship program, Drs. Gallois and Joslyn join former fellows Maya Heath and Nicole Dinh in becoming board certified, continuing a tradition of excellence in that every living graduate of the program over the past 30 years has achieved certification.

Dr. Julie Gallois has been selected to serve on an American Academy of Pediatrics Expert Workgroup on supporting the pediatric inpatient community with the implementation of the AAP Clinical Practice Guideline titled, "Management of Hyperbilirubinemia in the Newborn Infant 35 or More Weeks of Gestation". Closer to home, Dr. Gallois led the effort to implement the clinical guideline at Children's Hospital located in EPIC for management of these patients.

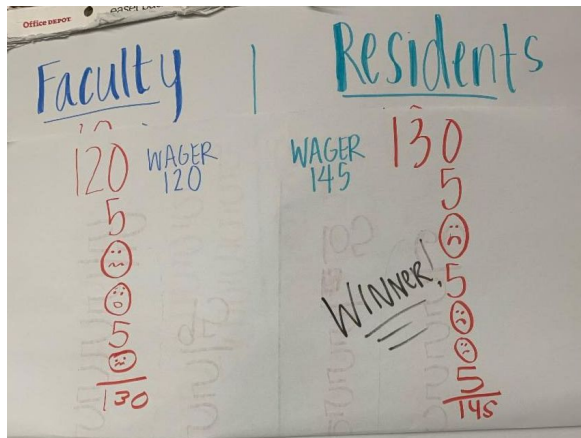
Family Equality Day

Dr. Ryan Pasternak, Hannah Simon, and medical student Alexis Hernandez from the New Orleans Adolescent Reproductive Health Project (NOARP) represented LSUHSC and CHNOLA alongside Bailey and Natasha Richardson at Family Equality Day at Long Vue House this past weekend. Dr. Pasternak spoke at the event which had over 1000 people registered to attend.



Residents Win the 2022 Faculty vs. Resident Quiz Bowl!

The Resident Team claimed victory last week, beating out the Faculty Team in this year's Faculty vs. Resident Quiz Bowl. The resident team was made up of Kayla Griese, Katie Procarione, Jinnesse Taylor, Heather Valdin, and Mike Evers. The faculty team was made up of Caroline Straatmann, Kyle Fulton, Ray Watts, Callie Roth, and Zach Daniels. Thanks to Shubho Sarkar for hosting the event.





Thank you, Chiefs!

After the Quiz Bowl, Residency Program Director Dr. Chelsey Sandlin presented 2021-2022 Chief Residents Dr. James Connick and Dr. Sarah Leo with their chief chairs, given on behalf of both LSU Pediatrics and Children's Hospital. Speaking for all residents and faculty, Dr. Sandlin thanked the chiefs for a job well done this year. The department is fortunate to have Sarah stay on as an Allergy/Immunology fellow. And James will also stay in the city and start his new job at Sprout Pediatrics in the coming months. Best of luck to you both!

Spread the Word: Ambulatory Division is Recruiting a Faculty Member

The Ambulatory Division is asking the department to spread the word about an opening for an academic Pediatrician to join their faculty group. This position will provide outpatient care in the pediatric primary care clinic for resident continuity clinics and medical student teaching with Children's Hospital New Orleans.

Please share the [official posting](#) with anyone you think may be interested (including current residents) and ask them to apply!

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

New video monthly

June Video: What is Difficult about Feedback?

Feedback is crucial for our learners. This video (6 minutes) from the University of Michigan directly addresses challenges to Giving Feedback - time, feeling it's subjective, worries about rapport, negative reviews from learners - and provides some concrete ways to overcome these barriers.

<https://www.coursera.org/lecture/clinical-skills/01-03-what-is-difficult-about-feedback-Q32ML>

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](#)

For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development,
please contact [Amy Creel](#).

CHNOLA Announcements

Report your flu-like symptoms

Please notify Employee Health at 504.962.6270 if you have any flu-like symptoms before reporting to work. Symptoms may include cough, congestion, headache, with or without fever.

Latest edition of **CHNOLA Employee E-News** ([link](#))

Upcoming Events

Hybrid Grand Rounds

This will be the last Grand Rounds of this academic year.
They will resume in August after a short break.

For those who prefer an Outlook Calendar Reminder for Grand Rounds, please [click here](#) for directions that walk you through creating a recurring reminder.

Hybrid Pediatric Grand Rounds



Children's Hospital
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"Research AS Advocacy to Improve the Lives of Children in the Opioid Crisis"

Tulane University Ralph V. Platou Memorial Lecture

Please join us in the Hospital Large Conference Rooms, or from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:

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

Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/chnola-office-of-medical-education-34140724807>

Zoom link: <https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09>

Meeting ID: 923 1243 7678

Passcode: 235623

Note: This is a live activity. The link is only valid from noon – 1:00 PM and the presentation will not be recorded for CME or CEU credit. Please register via EventBrite to receive credit.

Wednesday, June 15, 2022

Noon

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

1. Understand the scope of the opioid crisis and the importance of advocacy for this population
2. Understand how research can be a form of advocacy for infants impacted by the opioid crisis
3. Appreciate the strength associated with approaching research in this way

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.



Leslie Young, MD, is a board-certified Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine physician. She earned her undergraduate degree in Psychology from Creighton University in Omaha, NE. She then earned her medical degree from the Robert Lerner, MD, College of Medicine at the University of Vermont in Burlington, VT. Dr. Young continued her training at UV with a Pediatric Residency and her Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine Fellowship. She then joined the faculty at UV in the Department of Pediatrics, currently serving as an Associate Professor. Dr. Young's research interests include neonatal opioid withdrawal syndrome, non-pharmacologic care, and quality improvement; she has research support through the National Institute of Health (NIH) funded ACT NOW (Advancing Clinical Trials in Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal Syndrome) Collaborative under the HEAL (Helping End Addiction Long-term) Initiative, the NIH funded HEALTHy Brain and Child Development Study (HBCD) also under the HEAL Initiative, and the NIH funded IDeA States Pediatrics Clinical Trials Network (ISPCTN)



[Click here for the Eventbrite link to register for Grand Rounds](#)

Anyone who does not wish to earn CME/CEU credit can continue join
Grand Rounds through the Zoom portal:

[https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?
pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09](https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09)

Meeting ID: 923 1243 7678, Passcode: 235623

One tap mobile: +16465588656 or +13017158592

Any questions about Eventbrite can be sent to emma.cradylcmchealth.org.

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](#))

Campus COVID-19 Updates

- Please review Dr. Christian Winters' updated campus guidelines which include information about returning to campus, masking, and travel. ([information](#))
- LSUHSC COVID Self-Reporting ([information](#))

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.
- GeauxHealth! is a collaboration between LSU and Tulane residents to create a resource guide promoting medical trainee awareness of social determinants of health as well as providing a tool for easy use in clinic and during discharge planning. Check out more info [here](#) and on their website: <https://geauxhealth.org/>

Research and Grants

- Updated: Several Avenues of Stats Support, Education and Consultation ([information](#)) ([using stats models through CITI](#))
- New Pre-Review for Grant Proposals service offered by LSU ([information](#))
- Nutrition Obesity Research Center Pilot and Feasibility Grant Opportunity Deadline: July 1 ([information](#))

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 2021-2022 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), [Administrative Staff](#)).

Department Anniversaries

The following employees celebrate another year with the department this

month. Thank you for your continued service to LSU Pediatrics!

Steffan Sernich, 15 years
Regina Zambrano, 10 years
Elizabeth Alonso, 8 years
Shubho Sarkar, 5 years
Thao Doan, 1 year

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View the *Tuesday Tidbits* archive on the department's website. ([link](#))

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