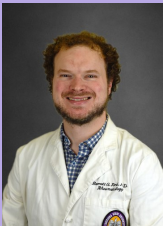


# DOM NEWS BLAST

## The LSU Department of Medicine Weekly Communication

Dr. Barrett Ford (Rheumatology) was recent recognized for his outstanding recruiting efforts. Dr. Ford was part of a study “Teaching Fellows in Lupus Project”. This included a pre-test, implementation of the education session(S) followed by a post-test. Dr. Ford got 154 from LSU to participate. This is a huge lift, congratulations Dr. Ford!



Dr. Farhan Mohiuddin (IM Resident), Dr. Katherine Westbrook Cates (Gastroenterology Fellow), Dr. Jason Stibbe (Gastroenterology), and Dr. Catherine Hudson (Gastroenterology)'s poster entitled "A Rare Case of Hematemesis: Lobular Capillary Hemangioma in the Gastric Body" was selected by the American College of Gastroenterology (ACG) for the Presidential Poster Award. This research will be presented at the upcoming ACG Conference in Phoenix, Arizona.



Dr. Steve Lindsey (Rheumatology) was recently interviewed by *Everyday Health* about Rheumatoid Arthritis including help one may need as well as tips for asking for help for those diagnosed with the disease. You can read it here:

<https://www.everydayhealth.com/rheumatic-conditions/how-to-ask-for-help-when-you-have-ra/>



The LSU Infectious Diseases staff including Dr. Lauren Richey, Dr. Paula Seal, and Dr. Tat Yau and recently graduated fellow Dr. John Phillips presented a total of nine oral abstract presentations at the US Fast-Track Cities 2025 Summit. Participants are from more than 50 cities and counties in the Fast-Track Cities network and other priority Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) initiative jurisdictions.

Congratulations to the team!



### Dr. John Phillips (graduated ID fellow):

Patient Portal Engagement and HIV Outcomes: A Retrospective Cohort Analysis of MyChart Use in a Southern Urban Clinic

### Dr. Paula Seal:

Healthy Balance Weight Management Initiative in HIV Care

Rapid Reentry into HIV Care to Improve Retention in Care at a HIV Clinic in New Orleans, LA



### Dr. Lauren Richey:

Creation of a Low-Barrier Open Access HIV Care Clinic to Address the HIV Care Continuum in New Orleans, Louisiana

Prevention through Preparation can Mitigate Challenges to continued HIV Care during and after a Natural Disaster

### Dr. Tat Yau:

Accessing Doxycycline Postexposure Prophylaxis Utilization at a Ryan White Clinic in New Orleans, Louisiana

Enhancing Syphilis Screening: A Clinical Quality Improvement Initiative at a Ryan White Clinic in New Orleans, Louisiana

Statin Therapy in People with HIV: Implications of Recent Guideline Changes at a Ryan White Clinic in New Orleans, Louisiana

Evaluating Equity in Accessing Long-Acting Injectable Antiretroviral Therapy at a Ryan White Clinic in New Orleans, Louisiana

