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School of Medicine
Department of Pediatrics

LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

Welcome to the Department of Pediatrics' weekly email blast designed to deliver important department information straight to your inbox.

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LSU Pediatrics Announcements



Annual Department of Pediatrics Festival

Mark Your Calendar:
Saturday, October 22nd
4 – 8 pm

Live Music, Food, and Fun
Desselle-Morvant House

Dr. Elizabeth Wisner Featured on Fox 8 Live

Dr. Elizabeth Wisner was featured on Fox 8 Live last week discussing procurement of art for the new Ronald McDonald House which will be opening later this year on Children's Hospital's campus. Dr. Wisner is a board member for RMH and Chair of the Arts



Subcommittee. [You can watch the full interview here.](#)

Scholarly Project - PHM Fellow

Faculty, please keep your eyes on your email! Second-year PHM fellow John Strand's scholarly project involves a brief survey of our faculty. The invitation should be in your inbox later this week. Thank you for supporting our fellows' scholarly work!

LSU Peds Faculty Picture

Thanks to everyone who came out after the faculty meeting to take an updated group picture!



**Weekly Reminder:
CHNOLA's Annual Physician Time Study**

CHNOLA Accounting announced faculty Time Study dates for this year: Monday, September 12 - Sunday, October 2. LSU Pediatrics Faculty should not use the CHNOLA template nor send it straight to Ms. Illg. Instead, please follow these instructions:

1. Complete your timesheet as you normally do in the [LSU time tracking system](#).
2. Once you record time at Children's Hospital, you will see a button labeled "Print Hospital Time Studies" on the Timesheet Actions tab. Click that button each week and generate your Time Study. [Step-by-step instructions can be found here](#).
3. Send your signed and Dated Time Study weekly to [Kelly Allerton](#) on each of the following Mondays: September 19, 26, and October 3.

Please note - this is mandatory for all faculty members who record time at Children's Hospital. Thank you for your cooperation.

Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF)

If you are employed by a U.S. federal, state, local, or tribal government or not-for-profit organization, you might be eligible for the Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program. The "limited PSLF waiver" refers to the time-limited changes to Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) Program rules that allow borrowers to receive credit for past periods of repayment that would otherwise not qualify for PSLF. This opportunity ends on **Oct. 31, 2022**.

[PSLF Waiver Offers Way to Get Closer to Loan Forgiveness | Federal Student Aid](#)

SSPR Call for Abstracts: Deadline October 7, 2022

[Click here for the 2023 Southern Regional Meetings call for Abstracts.](#)

Meeting Date: 2-4 Feb 2023, Hotel
Intercontinental, New Orleans

Abstract Deadline: **Friday, October 7, 2022,**
11:59 PM EST



Trainees are encouraged to apply for the SSPR/APA Trainee Travel Award at the time of abstract submission: The candidate must be a student, resident, or fellow. They must be the first author/presenter of the abstract accepted for presentation. Approximately 25 winning candidates will receive a travel stipend of \$500.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

New video monthly



Tips on Writing Letters of Recommendation From Dr. Amy Creel

Letters of Recommendation are designed to give the reader a sense of an applicant's clinical judgment, technical abilities, interpersonal skills, and other professional attributes. Whether you are writing in support of an application for residency, fellowship, promotion or grant funding, these guidelines from literature and tips from experienced letter readers can help ensure you write a strong informative letter.

[Slides - Faculty Development Presentation](#)
[Handout - Tips for Writing Letters of Recommendation](#)
[Sample - Strong Letter of Recommendation](#)

September Video: Giving Feedback

Feedback is crucial for educating our learners. But it doesn't always come naturally. This video breaks down characteristics of effective feedback. And uses some scenarios to show do's and don'ts in clinical scenarios. With a run time of 12 minutes it's great to watch over lunch, during a break, or in small chunks when you have a minute to invest in education!

<https://vimeo.com/76300757>

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](#)
- [ACGME LEARN](#)

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

CHNOLA Announcements

CHNOLA OME Faculty Development Series

If you are interested in receiving calendar invites for faculty development sessions, please click [here](#).

- October 20, 2022 – Noon – **Giving Bad News** with Lexy Morvant and Ashley Autrey
- November 11, 2022 – Noon - **EPIC Tips and Tricks** with Shubho Sarkar

Hybrid Grand Rounds

Participants can join Grand Rounds in the Hospital Large Conference Rooms or online.
A limited number of lunches will be provided for participants in the Large Conference Room, so please arrive early!

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

Virtual Pediatric Grand Rounds



Children's Hospital
New Orleans
LCMC Health

"Management and Long-Term Sequelae of Acquired Brain Injury"

Wednesday, September 21, 2022

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 through **EventBrite**.

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

Zoom link: <https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/95665388600>

Meeting ID: 956 6538 8600

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 and join the activity via EventBrite to receive credit.



Scott Schultz, MD, specializes in Pediatric Rehabilitation at Children's Hospital. He earned his medical degree from George Washington University in Washington, D.C., and completed his residency training at UCLA/VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare Center. He then completed a fellowship in Pediatric Rehabilitation at Kennedy Krieger Institute/ Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland. Dr. Schultz is board-certified and serves as the Associate Director of Rehabilitation Program at Children's Hospital.

When asked why he chose to practice Pediatric Rehabilitation, Dr. Schultz said, "During my training, I became interested in traumatic brain injuries and concussions in children. I've enjoyed working with these patients and their family members to help get them back to their normal routines."

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

1. Describe the long-term impacts of brain injury on the individual.
2. Describe the long-term impacts of brain injury on family members.
3. Recognize changes or issues that arise due to acquired brain

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.



To receive CME credit, use this link to register:

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

If you do not need CME credit, log in through the Zoom link:

<https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/95665388600>

Meeting ID: 956 6538 8600

Department Wellness

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

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



The Kelsey Bradley Favrot Memorial Run/Walk 5K and Half Mile Is Back! Sunday, October 9, 2022

Let's build a Dept of Pediatrics contingent at this beloved annual event that expands pediatric neurocare in New Orleans, benefiting the LSU Health New Orleans Department of Neurosurgery Brain Tumor Care. [Click here for more information.](#)

Other Announcements



The LSUHSC IRB is excited to announce the launch of our virtual Lunch & Learn series. Once a month, join the IRB Staff during your lunch hour will for a one hour Zoom session where a member of the staff will spend the first 10-15 minutes presenting on a rotating list of IRB topics followed by an open discussion and time for questions from research staff.

Our first three Lunch & Learns are scheduled for the following dates:

- October 5th @ 12PM covering an Overview of the IRB
- November 9th @ 12PM covering Reportable New Information
- December 7th @ 12 PM covering Database & Repository Research

Zoom links to each session are available on the [Research Staff Education page of the IRB Website](#). Each session will be recorded and the recording uploaded to the website afterward for those who are unable to attend.

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

Campus COVID-19 Updates

- Please review Dr. Christian Winters' updated campus guidelines as of June 2022. ([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](#))

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 2022-2023 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), [Admin Staff](#)).

Department Anniversaries

The following employees celebrate another year with the department this month. Thank you for your continued service to LSU Pediatrics!

Renee Gardner, 29 years
Cori Morrison, 12 years
Dania Felipe, 10 years
Amanda Dumas, 9 years
Leslie Reilly, 8 years
Brooke Naranjo, 6 years
Tamara Bradford, 3 years
Ashley Stevens Farge, 3 years
Nathalie Medeiros, 3 years
Shannon Powell, 3 years
Kyle Fulton, 4 years
Elizabeth McDonough, 2 years

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