

quicktakes

New Material Available at LMHS Medical Library

The evidence-based medicine databases at OVID have been enhanced with the following items: the Cochrane Database of Methodology Reviews, Cochrane Methodology Register, Health Technology Assessment Database (HTA) and NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED).

Several full-text journals have also been added to the online journal collection, including *Advances in Neonatal Care*, *Cancer Journal: The Journal of Principals & Practice of Oncology*, *Eye and Contact Lens*, *Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*, *OR Nurse* and *Brief Reports*.

For passwords and instructions on how to access the LMHS online library, contact the Medical Library by e-mail at medlibrary@leememorial.org or call (239) 334-5410.

Way to Go, Doctors!

The Lee Memorial Health System Foundation would like to thank all members of the Medical Staff for supporting the Norman Love "Bunnies for Babies" program.

Lee Health Solutions Brings Home the Gold

Lee Health Solutions' Lee Diabetes Care and Lee Congestive Heart Failure Care have earned the Gold Seal of Approval for healthcare quality. The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations awarded Disease Specific Certification to these programs.

Lee Diabetes Care was initially certified in 2002 and Lee CHF Care in 2004.

What's Up with the Docs?

Do you know a physician who gives up his or her free time to make life a little easier for others? Do you know a physician who has an unusual pastime?

We want to know those physicians, too! Please contact Yvonne O'Brien at (239) 939-8629 or yvonne.obrien@leememorial.org or Jamie Henline at (239) 454-8722 or jamie.henline@leememorial.org and tell us about them! The physicians may be featured in an upcoming issue of *Medical Matters*.

Doctors Helping to Reshape Medical Staffs

Physicians now have a new voice at LMHS, the Physician Leadership Council.

The PLC was created in early 2007 as a transitional leadership group charged with reaching consensus among physicians on the goals of the Medical Staff Structure. The group will report to the Executive Committees for CCH, LMHS and SWF/GCH, the decision-making bodies for the restructuring.

Twenty physicians were appointed to the PLC. Thomas Presbrey, MD, was elected chairman, and Charles Bisbee, MD, was elected vice chairman.

The PLC was formed mainly as a communication group for physicians. Here are the group's purpose statements:

- Serve as a forum for physician leaders of various medical staffs to come together and discuss issues of common interest.
- Provide a structure through which the governing board, administration and physicians can dialogue on system-wide issues and carry out decisions with leaders of the various Medical Staffs.
- Disclose any conflicts of interest or potential conflicts regarding issues addressed by the PLC.
- Facilitate the redesign process of the Medical Staffs to achieve the goals agreed upon by the Medical Staffs and the Board.
- Review minutes of Board committees to enhance communication between the Board and medical staffs.

The Medical Staff will be redesigned based on feedback from the recent Medical Staff self-assessment and interviews of Executive Committee members. The PLC, which has met monthly since April, has created four work groups to begin the restructuring:

- Governance and Medical Staff Bylaws
- Credentialing and Privileging
- Medical Staff Quality and Peer Review Process
- Emergency Call and Coverage Issues

The groups will be coordinated through the PLC and facilitated by The Greeley Company consultants, who will provide design options that are prevalent throughout the country.



Thomas Presbrey, MD



Charles Bisbee, MD

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TCH: Emad Salman, MD, Shahid Sultan, MD

Welcome New Docs! June Medical Staff Appointments

K. Alex Daneshmand, DO (LMH/CCH) **Pediatric Critical Care**

Dr. Daneshmand obtained his medical degree from Nova-Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine. He then completed his internship at EW Sparrow Hospital before attending Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine for his Pediatric residency. He completed a Pediatric Critical Care fellowship at the University of Florida. Daneshmand has joined PICU Intensivists.

Patricia J. Daneshmand, DO (LMH) **Family Practice**

Dr. Daneshmand obtained her medical degree from Nova-Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine. She also completed both a rotating internship and Family Practice residency at Sparrow Health System (University of Michigan). Dr. Daneshmand is Board Certified in Family Medicine and is joining Lee Physician Group at College Pointe.

Sarah DiGiorgi, MD (GCH/LMH/CCH) **Obstetrics/Gynecology**

Dr. DiGiorgi completed her medical degree and OB/GYN residency at the University of Connecticut School of Medicine. Dr. DiGiorgi is joining the Physicians' Primary Care group.

Gregory Fairchok, MD (GCH/SWFRMC/LMH/CCH) **Teleradiology**

Dr. Fairchok is a Board Certified Radiologist. He completed his medical degree at the Indiana University School of Medicine and a Diagnostic Radiology residency at Jackson Memorial Hospital. Dr. Fairchok also completed two fellowships – Body Imaging at the University of Utah Medical Center and Interventional Radiology at the UM – Jackson Memorial Medical Center. Dr. Fairchok is a member of Virtual Radiology Consultants.

David Kanuck, DPM (GCH/SWFRMC/LMH) **Podiatry**

Dr. Kanuck obtained his degree from Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine. He completed a Podiatry Residency at Cabrini Medical Center and a Podiatry Fellowship at New Britain General Hospital. Dr. Kanuck is joining Southwest Florida Ankle & Foot Care.

Christopher Lawson, MD (GCH/SWFRMC/LMH) **Diagnostic Radiology**

Dr. Lawson obtained his medical degree from the University of de Monterrey. He completed a Diagnostic Radiology residency and internship at St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital – New York. Dr. Lawson is Board Certified in Diagnostic Radiology and will be working at Bonita Community Health Center.

Patrick Leach, MD (SWFRMC/LMH) **Orthopedic Surgery**

Dr. Leach is a Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon. He completed his medical degree from the University of Kentucky College of Medicine with an Orthopedic Surgery Residency from the Medical College of Georgia. Dr. Leach is joining Orthopedic Specialists of Southwest Florida.

Dean D. Lin, MD (LMH/CCH) – Neurosurgery

Dr. Lin obtained his medical degree from Virginia Commonwealth University. He then completed both his General Surgery internship and Neurosurgery residency at the University of Florida Health Sciences Center. Dr. Lin has joined Lee Neurosurgery.

Sunil Malkani, MD (GCH/SWFRMC/LMH) **Ophthalmology**

Dr. Malkani completed his medical degree at Wake Forest University School of Medicine, followed by a transitional internship at the University of Tennessee Chattanooga. Dr. Malkani completed an Ophthalmology residency at Palmetto Health in Richland and an Ophthalmology-Vitreoretinal Fellowship at the University of Florida. Dr. Malkani has joined the Eye Centers of Florida.

Nima Mowzoon, MD (SWFRMC/LMH/CCH) **Neurology**

Dr. Mowzoon completed his medical degree at the University of Miami School of Medicine prior to attending Mayo Clinic in Rochester, N.Y., with an internship in Medicine, residency in Neurology and fellowship in Neurophysiology. Dr. Mowzoon has joined Florida Neurology Group.

Phyllis A. Neef, MD (LMH) – Internal Medicine

Dr. Neef obtained her medical degree from Wright State University. She completed an Internal Medicine Residency and Infectious Disease Fellowship at Kettering Medical Center. Dr. Neef is joining Bonita Primary Care.

Gary Stapleton, MD – Pediatric Cardiology

Dr. Stapleton obtained his medical degree from the University of Health Sciences-Chicago Medical School. He completed a Pediatric Residency at San Antonio Uniformed Services-Lackland Air Force Base and a Pediatric Cardiology and Pediatric Interventional Cardiology fellowship at Baylor College of Medicine. He is Board Certified in Pediatrics and is joining Pediatric Cardiology Associates.

Brice Tompkins, MD (LMH) – Family Practice

Dr. Tompkins obtained his medical degree from the University of Kentucky College of Medicine. He completed his Family Practice residency at Michigan State University (Sparrow Health System). Dr. Tompkins is Board Certified in Family Practice, and he has joined Internal Medicine Associates in Bonita Springs.

Brian J. West, MD – Anesthesia

Dr. West obtained his medical degree from Northwestern University Medical School. He completed an Anesthesia residency at Wilford Hall, USAF Medical Center-Lackland Air Force Base. Dr. West is Board Certified in Anesthesia and has joined Medical Anesthesia.

William Wiley, DO (GCH/SWFRMC) – Radiology

Dr. Wiley obtained his degree from the University of Osteopathic Medicine and Health Sciences with a rotation internship at Mercy Suburban Hospital. He continued with a Radiology residency from Kennedy Memorial Hospital at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey. Dr. Wiley is Board Certified in Diagnostic Radiology and is joining Radiology Regional Center.

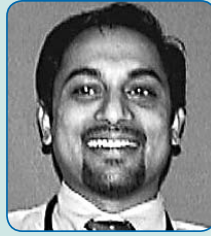
Physicians of the Month June 2007



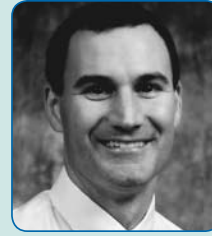
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Anesthesiologist



Shaheen Faruque, MD
Hospitalist



Sumeet Shetty, MD
Hospitalist



Edward Humbert, DO
Orthopedic Surgeon



Nick Sharma, MD
Gastroenterologist

The Staff and Administration of LMHS are pleased to announce the Physicians of the Month.

Physicians are selected from nominations by employees, volunteers and other physicians on staff based on criteria such as consistent quality, attitude, professionalism, compassion and going “above and beyond” what is reasonably expected. Each month, a new physician will be selected from each hospital. We salute this month’s winners for exemplifying all of the attributes of an excellent physician, and we are privileged to have these esteemed physicians as a part of our Medical Staff.

GCH Construction is Moving Along on Schedule

Big changes are taking place daily at the GCH expansion during the summer months.

Workers are preparing to install the roof, continuing to pave the northeast side of the site and beginning construction on the new Helipad. They also began installing hurricane-proof windows during the end of June. “The pre-cast wall panels, stucco, windows and roofing have to be up to Category 3 hurricane standards for impact ratings,” says Eric Anderson, Senior Project Manager for LMHS Facilities Management.

Major equipment for the Central Energy Plant—such as generators, chillers, boilers and switchgear—has also arrived. The new CEP is set to be online by the end of this year.

Mechanical, electrical and plumbing work is also well underway on the interior of the expansion. The elevator shaft walls are being assembled, and the elevators should be up and running for construction use in the third quarter of 2007.

Mockup rooms have also been constructed for typical patient, operating, exam, trauma, ICU isolation and dialysis rooms. Department directors, hospital administrators and some physicians have provided feedback to help maximize the effectiveness of the workspace, says Eric.

There have also been user group meetings to help educate departments about what is in store for them at the new facility.

When the expansion is complete, the new GCH will be 550,000-square-feet, which is four times larger than the current facility. The four-story hospital will have 349 beds—with all new rooms being private—a 43-bed Emergency Department and 22 operating rooms in the new surgery department.

The new GCH is expected to open on schedule in early 2009.



Introducing Medical Matters!

Your Source for All of the Latest Physician News at LMHS

We’re sure you have noticed some changes to your monthly newsletter. To better serve the medical staffs at all five LMHS hospitals, we have combined Medical Staff News and Physician Matters to create a new newsletter, Medical Matters.

Medical Matters will be an eight-page newsletter bringing you—the physicians—all of the latest news about your colleagues and the Health System.

This introductory issue of Medical Matters is in an abbreviated form to introduce you to the publication. We would also like to hear your feedback about your new newsletter. What do you like? What would you like to see included?

Please pass along your thoughts and any story ideas that you would like to see in a future issue to Yvonne O’Brien, Director of Physician Services, at (239) 939-8629 or yvonne.obrien@leememorial.org.

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We Want to Feature You!

Attention physicians: are you trying out a new technology or procedure?

LMHS is looking for physicians to feature in our Dining with the Doctor series and as part of our Medical Reports on NBC-2 and WINK TV. We would also like to print your stories in some of our publications, such as our community newsletter, Healthy News, and our newsletter for active seniors, SHARE Club. These publications reach more than 225,000 residents in Lee County.

We are very lucky to have some of the most cutting edge, progressive physicians in Southwest Florida. Allowing us to feature you brings those latest medical breakthroughs to our community.

To be featured in an LMHS production or publication, you or your representative should contact Marketing Director Whitney Andreu at (239) 454-8750 or whitney.andreu@leememorial.org.

Continuing Medical Education

"Common Sports Injuries in Adolescents"

Dennis Cardone, DO
Pediatric Orthopedics of SW Florida
Thursday, Aug. 2, 2007
7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
HealthPark Medical Center Room HP 1B
RSVP for Dinner by July 31
(239) 573-5680

"Orthopedic Emergencies"

Edward Humbert, DO
Orthopedic Surgery
Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Lee Memorial Hospital Auditorium
RSVP for Dinner by Aug. 27
(239) 573-5680

"New Directions in Smoking Cessation"

Mary Bonnette, PhD, MSN, RN
Auriculotherapy Center For Stop Smoking &
Pain Control
Thursday, Aug. 16, 2007
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Southwest Florida Regional Medical Center
Evans Avenue Private Dining Room
RSVP for Dinner by Aug. 14
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