

Quality Improvement in Real Life Anesthesia Practice: What Our Trainees Need to Know

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QUALITY IMPROVEMENT IN REAL-LIFE ANESTHESIA PRACTICE: WHAT TRAINEES NEED TO KNOW

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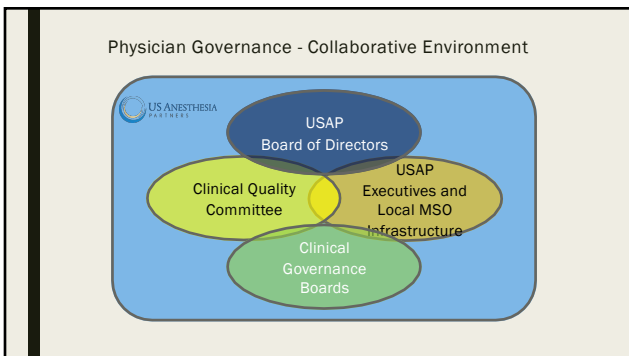
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 - Houston, Dallas, Denver, Orlando
- I have no investment in companies providing healthcare goods
- I am not paid by any other company
- I work clinically at Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas
 - Not a university hospital!
 - Large community hospital: Level 1 trauma, cardiac, transplant
- I am motivated to improve patient care

Learning Objectives

- Recognize what a large group practice looks like in 2016
 - Size and scope
 - Personnel
- Understand why quality is a competitive advantage
 - Regulatory requirements
 - Hospital partnerships
- Learn what will be expected of a new-grad resident

US Anesthesia Partners

- A true partnership -- member groups buy in
- The largest physician-owned company in the world
- Deep penetration in selected markets
- Physicians own all clinical governance
 - Hiring, firing, staffing, schedules, compensation
- Supported by the corporate umbrella
 - Contracts, coding, billing, HR, malpractice, legal, compliance, information technology, QUALITY



USAP Personnel Census

Department	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Cardiology	12	15	18	22	25	28	32	35	38
Orthopedics	8	10	12	15	18	20	22	25	28
Neurology	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Internal Medicine	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26
Emergency Medicine	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Obstetrics/Gynecology	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Pediatrics	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Urology	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Other	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	33	40	48	57	66	75	84	93	102

Outcomes - 155,000 Cases in 2015

Outcome	N	Rate	NACOR
Adverse Drug Reaction	19	0.012%	0.019%
Anaphylaxis	2	0.001%	0.006%
Aspiration	15	0.010%	0.024%
Cardiac Arrest	20	0.013%	0.075%
Case Cancellation	52	0.033%	0.063%
Death	5	0.003%	0.037%
Eye Injury	21	0.014%	0.005%
PONV	169	0.109%	3.010%
Post-Dural Puncture Headache	9	0.006%	0.031%
Neurologic Deficit	3	0.002%	0.020%
Reintubation	30	0.019%	0.060%
Respiratory Arrest	7	0.005%	0.007%
Unplanned Admission	14	0.009%	0.094%
Unplanned ICU Upgrade	34	0.022%	0.115%



Dashboards



Drill Down

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Patient Satisfaction

VITALS Anesthesia provider Patient Satisfaction Questionnaire (APSQ2)

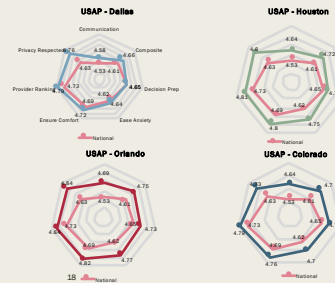
1. Please select these providers for whom you remember enough to answer questions about this case.

Dr. Johnson Minnie Jones

Remember neither of these healthcare providers. [button]

Question #	Question Group	Answer Type	Question Text
2	Privacy Respected, Composite	Likert Scale 1-5 w N/A	Your anesthesia provider did his or her best to respect your privacy.
3	Communication, Composite	Likert Scale 1-5 w N/A	Your questions about anesthesia, the process, risks, and possible after effects were answered.
4	Decision Prep, Composite	Likert Scale 1-5 w N/A	You were well prepared to make informed decisions.
5	Ease Anxiety, Composite	Likert Scale 1-5 w N/A	Your anesthesia provider helped ease any anxiety you were feeling.
6	Ensure Comfort, Composite	Likert Scale 1-5 w N/A	Your anesthesia provider ensured your comfort during the surgical experience.
7	Overall	Likert Scale 1-5	Using a number from 5 to 1, where 5 is the best possible and 1 is the worst, please rate your anesthesia provider.
8	Yes/No	Yes/No	Did you experience nausea or vomiting after your surgery?
9	Text Box	Text Box	Please share additional comments for your anesthesia provider.

Patient Satisfaction



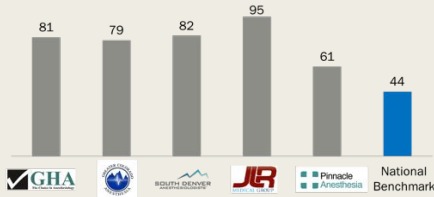
Hospital Partnership

Scorecards



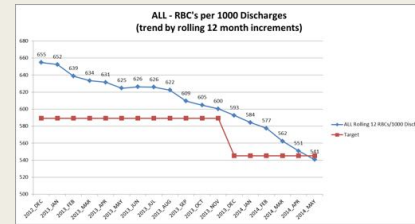
Other Customers

Facility and Surgeon NPS by practice



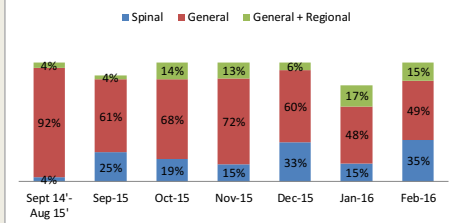
USAP NPS scores significantly exceed national benchmark for large anesthesia group practices

Patient Blood Management



Same Day Joint Surgery (BUMC)

Mode of Anesthesia



Perioperative Surgical Home Scorecard

Pilot (Sept. 14'-Aug. 15') from Baseline (July 13'-Dec. 13')	Total Hip Replacement	Total Knee Replacement	Hip Fracture
LOS	Decreased 16.55%	Decreased 17.38%	Increased 4.98%
Direct Cost	Decreased 8.79%	Decreased 3.48%	Decreased 4.68%
30 day Readmissions	Decreased 29.33%	Decreased 44.96%	
Pre-op education (joint class attendance)	Increased 137.5%	N/A	
PACU (Recovery room) time	Increased 8.73%	Increased 4.18%	Decreased 6.83%
Patient Satisfaction	Increased by 2.4%		
Blood transfusion utilization post-operatively	Decreased by 49%	Decreased 64.74%	Decreased 24.25%
One Day Joint Patients	Increased by 340%	Increased by 325%	N/A

Regulatory Reporting

“Pay for Performance”

- Federal programs to promote quality over quantity
 - Based on measuring outcomes
 - Payment incentives and penalties
 - Public reporting
- Today:
 - Physician Quality Reporting System
 - Value Based Modifier
 - Meaningful Use
- Applies to our reimbursement for traditional Medicare cases (but drives requirements for all payers)
- Major change coming in 2019



Quality and Resource Use Report (Texas)



Quality and Resource Use Report (Texas)

Measure Identification Number(s)	Measure Name	Number of Eligible Cases	Your TIN		All TINs in Peer Group		
			Performance Rate	Standardized Performance Score	Included in Domain Score?	Benchmark (National Mean)	Standard Deviation
76	Prevention of Central Venous Catheter (CVC)-Related Bloodstream Infections	13,288	99.93%	0.66	Yes	84.20%	23.98
145	Radiology Exposure Time Reported for Procedures Using Fluoroscopy	2	100.00%	0.89	No	77.92%	24.88
193	Perioperative Temperature Management	391,248	99.68%	0.82	Yes	93.11%	10.68
ACI 6	Immediate Perioperative Cardiac Arrest Rate	615,580	0.03%	---	No	---	---
ACI 7	Immediate Perioperative Mortality Rate	622,998	0.01%	---	No	---	---
ACI 8	PACU Reintubation Rate	528,275	1.69%	---	No	---	---
ACI 10	Composite Procedural Safety for Central Line Placement	90,675	99.69%	---	No	---	---
ACI 12	Perioperative Care: Timely Administration of Prophylactic Parenteral Antibiotics	466,048	63.57%	---	No	---	---
ACI 13	Perioperative Temperature Management	428,630	55.74%	---	No	---	---
ACI 14	Perioperative Use of Aspirin for Patients with Drug-Eluting Coronary Stents	598,337	99.40%	---	No	---	---
ACI 15	Surgical Safety Checklist - Applicable Safety Checks Completed Before Induction of Anesthesia	400,750	99.85%	---	No	---	---
ACI 17	Corneal Injury Diagnosed in the Post-Anesthesia Care Unit/Recovery Area After Anesthesia Care	296,003	99.99%	---	No	---	---

MACRA – Specific Actions

- Push data capture/transmission/analysis/reporting
 - Demographics
 - Patient Centered Clinical Outcomes
 - Cost accounting
- Participate in measure design discussions
- Launch some trial balloons (e.g. Pre-op Assessment, PSH, joint replacement bundles)
 - Coordination of care experiments
 - Novel payment mechanisms
- Submit ABA Part IV or ABMS Portfolio applications
- Understand meaningful use requirements
- Negotiate against downside risks



Questions? Contact Me!


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Tapping Into Hospital Wide Projects

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Quality Improvement and Safety: Tapping into Hospital-wide Projects


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No Conflicts of Interest to Report

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Objectives

- Describe why it is important to engage trainees in hospital-wide quality and patient safety initiatives.
- Recognize the importance of implementing a structured educational framework for basic quality and safety core competencies.
- Integrate ideas and employ tools from examples provided on process improvement, quality and safety into your unique work environment.

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Top Ten Reasons


Hospital

- Hospitals become safer places
- Bottom up approaches work best
- Residents are on the front-line of the hospital
- Improved patient outcomes and employee engagement
- Prevent near misses from becoming sentinel events

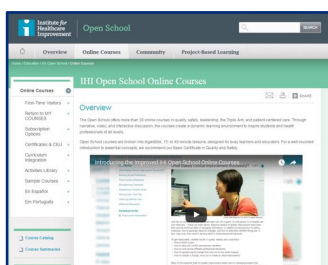
Resident

- Learn and practice team-based skills
- Knowledge gain
- Collaboration and communication
- Doable with almost immediate return
- Benefit from doing the right thing for the patients and families

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Getting Started: A Framework for Meaningful Work




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Hi ACCM,

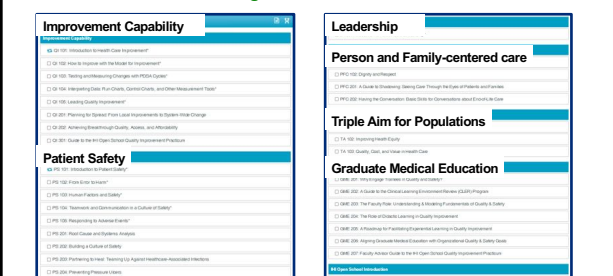
As one of our Education and Patient- and Family-Centered Care strategic initiatives, all members of ACCM can access these essential training tools on safety, improvement, patient experience, leadership, etc. and also enter the IHI educational community of more than 250,000 learners.

Please find the instructions on how to log on to IHI Open School attached along with the course descriptions. Feel free to let me know if you have any questions.

Happy learning!



Getting Started: A Framework for Meaningful Work



- Improvement Capability**
 - 11-01-01 Introduction to Quality Improvement
 - 11-01-02 How to Engage with the House for Improvement
 - 11-01-03 Testing and Measuring Change with PDSA Cycles
 - 11-01-04 Integrating Data, Plan, Check, Control Cycles, and Other Measurement Tools
 - 11-01-05 Leading Quality Improvement
 - 11-01-06 Planning for Success From Local Hospitals to System-Wide Change
 - 11-01-07 Addressing Healthcare Quality, Access, and Affordability
 - 11-01-08 Guide to the IHI Open School Quality Improvement Program
- Patient Safety**
 - 11-01-09 Introduction to Patient Safety
 - 11-01-10 Patient Safety Overview
 - 11-01-11 Patient Safety and Safety
 - 11-01-12 Research and Implementation in a Culture of Safety
 - 11-01-13 Responding to Adverse Events
 - 11-01-14 Root Cause and System Analysis
 - 11-01-15 Risk Reduction in Patient Safety
 - 11-01-16 Patient Safety in Patient Safety
 - 11-01-17 Patient Safety in Patient Safety
 - 11-01-18 Patient Safety in Patient Safety
- Leadership**
 - 11-01-19 Person and Family-centered care
 - 11-01-20 Triple Aim for Populations
 - 11-01-21 Graduate Medical Education

Getting Started: A Framework for Meaningful Work

QI 103: Testing and Measuring Changes with PDSA Cycles
 In this course, we'll take you through basic concepts you need to know to run successful PDSA (Plan-Do-Study-Act) cycles in a clinical setting.
 First, we'll teach you how to plan and conduct small-scale tests of change. We'll discuss how you can establish a helpful set of measures and how to design a data collection plan that facilitates rapid learning, using techniques such as sampling.
 Next, we'll focus on studying the data you've collected, and we'll explain why a run chart is such a valuable tool at this stage of the process.
 Finally, we'll show you how to act on your learning, possibly by increasing the size or scope of your next test cycle.
Estimated Time of Completion: 1 hour 13 minutes
Lessons
Lesson 1: How to Define Measures and Collect Data
Lesson 2: How to Use Data for Improvement
Lesson 3: How to Build Your Degree of Belief over Time
Course Objectives
 After completing this course, you will be able to:
 1. Describe how to establish and track measures of improvement during the "plan" and "do" phase of PDSA.
 2. Explain how to learn from data during the "study" phase of PDSA.
 3. Explain how to increase the size and scope of subsequent test cycles based on what you're learning during the "act" phase of PDSA.

PS 103: Human Factors and Safety
 This course is an introduction to the field of human factors: how to incorporate knowledge of human behavior in the design of safe systems.
 You'll explore case studies to analyze the human factors issues involved in health care situations. And you'll learn how to use human factors principles to design safer systems of care – including the most effective strategies to prevent errors and mitigate their effects.
 Finally, you'll learn how technology can reduce errors – even as, in some cases, it can introduce new opportunities for errors.
Estimated Time of Completion: 1 hour
Lessons
Lesson 1: Understanding the Science of Human Factors
Lesson 2: Changes Based on Human Factors Design Principles
Lesson 3: Using Technology to Mitigate the Impact of Error
Course Objectives
 After completing this course, you will be able to:
 1. Explain how human factors principles apply to health care.
 2. Describe how changes to processes can mitigate the effects of factors that contribute to errors.
 3. Define simplification, standardization, constraints, forcing functions, and redundancies.
 4. Discuss the risks and benefits of using technology to improve patient safety.

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PS 104: Teamwork and Communication in a Culture of Safety
 Effective teamwork and communication are critical parts of the design of safe systems. In this course, you'll learn what makes an effective team through case studies from health care and elsewhere. You'll analyze the effects of individual behavior for promoting teamwork, communication, and a culture of safety. Finally, you'll learn several essential communication tools, such as briefings, SBAR, and critical language.
Estimated Time of Completion: 1 hour 15 minutes
Lessons
Lesson 1: Why Are Teamwork and Communication Important?
Lesson 2: How Can You Contribute to a Culture of Safety?
Lesson 3: Basic Tools and Techniques for Effective Communication
Course Objectives
 After completing this course, you will be able to:
 1. Explain why effective teamwork is essential for promoting patient safety.
 2. Define a culture of safety and discuss the features of a strong safety culture.
 3. Identify four behaviors anyone can use to promote teamwork, communication, and a culture of safety.
 4. Use structured communication techniques to improve communication within health care.

TA 103: Quality, Cost, and Value in Health Care
 This course will provide you with an overview of value in health care. We'll start by distinguishing between cost and value, and understanding how both of these concepts relate to quality. We'll introduce you to the growing problem of health care spending, as well as the health care practitioner's role in managing those costs. Finally, we'll explain how to identify and overcome barriers to providing high-value, cost-effective care.
Estimated Time of Completion: 45 minutes
Lessons
Lesson 1: Quality, Cost, and Value in Health Care
Course Objectives
 After completing this course, you will be able to:
 1. Explain the potential harm of low-value tests and procedures.
 2. Distinguish between cost and value in health care.
 3. Define resource stewardship in health care.
 4. Describe the ethical case for resource stewardship in health care.
 5. Identify common barriers to resource stewardship and enablers of inappropriate resource use.

CAUSE AND EFFECT DIAGRAM

Name: _____ University/Organization Name: _____
 Project Title: _____ Health System Sponsor Name: _____
 Team Members: _____

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Getting Started: Tracking Progress

IHI Open School Users n = 168

■ MDs ■ NPs ■ Fellows ■ Residents ■ Other

Quick Stats
 2,082 Courses Completed
 1,853.75 Credit Hours Collected

Certificates Earned:
 • 71 Basic Certificate in Quality & Safety
 • 42 Faculty Development - IHI Open School
 • 73 Patient Safety - IHI Open School
 • 79 Quality Improvement - IHI Open School

The Value of High Performance Teams

Pyramid of Errors in Health Care

Opportunities for learning:

- Complexity
- Interconnected
- Tight coupling
- Randomness

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Practical Example

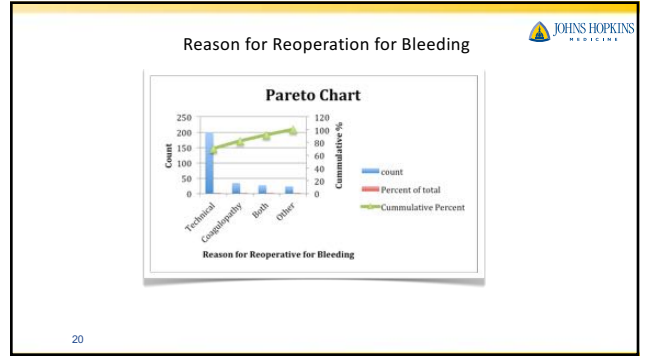
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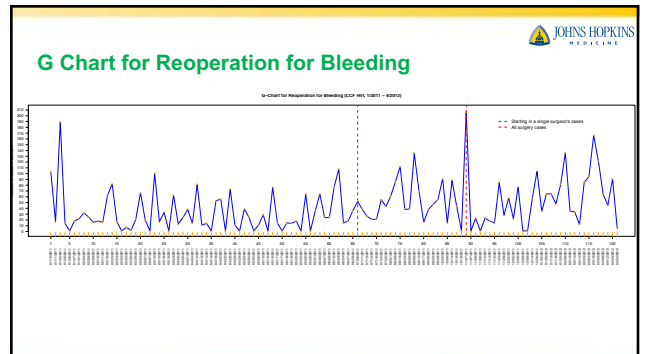
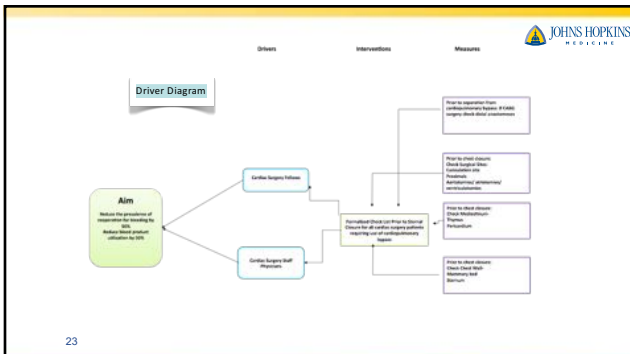
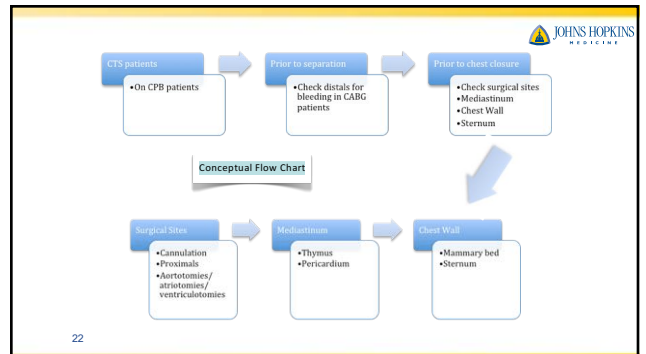
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Surgical Fellow Team Project

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 - Proximals/ distals
 - Aortotomies/ atriotomies/ ventriculotomies
 - Mediastinum
 - Thymus
 - Pericardium
 - Chest Wall
 - Mammary bed
 - Sternum
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MEDICINE

CARDIOTHORACIC SURGICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Process improvement in cardiac surgery: Development and implementation of a reoperation for bleeding checklist

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Objective: High-performing health care organizations differentiate themselves by focusing on continuous process improvement initiatives aimed at enhancing patient outcomes. Reoperation for bleeding is an event associated with considerable morbidity risk. Hence, our primary objective was to develop and implement a formal operative checklist to reduce technical reasons for postoperative bleeding.

Methods: From January 1, 2011, through June 30, 2012, 5812 cardiac surgical procedures were performed at Cleveland Clinic (Cleveland, OH). A multidisciplinary team developed a simple, easy-to-perform hemostatic checklist based on the most common sites of bleeding. An extensive educational in-service was performed before limited, then universal, checklist implementation. Geometric charts were used to track the number of cases between consecutive reoperations for bleeding. We compared these before (phase 0) and after the first limited implementation phase (phase 1) and the universal implementation phase (phase 2) of the checklist.

Results: The average number of cases between consecutive reoperations for bleeding increased from 32 in phase 0 to 53 in both phase 1 ($P = .002$) and phase 2 ($P = .01$).

Conclusions: A substantial reduction in reoperation for bleeding cases followed implementation of a formalized hemostatic checklist. Our findings underscore the important influence of necessary aids that focus attention on surgical techniques to improve patient outcomes in a complex, operative work environment. (J Thorac Cardiovasc Surg 2013;146:1028-32)

Checklist development

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Nurse/resident in-service

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Phase 1 (single surgeon)

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Feedback

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Implementation in all CT ORs

Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery 2013;146:1028

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Process Improvement in Thoracic Donor Organ Procurement: Implementation of a Donor Assessment Checklist

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Annals of Thoracic Surgery in press 2016

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<input type="checkbox"/> Serologies	<input type="checkbox"/> Contusions, consolidation, edema
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Checklist development

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Nurse/resident in-service

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Single-center pilot study

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Feedback

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Implementation for all thoracic organ procurements in 3 centers



Using the FORCE to Teach Quality, Safety & Value

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Using the Force to Teach Quality, Safety, & Value in Academic Health Centers

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Objectives

To describe a conceptual framework for how to align medical education and the health system to improve the value of care provided by trainees

To share how to “Use the FORCE” to engage trainees to improve quality, safety, and value

Merging Health System & Education Silos

Merging the Health System and Education Silos to Better Educate Future Physicians

Bridging leaders
Engage frontline
Go for win-win



Gupta & Arora 2015

Clinical Learning Environment Review (CLER Program)



Focus is on alignment at the GME-hospital leadership level to coordinate the 6 focus areas

Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education

Clinical Learning Environment Review

QI Pathway 1:
Residents/fellows receive experiential training in... overuse in diagnosis or treatment of patients

CLER Pathways to Excellence

Expectations for an optimal clinical learning environment to achieve safe and high quality patient care

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



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Research Letter | March 2014

Teaching Residents to Provide Cost-Conscious Care
A National Survey of Residency Program Directors

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Has Curriculum? Yes No, but working on it No

(Emanated March 2013 13222) Text Size: A A A

Teaching method	%
Informal	76
Didactic	58
Review of bill, chart etc.	22

Assessment Method	%
None	47
Supervising faculty	36
Resident self-assessment	14

For nearly \$3 trillion annually, evidence shows that US practice medicine at a higher cost than most Medicare Payment and Advisory Commission advise medical education (CGME) be redesigned to elicit high-value, cost-conscious care.⁸

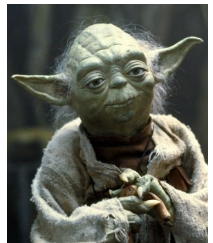
IM Program Directors Perceptions

Perceptions of Cost-Conscious Care	% Agree
GME has a responsibility to curtail costs of care	85
Majority of faculty who work with residents model cost-conscious care	47
Residents are prepared to incorporate value & costs into medical decisions	43
Residents in our program have access to information about costs of tests & procedures	22



Hidden Curriculum

- imbalanced focus on identifying rare cases
- sins of omission > sins of commission
- misperception that considering cost is not aligned with patient interests



You must unlearn what you have learned! --Yoda

What is the Force?

"It's an energy field created by all living things. It surrounds us and penetrates us; it binds the galaxy together."



--Obi Wan Kenobi

Ways to Use the Force to Teach Value

- Cultivate "situational awareness"
- Find the right champions
- Observe & understand cultural norms
- Embed "nudges" to promote the right thing
- Redesign the system



Situational Awareness

Situational awareness = mindfulness of pt environment

- E.g. surgical timeout
- Reduces likelihood of medical errors

Simulation promotes situational awareness

- Hands-on training
- Risk-free environment for learning



Do incoming interns have situational awareness as it relates to low value care practices?

The "Horror Room"



GME Orientation Boot Camp: 125 incoming interns

Inpatient simulation

- 55 y/o male, pneumonia, C. diff (+)
- Mock door chart

12 hazards of hospitalization

- 8 - patient safety
- 4 - low-value (overuse)

Assessment form

- List hazards identified
- Prior training



Farnan et al. BMJ Qual Saf 2015

Safety Hazards in Horror Room

SAFETY HAZARDS

- No hand hygiene
- Latex allergy
- Bed rail down
- Wrong name/wrong patient
- No isolation precautions
- Penicillin allergy
- Wrong medication
- No VTE prophylaxis

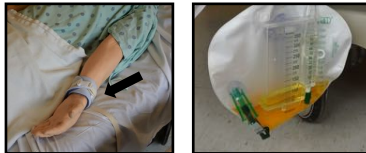


JHRQ Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality | Medicare.gov | Hospital Compare

Low Value Hazards in Horror Room

LOW-VALUE HAZARD

- Unnecessary restraints
- Unnecessary Foley catheter (CAUTI risk)
- Unnecessary blood transfusion
- Unnecessary stress ulcer prophylaxis

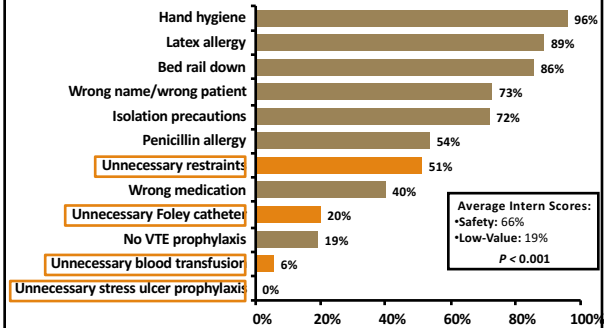


Patient is continuing a course of antibiotics for his pneumonia. He also has a history of HTN and DM2, well controlled on current regimen. Patient's home medications have been continued with the addition of a PPI for stress ulcer prophylaxis.

Choosing Wisely

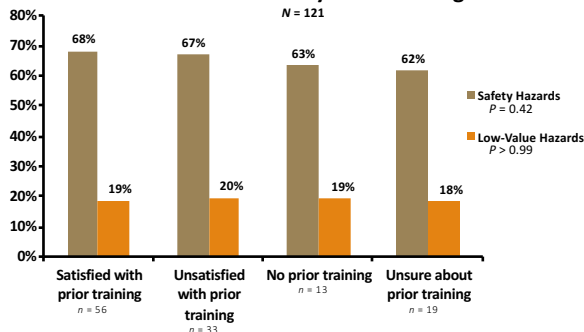
% of Interns who Identified Hazards

N = 125



% Identification by Prior Training

N = 121



Intern Feedback & Follow-Up

I will [now] inherently approach every patient room "looking" for issues

Wish I had done this earlier in my career!

Really fun way to emphasize the importance of safety & value

One month into internship:

•69% more aware of how to identify hospital hazards as a result of the Horror Room (N = 119)

•52% had taken action to reduce a hazard included in the simulation (N = 119)

Ways to Use the Force to Teach Value

- Cultivate “situational awareness”
- Find the right champions
- Observe & understand cultural norms
- Embed “nudges” to promote the right thing
- Redesign the system



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 Bright Ideas due April 1, 2015

Around the world, the capabilities of modern medicine are being delivered inside of health systems with staggering complexity. Too often this complexity contributes to avoidable harm and unsustainable cost. Moreover, clinicians rarely have the support necessary to deliver **value**—defined as the best possible care at the lowest possible cost.

To help address this gap, and mirroring the Costs of Care (an American nonprofit) and the ABIM Foundation, the University of Chicago Medicine is launching the inaugural Choosing Wisely® Challenge. We want to identify the most promising bright ideas that can be successfully implemented here at the medical center.

Challenge is open to Residents and Fellows of any program and to any employee of the University of Chicago

Challenge co-sponsored by GME & CQO Office (Michael Howell MD)

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Search Recommendations > SHM - Medications for stress ulcer prophylaxis inpatients

Society of Hospital Medicine – Adult Hospital Medicine

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Released February 21, 2013

Don't prescribe medications for stress ulcer prophylaxis to medical inpatients unless at high risk for GI complications.

According to published guidelines, medications for stress ulcer prophylaxis for stress ulcer prophylaxis are not recommended for adult patients in non-ICU settings. Histamine-2 receptor antagonists (H2RAs) and proton-pump inhibitors (PPIs), commonly used to treat stress ulcers, are associated with adverse drug events and increased medication costs, and commonly enhance susceptibility to community-acquired nosocomial pneumonia and Clostridium difficile. Adherence to therapeutic guidelines will aid health care providers in reducing treatment of patients without clinically important risk factors for gastrointestinal bleeding.

COST Framework for Value Improvement: Skip the Drips

Interventions	Description	Skip the Drips
C Culture	Valuing cost-consciousness and resource stewardship at the individual and team level	Subspecialty faculty champions recruited to email peers
O Oversight	Requiring accountability for cost-conscious decision-making at a peer and organizational level	Pharmacy receives a monthly audit of PPI drips ordered and why
S Systems Change	Creating systems to make cost-conscious decisions using institutional policy, decision-support tools, and clinical guidelines	Epic now requires indications for PPI drips when ordering
T Training	Providing knowledge & skills clinicians need to make cost-conscious decisions	"Brochures" on Skip the Drips shared in workrooms & at morning report

Levy et al. Acad Med 2014

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Choosing Wisely Challenge
SKIP THE DRIPS
 Improve meaningful use of continuous infusions to improve value of care

PPI FOR UPPER GI BLEED

- **Goals**
 - ✓ Improve survival from life threatening GI bleed
 - ✓ Avoid complications such as C diff
 - ✓ Improve likelihood of successful endoscopy
- **Recommend**
 - ✓ Pre-endoscopy: reserve PPI drip for suspected high risk upper GI bleeds.
 - ✓ Post-endoscopy:
 - All PPIs should be discontinued unless endoscopy identifies ulcers or erosions
 - Continuous IV PPI can be used for ulcers with high-risk lesions

Dr. Gautham Reddy, GI Fellowship Program Director

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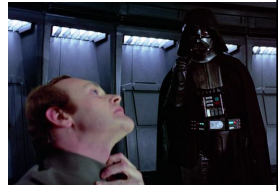
Inappropriate PPI Orders by “Skip the Drips” Education

Skip the Drips Education Compared to No Education

Date	Skip the Drips (%)	Non-Skip the Drips (%)
Jul 15	~15	~25
Aug 15	~15	~25
Sep 15	~15	~30
Oct 15	~15	~40
Nov 15	~10	~40
Dec 15	~10	~15
Jan 16	~10	~30
Feb 16	~10	~30

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American Society for Clinical Pathology
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Released February 3, 2015

Don't test for myoglobin or CK-MB in the diagnosis of acute myocardial infarction (AMI). Instead, use troponin I or T.

Unlike CK-MB and myoglobin, the release of troponin I or T is specific to cardiac injury. Troponin is released before CK-MB and appears in the blood as early as, if not earlier than, myoglobin after AMI. Approximately 30% of patients experiencing chest discomfort at rest with a normal CK-MB will be diagnosed with AMI when evaluated using troponin. Single-point troponin measurements equate to infarct size for the determination of the AMI severity. Accordingly, there is much support for relying solely on troponin and discontinuing the use of CK-MB and other markers.

Patient Materials
• Search patient-friendly resources by Consumer Reports.

Ordering Wisely

An educational initiative to improve value

Cardiac Biomarkers

-Troponin is the preferred biomarker “overall and for each specific category of MI” according to AHA/ACC Guidelines:

Recommendation	LOE	LOE
Myoglobin	III	III
CK-MB	III	III
Troponin	I	I

Myoglobin

Myoglobin cardiac specific. Troponin troponin I or T at presentation and 3-6 hrs after symptom onset in all patients with suspected AMI to identify patients at risk.

CK-MB

CK-MB cardiac specific. Troponin troponin I or T at presentation and 3-6 hrs after symptom onset in all patients with suspected AMI to identify patients at risk.

Troponin

Troponin cardiac specific. Troponin troponin I or T at presentation and 3-6 hrs after symptom onset in all patients with suspected AMI to identify patients at risk.

Reviews of 30,000 patients from the CRUSADE Trial and 10,000 patients from the GRACE Registry have shown routine use of CK-MB rarely adds prognostic value to Troponin alone

Health systems (Mayo, Mass Gen, Brigham, Hopkins-Bayview, and others) have taken steps to reduce volume of CK-MB testing

Troponin rises earlier than CK-MB. Troponin is more specific than CK-MB in CKD and ESRD

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- (1) If concern for ACS, initially check Troponin only.
- (2) If Troponin is negative, there is no role for CK-MB.
- (3) If Troponin is positive (either acutely or at baseline) and concern for infarction or reinfarction, recommend serial Troponins (q 3-6 hrs). CK-MB may aid in diagnosis and/or prognosis in certain clinical circumstances, such as reinfarction (consider lab-adding to screening Troponin).

Courtesy Matt Modes PGY3

Data from UChicago

Are we outliers?

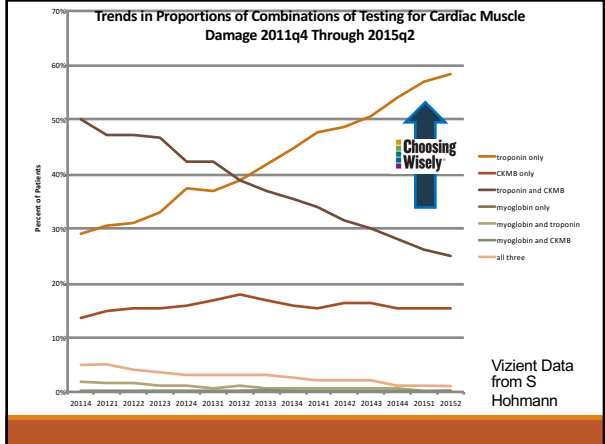
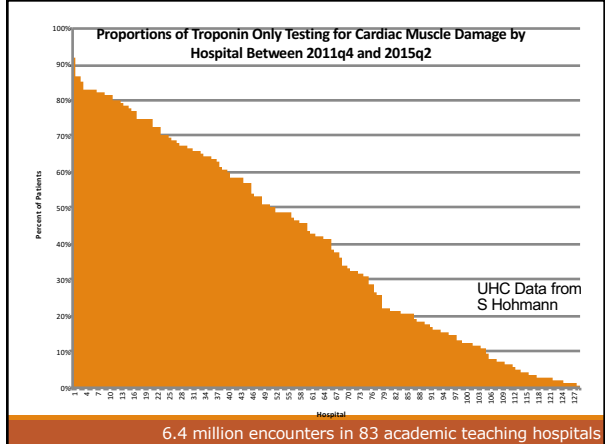
Ways to order Cardiac Biomarkers

- Troponin; CK-MB (inc Total CK); ER Cardiac Panel (Total CK, CK-MB, Trop)

Data: Total Cardiac Biomarkers Resulted in 2014 at U of C

Category	ER-PANEL	Troponin	CK-MB
Total	~12000	~11000	~10000
Inpatient	~6000	~8000	~7000
Outpatient	~4000	~3000	~2000

Data from M Modes



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Report from the RRC: What are They Looking for From Fellows & From Faculty in Scholarly Activity

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10:30am – 10:55am

Scholarly Activity: What the ACGME's RRC is Looking for from Faculty & from Fellows

Andrew J. Patterson, M.D., Ph.D.

Objectives

1. At the conclusion of this presentation, attendees will be able to describe the RRC expectations for scholarship for Anesthesiology faculty.
2. At the conclusion of this presentation, attendees will be able to describe the RRC expectations for scholarship for Anesthesiology fellows.

Disclosures

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The Rules: Faculty Expectations

Core Programs

II.B.5 The faculty must establish and maintain an environment of inquiry and scholarship with an active research component.

5a. The faculty must regularly participate in organized clinical discussions, rounds, journal clubs, and conferences.

5b. Some members of the faculty should also demonstrate scholarship by one or more of the following:

- (1) Peer-reviewed funding.
- (2) Publication of original research or review articles in peer reviewed journals or chapters in textbooks.
- (3) Publication or presentation of case reports or clinical series at local, regional, or national professional and scientific society meetings.
- (4) Participation in national committees or educational organizations.

5e. If the program is unable to fulfill one aspect of this requirement, the curriculum must include educational activities for the residents in the deficient component.¹

Fellowship Programs

Program requirement variations do exist, but the intent is similar for all Anesthesiology fellowship programs.

Anesthesiology Critical Care Medicine

II.B.6. Each faculty member participating in the fellowship must demonstrate ongoing academic achievements appropriate to anesthesiology critical care medicine, including publications, the development of the educational program, or the conduct of research.²

Obstetric Anesthesiology

II.B.5. Physician faculty members must demonstrate ongoing academic achievements appropriate to the subspecialty, including at least one of the following: publications, the development of education programs, or the conduct of research.³

Adult Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology

II.B.9. Faculty members must maintain an active role in scholarly pursuits pertaining to cardiothoracic anesthesiology, as evidenced by involvement in education and scholarship that pertains to the care of adult cardiothoracic patients.⁴

The Rules: Fellow Expectations

Program requirement variations do exist, but the intent is similar for all Anesthesiology fellowship programs.

Anesthesiology Critical Care Medicine

IV.B.1. The program must provide instruction in the fundamentals of research design and conduct, and the implementation and presentation of data.

IV.B.2. During the program, fellows must participate in at least one clinical or other research project related to critical care medicine.

- a. Results of each project must be disseminated through publication or presentation at local, regional, national, or international meetings.²

Obstetric Anesthesiology

IV.B.1. Each fellow should conduct or be substantially involved in a scholarly project related to the subspecialty which leads to both presentation at a national meeting and publication.

- a. Fellows must have a faculty mentor overseeing the project.³

Adult Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology

IV.B.1. All fellows must complete a scholarly project.

- a. The results of such projects must be disseminated through a variety of means, including publication or presentation at local, regional, national, or international meetings.⁴

The Reality: Citations related to scholarly activity are the most common citations from the ACGME's RRC for Anesthesiology.

The Reality: Finding Faculty to Mentor One Year Clinical Fellows for Substantive Scholarly Projects is Challenging.

1. Clinical demands at many institutions limit the amount of time faculty are provided for scholarly activities.
2. Clinical productivity is sometimes financially rewarded more than academic productivity.
3. Junior faculty are sometimes saddled with considerable debt from college and medical school and are sometimes under pressure to focus on resolution of financial obligations rather than scholarly work, especially in areas of the country where the cost of living is high.
4. The types of projects that are rewarded with grants (particularly NIH grants) and high profile publications frequently are not the types of projects that one year fellows can participate in due to time limitations, call obligations, and lack of technical training or facility with data analysis and scientific writing. Consequently, faculty who include one year fellows in substantive projects may put themselves at risk for moving their projects along too slowly. Faculty may also anger post docs and other research personnel who perform much of the "heavy lifting" for their projects by allowing clinical fellows to present data at meetings or including them on manuscripts for which these individuals have played minor roles.
5. Some institutions that have or are seeking fellowship training programs do not have the infrastructure for substantive scholarly projects.
6. Effective faculty mentors for scholarly projects are sometimes difficult to find, particularly for small subspecialty groups and divisions

The Reality: One Year Clinical Fellowships present unique challenges.

1. Substantive scholarly projects often take more than one year to complete (let alone present and/or publish).
2. One year clinical fellows have a short time to master the clinical skills germane to their Anesthesiology subspecialties. Some fellows need to focus more than others on clinical elements in order to master them.
3. In some cases, fellows must prepare for ABA subspecialty board examinations or an NBE examination. Preparing for these examinations is time consuming.
4. Fellows have to find jobs during their one year of fellowship training, which necessitates travel and days off for interviews.
5. One year clinical fellows in the Anesthesiology subspecialties are pulled in many directions simultaneously and may find it difficult to engage in a scholarly project in meaningful ways.

Suggestions

1. Band together. Take advantage of economies of scale by creating **consortia** that allow fellows and faculty in all the member programs to meet the ACGME requirements.
2. Develop scholarly **programs** that fellows can participate in sequentially rather than having each fellow invent a new project from scratch.
3. Focus fellows on short, “doable” elements of scholarly endeavor rather than encouraging them to take on ambitious stand-alone projects.
4. Contact your ACGME RRC Executive Director (Anne Gravel Sullivan, Ph.D.) to discuss your plans and your concerns.
5. Get the information for your fellows’ scholarly projects into the ACGME Accreditation Data System (ADS) by June 28th so the information is available to the RRC reviewers during the fall reviews.

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https://www.acgme.org/Portals/0/PFAssets/ProgramRequirements/040_anesthesiology_2016.pdf

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Scholarship: How to Best Leverage Big Department Infrastructure

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Scholarship: how to best leverage big department infrastructure

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Discover. Educate. Care. Lead.

Objectives

- Definitions and review of terms
- Goals and examples of scholarship
- Strengths and weaknesses of big programs
- Fellows' motivation

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	Description	Role of Fellow	Role of Program	Outcome
ACTA	Scholarly project	Completion		Dissemination – variety of means
CCM	Clinical or research project	Participation	Instruction in research design, conduct, analysis and interpretation of data	Dissemination – publication or presentation
Obstetrics	Scholarly project	Conduct or substantially involved	Faculty mentor	Presentation and publication
Pediatrics	Scholarly project	Completion	Instruction in research design, conduct, analysis and interpretation of data	Dissemination – variety of means
Pain	Scholarly activity	Participate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic principles of research, and their application to patient care Allocate educational resources to facilitate 	

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Defining scholarship

What it is NOT:

- Committees
- Journal clubs
- Lectures

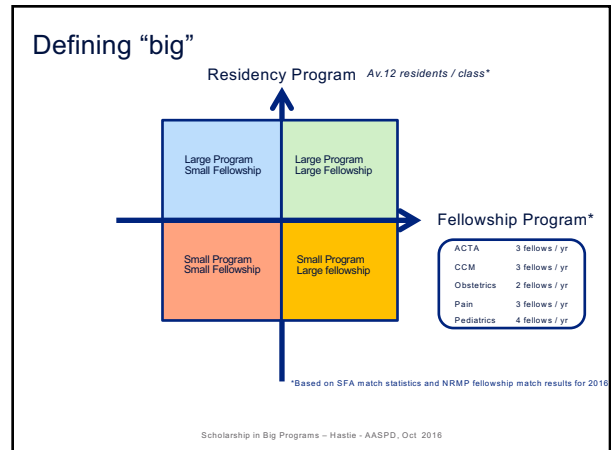
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Defining Scholarship

Discovery	Advancing knowledge	Research resulting in publication / abstract
Integration	Synthesizing knowledge	Case reports / studies
Application	Applying existing knowledge	Protocols and panels
Education	Disseminating existing knowledge	Curriculum design / Grand rounds

Grady, E. et al. *Defining Scholarly Activity in Graduate Medical Education*. JGME Dec, 2012

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Goals of a scholarship program

- Making the fellowship year count
- Recruitment strategy
- Prepare for academic career
- Prepare next generation of leaders in our specialty

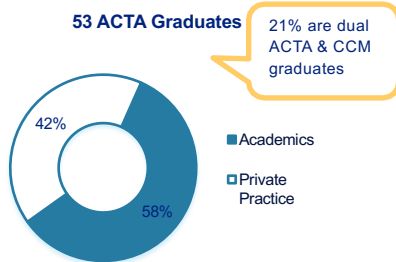
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ACTA Scholarly Tracks

	Skills	Faculty Mentor	Outcome
Research	Biostatistics; Turning research ideas to projects; Designing research protocols; submitting IRB protocols; collecting data		Approved IRB protocol / abstract / pilot study
Clinical / TEE	TEE quality improvement; Clinical management protocols;		Echo rounds / TEE conference case presentation / Grand Rounds presentation
Patient Safety QI	Identifying system's problems, participating in RCA		PS/QI project
Education	Learning theories; curriculum design; instrument design; education research		Simulation scenarios / OSCE development / Educational research project

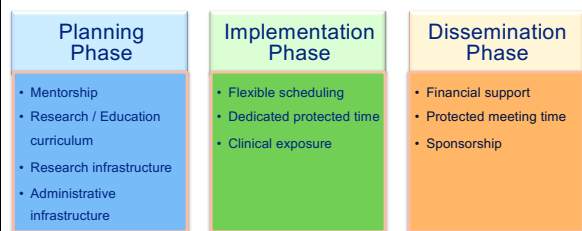
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Graduates of ACTA@CUMC – 2008 to 2016



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Scholarship: Big Program Strengths



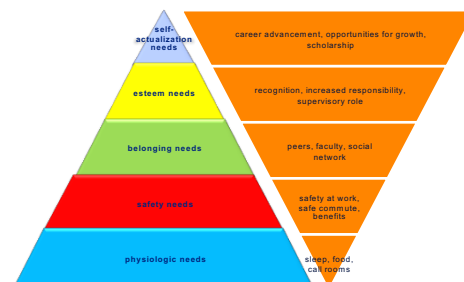
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- Busy clinical schedule
- Monochromatic view
- Depersonalized



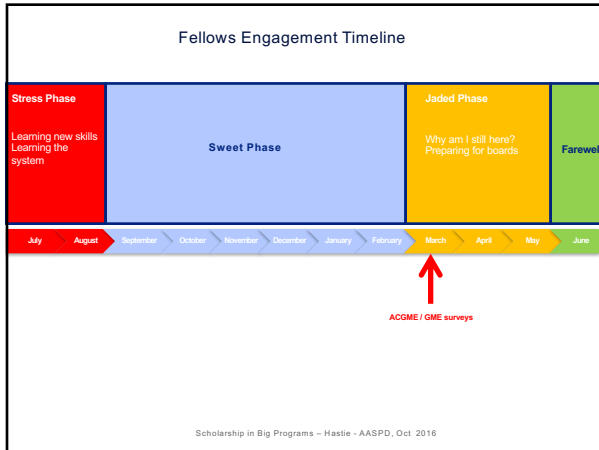
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Motivation theory – Maslow's hierarchy of needs



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How to Do Scholarship in Smaller Departments

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How to do scholarship in smaller departments

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Conflict of interest

- Educational Grant Medtronic for fellows education


Objectives

- Define academic scholarship
- Describe forms of scholarship
- Identify fellows opportunities to participate in scholarly projects
- Describe program director role in mentoring fellows' scholarly activity


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Outline

- The academic scholar and the school of medicine
- Fellows perspective of scholarly activity
- Program director perspective of scholarly activity


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Academic scholarship-Inside Out

Feelings

- Fear
- Joy
- Sad
- Anger
- Disgust

How you see it

- A Job
- A state of mind, a vocation
- A necessary thing
- An awful thing
- Everyday frustration





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Scholar-definition through time

- In ancient times: one who goes to school, a pupil
- Modern: the **expert, specialist in a certain field, a distinguished academic**, a highly educated person with an aptitude for study
- Synonym: academic, intellectual, savant


LATIN schola →
 LATE LATIN scholaris →
 OLD ENGLISH scooliers schoolchild, student → scholar


ENGLISH school → scholar



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The pressure-our contribution

- Are all of us geniuses in our own way?




Hamilton:
 Alexander Hamilton
 My name is Alexander Hamilton
 And there's a million things I haven't done
 But just you wait, just you wait...




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The modern scholar

SINCE COLONIAL TIMES, the American professoriate has responded to mandates both from within the academy and beyond. First came teaching, then service, and finally, the challenge of research. In more recent years, faculty have been asked to blend these three traditions, but despite this idealized expectation, a wide gap now exists between the myth and the reality of academic life. Almost all colleges pay lip service to the trilogy of teaching, research, and service, but when it comes to making judgments about professional performance, the three rarely are assigned equal merit.

1990: a new definition of scholarly activity: beyond “teaching versus research” debate and that the familiar and honorable term “scholarship” be given a broader meaning



Ernest L. Boyer Scholarship reconsidered, *Priorities of the professoriate. A Special Report Princeton, NJ: Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching (1990).*

In the new context: Proposal

- Four entities
 - Scholarship of discovery
 - Scholarship of integration
 - Scholarship of application
 - Scholarship of teaching
- Challenges
 - How does the scholar maintain excellence in their work
 - Many high education institutions were willing to adopt but the question of assessment arose.



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Noble, broad, modern...sustainable?

- 2 question arose quickly
 - What is the meaning of “scholarship of teaching”
 - How the quality of scholarship shall be measured

TO GIVE THE FOUR KINDS OF SCHOLARSHIP APPROXIMATELY THE WEIGHT THAT EACH DEMERITS, they all must be held to the same standards of scholarly performance. The problem is this: in order to recognize discovery, integration, application, and teaching as legitimate forms of scholarship, the academy must evaluate them by a set of standards that capture and acknowledge what they share as scholarly acts.



Glassick, Charles E., Mary Taylor Huber, Gene I. Maeroff, and E. L. Boyer. *Scholarship assessed Evaluation of the professoriate.* San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 1997.

Measuring quality of the scholarly work

- Goals: “measuring the quality of scholarship” or “how excellence shall be sustained”
- How was it done
 - 51 granting agencies: **how would you decide which proposals to fund?**
 - 58 scholarly press directors: **what criteria do you use when selecting manuscripts for publication?**
 - 31 scholarly journal editors: **what do you tell referees to look for?**
- New publication:
 - 6 themes were derived, called “standards”.



Glassick, Charles E., Mary Taylor Huber, Gene I. Maeroff, and E. L. Boyer. *Scholarship assessed Evaluation of the professoriate.* San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 1997.

Summary of Standards^{4,5,6,7}

Clear Goals
Does the scholar state the basic purpose of his or her work clearly? Does the scholar define objectives that are realistic and achievable? Does the scholar identify important questions in the field?

Adequate Preparation
Does the scholar show an understanding of existing scholarship in the field? Does the scholar bring the necessary skills to his or her work? Does the scholar bring together the resources necessary to move the project forward?

Appropriate Methods
Does the scholar use methods appropriate to the goals? Does the scholar apply effectively the methods selected? Does the scholar modify procedures in response to changing circumstances?

Significant Results
Does the scholar achieve the goals? Does the scholar's work add consequentially to the field? Does the scholar's work open additional areas for further exploration?

Effective Presentation
Does the scholar use a suitable style and effective organization to present his or her work? Does the scholar use appropriate forums for communicating the work to its intended audiences? Does the scholar present his or her message with clarity and integrity?

Reflective Critique
Does the scholar critically evaluate his or her own work? Does the scholar bring an appropriate breadth of evidence to his or her critique? Does the scholar use evaluation to improve the quality of future work?

*These six standards can be applied to all four forms of scholarship proposed by Boyer: the scholarship of discovery, of integration, of application, and of teaching. The standards were derived from the analysis of information collected in 1994 by Carnegie scholars from granting agencies, scholarly press directors, and scholarly journal editors.

Clinical medicine


- Discrepancy between busy clinical work with unprotected time and research;
- 2 orphan children, not often recognized
 - **Integration:** making connections across disciplines-health outcomes, biomedical technologies and devices,
 - **Application:** translation of knowledge to new and practical applications (clinical guidelines, patient safety protocols)
- Framework to recognize integration and application entities-**Clinical scholarship**



Grogby RK, Thorndyke L. *Perspective: Recognizing and Rewarding Clinical Scholarship* Acad Med. 2011; 86: 127-131^{1,2}

Clinical Scholarship

- **Systematic observation and scientifically based methods to identify, describe and solve clinical problems**
- Offers potential for learning how to **improve clinical practice**
- Extends broadly **beyond the clinical arena**, encompass a patient or a health care system
- **Interdisciplinary**
- **Dissemination of knowledge** through presentation, consultation, use by others, applied leadership

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So...scholarship comes in many shapes and forms...

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Fellows-happy to have matched their chosen fellowship...

- First day
 - Heavy clinic, orientation
 - By the way...write an IRB by tomorrow
 - ...and by the end of the week write that case report
 - ...and call the patients to schedule the stim
 - ...while you submit your ASRA abstract




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The reality of the fellowship

- 1 year in most specialties unless research time is added for dedicated PhD, MS scientists
- Small fellowships can have an additional burden.
- The fellows challenge you...
 - I am tired
 - I want to go in private practice
 - I have no idea what research means?
 - I want to focus on becoming clinically excellent



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However...ACGME has requirements

Different text, same message:
Fellows need to do scholarly activity

IV.B. Fellows' Scholarly Activities

IV.B.1. The curriculum must advance fellows' knowledge of the basic principles of research, including how research is conducted, evaluated, explained to patients, and applied to patient care. (Core)


IV.B.2. Fellows should participate in scholarly activity. (Core)

IV.B.3. The sponsoring institution and program should allocate adequate educational resources to facilitate fellow involvement in scholarly activities. (Detail)

IV.B. Fellows' Scholarly Activities

IV.B.1. The program must provide instruction in the fundamentals of research design and conduct, and the interpretation and presentation of data. (Core)

IV.B.2. Each fellow must complete a scholarly project, the results of which must be disseminated through a variety of means, including publication or presentation at local, regional, national, or international meetings. (Core)

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Scholarly work in small fellowship



- Good: Just 1 or 2 fellows to deal with
- Evil: If unmotivated...bad news
- Good: Less projects to complete
- Evil: Multiple commitments hard to complete
- Good: Not busy clinical, scholarly projects possible
- Evil: Busy clinical, no time for scholarly work

MAKE IT WORK!



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Fellows' thirst for knowledge does exist

- Generation of highly educated digitally native physicians
- Reserved at times
- Duty vs. save the world
- A little play for their attention
- And certainly teach by example



How can we motivate our fellows? KNOW THEM!

- **Involve the fellows:** explain why do you do what you do, the vision
- **Emphasize the greater good:** how can you help others, patients, colleagues by disseminating your scholarly work
- **Give responsibilities** and leadership opportunities
- **Give feed back** and encouragement
- **Flexibility** in work hours at the scholarly project-work from home
- **Provide educational opportunities** and developments on the topic-conferences

What scholarly project can fellows complete?

TABLE 2. PROPOSED BASELINE RUBRIC FOR ALL ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION (ACGME) RESIDENCY REVIEW COMMITTEES (RRCs)

Component of Scholarship	Examples	Assessment Criteria
Discovery = advancing knowledge	Published paper Work resulting in abstract	All 4 components of scholarship should be present when looking at the sum of the 4 components' work. Each resident should be exposed to each of the 4 components of scholarship and should complete at least one scholarly activity during the residency training period. More stringent requirements may be instituted by the specialty-specific RRC as needed.
Integration = synthesizing knowledge	Case studies or reports Patient education projects	
Application = applying existing knowledge	Participation in national guideline panels Participation in professional societies	
Teaching = disseminating current medical knowledge	Preparing and delivering lecture(s) Curriculum development Development of web-based modules, etc.	

- Similarly with faculty standards, fellows should be evaluated based on Boyer's 4 entities of scholarship.
- Involve fellows in the scholarship of teaching where they can become involved with their peers, patients, etc.

How is the scholarly work quantified?

Metrics for Scholarly Activity

Position	Pass	Fail	Commendation
Residents*	1 point/resident	<1 point/resident	≥ 1.5 points/resident on average
Fellows*	1 point/fellow	<1 point/fellow	≥ 1.5 points/fellow on average
Faculty (FTE)†	Average 2 pts/faculty member	Average < 2 pts/faculty member	Average ≥ 1.5 pts/faculty member

* One point given per publication (print-i.e. article, case report, chapter, or electronic- i.e. ACR case in point) or local, regional or national presentation/poster or electronic exhibit over the length of the program

† One point given for documented activity in each of the following activities over the length of the review cycle

- Grants
- Publications
- Selected chapters, text books
- Presentation at local, regional or national meeting
- Education related service on national committees

Scholarship work demystified

- Highly selective process for fellowship, supposedly dedicated, smart and with appropriate work ethic
- Expectations
 - Excellence in clinical care: **easy to attain** due to volume
 - Excellence in scholarly work: **hard to attain** due to time constraints
- Solutions
 - Lecture every day,
 - Attending database case reports of challenging cases-prepare
 - QA projects
 - Regional meetings presentations

It is on YOU to find solutions...

- **Academic days, administrative days** (chief fellows) roughly 1-2 per month (1 every other week sometimes)
- **Play detective:** your rationale for the case to be presented, investigate the course, discuss other options.
- **Be available:** find cases, listen to fellows suggestions, guide do not destroy.
- **Be altruistic:** collaborate on book chapters, research projects

How do we do it?

- One grand rounds presentation,
- One abstract (research/case report) submission and presentation at national meetings
- One presentation at the institutional multidisciplinary meeting
- One presentation at the collaborative case conferences
 - Chicago Pain summit **AND** Collaborative case conference
- One QA project
- Attend and present at the institutional pain boards
 - Spine board **OR** Oncology pain **OR** Comprehensive pain conference **OR** Bone health meeting

Similar and different approach AGAIN...ON YOU

- "Abstract presentation in Fellow Complex Case Session at Annual Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists Meeting"
- "One "writing project". Usually a Case Report or Case Conference for the Journal of Cardiothoracic and Vascular Anesthesia".
- "I usually have the IRB proposal written up and approved so they can hit the ground running on day 1. Then towards the end of their year I have the fellow write up the IRB proposal and get the project approved for the next fellow."

Create an Intellectual stimulating place

- Start them early;
 - Gradual responsibility: case report as CA1 to paper writing during fellowship
 - Fellows involved in medical student research, combine efforts: fellows/residents
 - Book chapters early, correct them in fellowship
- Helpful!
 - A good fellowship coordinator-share resources with core PD
 - Ask your colleagues institutionally or at meetings
 - Create an academic environment for the fellows: readings, discussions, journal clubs,

Long lasting connections with your fellows...some advise

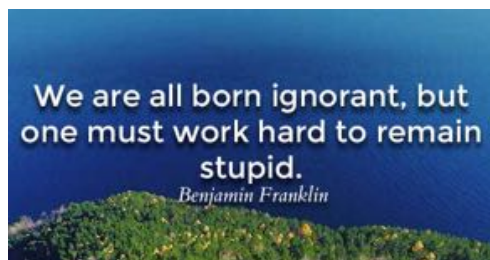
- **Set same expectation for your section faculty** to present at grand rounds and at the national meetings
- **You and faculty aim to always improve:** research, clinical, educational and service.
- **Networking:** get involved with colleagues from other institutions and meet alumni at meetings, social media
- Introduce the scholarly work to fellows in a non-assuming way: **be gentle not forceful**
- Expect the best, deal with the worst

THEY DO WHAT THEY SEE!

Conclusions

- Scholarship has more dimensions: **discovery, application, integration and teaching**
- Fellows scholarly activity is rated every year
- Fellows scholarship can be performed in various ways; research is only one component
- **Be engaged** with the fellows as it is a small family by now
- Make a difference, lead by example and be flexible in listening to your trainees: **guide do not destroy**

Scholarly work in small fellowships: **Blessing or Curse**




Thank you

Regional Anesthesia Update

Santhanam Suresh, M.D., F.A.A.P.


11/11/2016


1:30pm – 1:40pm



Regional Anesthesia Fellowship Update


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 of Chicago
 Professor of Anesthesiology & Pediatrics
 Northwestern University Feinberg School
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Regional Anesthesiology and Acute Pain Medicine

- History of Regional Anesthesia Fellowships
 - Early 1980's
 - Virginia Mason Medical Center
 - Daniel Moore, MD
 - Brigham and Women's Hospital
 - Benjamin Covino, MD, PhD
 - Others
 - Duke Hospital for Special Surgery/Cornell
 - Mayo Clinic
 - McGill University
 - St. Luke's/Roosevelt/Columbia
 - University of Alberta
 - University of Florida
 - University of Manitoba
 - University of Texas/Houston
 - University of Toronto



Regional Anesthesiology and Acute Pain Medicine

- Currently (2016).....
 - **62 RAAPM fellowships in the US**
 - **8 RAAPM fellowships in Canada**
 - **133 positions available in the US**
 - **17 positions available in Canada**




Regional Anesthesiology and Acute Pain Medicine

Directors of Regional Anesthesia Fellowship Training


- History
- Membership
- Function
- Initiatives

Meetings Sponsored by HSS



Group Initiatives

- Development of Guidelines
- Curriculum Development
- ACGME Accreditation
- Information Repository
- Knowledge Sharing



ACGME Accreditation

- Pro's
 - Consistency in the curriculum
 - Rigorous review process
 - Potential subspecialty certification
 - Recruiting tool
 - Legitimacy
- Con's
 - Restrictions in the curriculum
 - ACGME hours regulations
 - Faculty practice ineligibility
 - Loss of autonomy

• Adapted from Current Opinion Anesth 20:572-575

Regional Anesthesiology and Acute Pain Medicine

Ann & Robert H. Lurie
Children's Hospital of Chicago

- Proposal for new Subspecialty submitted to ACGME December 2013 by Boards of ASRA and AAPM
- Exploratory Committee formed in May 2014
- Subcommittee to develop Program Requirements met from June 2015-June 2016
- Fellowship approved at September 23-25, 2016 Board of Directors meeting
- Applications online October 4th

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- Common Application in ADS must be initiated by DIO
- Sub-specialty Application on specialty page (Word format)
- **New Application Deadlines:**
 - March 26-27, 2017 RC meeting-- December 2, 2016
 - September 2017 RC meeting -- June 2, 2017 (approx.)
 - Contact [Anne Gravel Sullivan](#) or [Sonia Sangha](#) with any questions.

Information Repository

Ann & Robert H. Lurie
Children's Hospital of Chicago

- ASRA Website Fellowship Directory
- E-mail list of all graduates of regional anesthesia fellowship programs
 - Approx 500 graduated fellows
- What this list allows us to determine.....where are they now and what they are doing!

The Training and Careers of Regional Anesthesia Fellows—1983-2002

Joseph M. Neal, M.D., Dan J. Kopacz, M.D., Gregory A. Liguori, M.D., James D. Beckman, M.D., and Mary J. Hargett, B.S.

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Survey

Ann & Robert H. Lurie
Children's Hospital of Chicago

- 12 programs surveyed
- Programs were contacted and asked for their graduate fellow information
- 77/176 (44%) responded
- 54/77 (70%) were from 2 institutions (VMC, BWH)
- 47/77 (61%) of respondents were from academic practices

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New 2013 Survey

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- Alumni from 47 programs surveyed
- 201/341* (59%) responded

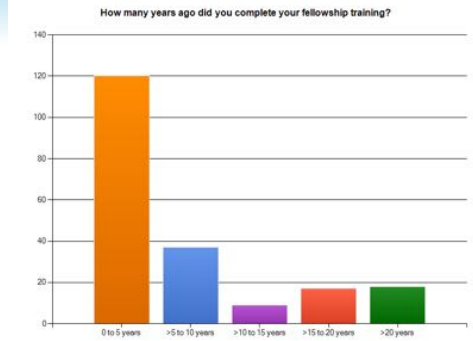
*371 Surveys Sent

- 28 Bounced Back
- 2 Opted Out of Survey

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"Demographics" of Fellowships in Regional Anesthesia and Acute Pain Medicine

	2002 (US/Canada)	2012 (US/Canada)
Number of programs	16 (12/4)	47 (39/8)
States with Fellowships	7	25
Cum. Fellows trained	176	430
Average number/year	9	30



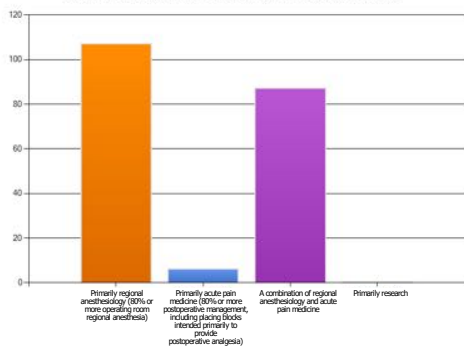
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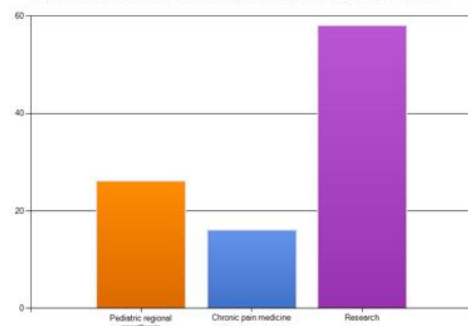
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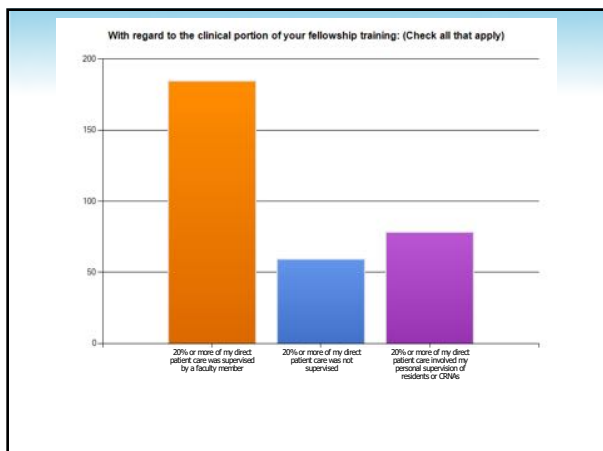


Which one of the following best describes your fellowship curriculum?



Did 20% or more of your fellowship involve specific training in? (Check all that apply)

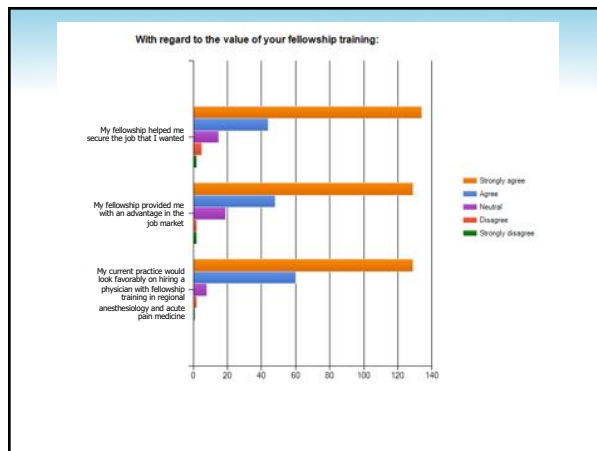




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Where are our graduate fellows practicing?

	2002	2012
Academic Practice	49%	53%
Private Practice	43%	23%
"Hybrid" Practice	8%	24%



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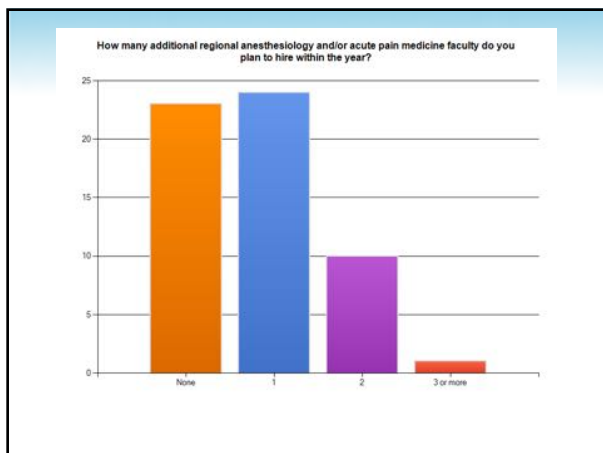
How are our graduate fellows "staying current"?

	2002	2012
Members of ASRA	73%	79%
Read RA Literature	92%	78% (RAPM)

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Academic Chairs Survey

	2002 (61)	2012 (58)
Additional RA faculty needed	2 (±2)	1 (±1)



What is it worth?

Impact of including regional anaesthesia in enhanced recovery protocols: a scoping review
 D. I. McIsaac^{1,2,3}, E. T. Cole¹ and C. J. L. McCartney^{1,2,3,*}
British Journal of Anaesthesia, 115 (52): 948-956 (2015)

- 58 studies
 - 37 RCT, 1 non-RCT
 - All inpatient, 55 elective

Flowchart of Outcomes:

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    ERP with RA → [Decreased PONV, Decreased pain, Improved mobility, Improved organ function] → [Decreased LOS, Decreased readmissions, Decreased complications] → [Population health outcomes, Patient experience, Lower per capita cost]
    
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Proximal outcomes: Decreased PONV, Decreased pain, Improved mobility, Improved organ function

Intermediary outcomes: Decreased LOS, Decreased readmissions, Decreased complications

Triple Aim: Population health outcomes, Patient experience, Lower per capita cost

- Of all studies, X% found..
 - 58% significant improvement in pain
 - 28% improved PONV outcomes
 - 46% mobility improved
 - 52% improved GI function
 - 42% shorter LOS
 - 5% lower readmissions
 - 27% decrease in adverse events
 - Consistent signal towards improved economic outcomes with RA included in ERPs
 - Need more value, based outcomes!

Pain and Cost Saving Case Study

TABLE 3. PACU-Associated Outcomes in Pediatric Patients Undergoing ACL Repair

Variable	Control (n = 36)	Nerve Block (n = 18)	P
PACU phase I stay, min	87 ± 37	82 ± 27	0.373
PACU phase II stay, min	102 ± 100	145 ± 76	0.014*
PACU episode, n(%)	0 (0%)	6 (33%)	<0.001*
PACU assessment, min	6 (17%)	7 (39%)	0.011*
PACU extubation	31 (86%)	11 (61%)	0.004*
PACU discharge	4 (11%)	9 (50%)	0.008*
URL	7 (19%)	8 (44%)	0.042*

Regional Anesthesia is Cost-Effective in Preventing Unanticipated Hospital Admission in Pediatric Patients Having Anterior Cruciate Ligament Reconstruction

TABLE 4. Peripheral Nerve Block Costs and Savings

Variable	No Ambulatory Pump		Ambulatory Pump	
	PNB in OR	PNB in Block Room	PNB in OR	PNB in Block Room
Itemized cost	\$55.27	\$55.27	\$294.14	\$294.14
Disposable supplies	n/a	n/a	\$47.01	\$47.01
all Consum	\$47.01	\$47.01	\$47.01	\$47.01
1x Single-shot PNB	\$79.82	\$79.82		
4x catheter PNB	\$74.81	\$74.81	\$82.39	\$82.39
6x Single-shot SNB	\$74.81	\$74.81	\$74.81	\$74.81
PNB in OR	\$69.00		\$127.50	
Added induction time	4 min		9 min	
Subtotal costs	\$112.91	\$252.91	\$625.85	\$498.35
Savings				
PNB in block room		(\$71.06)	(\$263.83)	(\$71.06)
100%		(\$263.83)	(\$263.83)	(\$263.83)
PACU 2 day?		(\$198.39)	(\$198.39)	(\$198.39)
Pharmacy		(\$5.71)	(\$5.71)	(\$5.71)
Subtotal savings		(\$427.91)	(\$427.91)	(\$500.34)
Total cost savings		\$115.00	\$230.00	\$197.99
			\$4.56	

*P < .05. n/a, not applicable. n, number of patients. n(%) indicates number of patients with nerve block. \$470.01, with nerve block, \$106.96. PACU 2 day, average cost across all patients undergoing ACL, without nerve block, \$470.01, with nerve block, \$488.65. Sum of subtotal savings minus subtotal cost. PNB indicates femoral nerve block, SNB, sciatic nerve block.



Summary

- Growth
- Initiatives
- Competition and Prospects

Critical Care Medicine Update

T. Miko Enomoto, M.D.

11/11/2016

1:40pm – 1:50pm

AASPD Subspecialty Update: Critical Care

Miko Enomoto, MD
Oregon Health Sciences University

Anesthesiology Critical Care Medicine

- 1985 ABMS approved ABA to issue certificates in Critical Care Medicine
- 1986 SOCCA formed
- 1986 ABA issued first board certification of special competence in CC
- 1988 ACGME accredited
- 2013 ABMS approved ABA/ABEM certification of EM physicians in ACCM

Numbers

	2014	2015	2016
APPLICANT DATA			
Applicant registrations	196	189	194
# Applicant Rank Lists Submitted	147	148	153
Matched Total	127	137	149
Unmatched Total	20	11	4
Applicant Matching % (Overall)	86%	93%	97%
Total # of Withdrawals	20	19	16
PROGRAM DATA			
# Of Participating Programs	47	49	52
Positions Offered	150	167	186
Positions Filled	127	137	149
Unfilled Positions	23	30	37

Match Process

- SF Match
- Common Application Service: new this year
- Standardized LOR: not yet using
- Exceptions to the Match

Match Timeline

	Date
Applicant Registration Begins	November 1, 2016
Rank List Submission Deadline	May 26, 2017
Results Released to Programs	June 2, 2017
Results Released to Applicants	June 2, 2017
Post-match vacancies posted	June 5, 2017
Fellowship Training Begins	July 2018

Exceptions to the Match

- Requires agreement from applicant and program
- Exceptions
 - Active military service
 - Commitment > 1 yr
 - Outside US at time of application
 - Not eligible for ABA certification
 - ‘Couples match’
 - Internal candidates

Issues with the ACCM Match

- Exception Process

	2014	2015	2016
Positions Offered	150	167	187
Exceptions	31	36	56

- Process
- Fairness
- Transparency
- Programs holding positions outside of match

Subspecialty Organization

- SOCCA
 - Formally sponsored 2013
- PDs meet 3 times a year
 - SAAA/ AASPD
 - SCCM: Honolulu, January 21, 2017
 - SOCCA/IARS: Washington, DC, May 6, 2017

Other Interests (?In Common)

- Discussion Board
- Common Competencies/ Collaboration
- Jobs in the Community & Academics
- Professional Development Opportunities for our PDs
- Critical Care Ultrasound

Pain Medicine Update

Gary J. Brenner, M.D., Ph.D.

11/11/2016

1:50pm – 2:00pm

2016 Pain Medicine Match

Year	Programs	Positions	Filled	% not matched	% US Grad	US FMG	Osteo	Inter 1
2014	82	261	256	36	73	8	9	10
2015	84	286	286	27	69	9	14	7
2016	90	305	303	37	71	10	14	5
2017	93	316	309	23	70	9	15	6

2016 Pain Medicine Certification Examination Pass Rates

Board	Total Candidates	# Passed	Pass Rate	Total First time takers	# Passed the first time	First Time Pass Rate
ABA	320	282	88%	287	261	91%
ABEM	1	0	0%	1	0	0%
ABFM	1	0	0%	0	-	-
ABPMR	79	70	89%	75	68	91%
ABPN	17	15	88%	16	15	94%
ABR	1	1	100%	1	1	100%

2016 Pain Medicine Recertification Examination Pass Rates

Board	Total Candidates	# Passed	Overall Pass Rate	Total First time takers	# Passed the first time	First Time Pass Rate
ABA	381	272	71%	319	233	73%
ABPMR	99	72	73%	78	60	77%
ABPN	14	9	64%	13	9	69%

Pediatric Anesthesiology Update

Susan Staudt, M.D.

11/11/2016

2:00pm – 2:10pm

Pediatric Anesthesiology Fellowships Metrics and Demographics ACGME Data (2015-16)

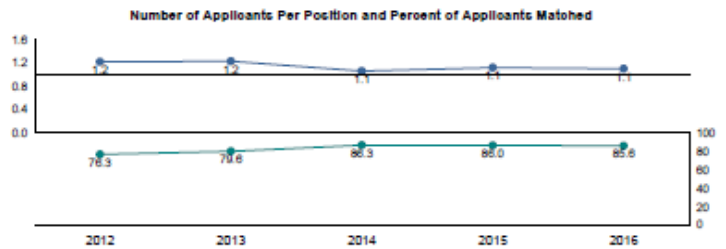
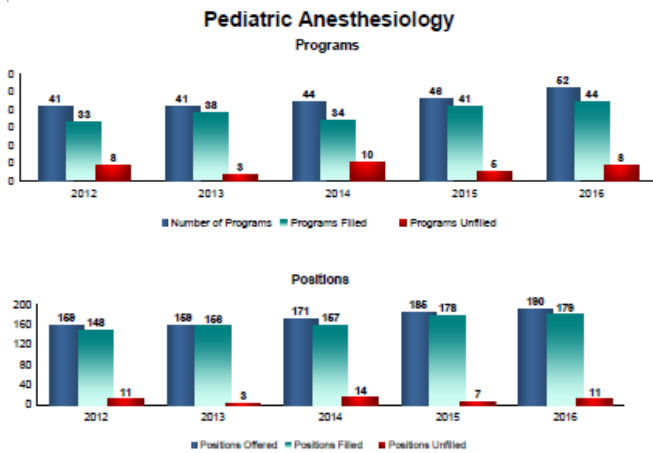
58 accredited acgme fellowships
 250 ACGME approved positions (27 = 11% unfilled)
 223 completed training AY 2015- 16
 Overall subspecialty training growth rate 2008-2016 = 8.9% (approved positions growth rate 10 %)
 Snapshots: **2008-** 43/130 **2011-** 46/185 **2016-** 58/223

NRMP Match 2016 for 2017 (NRMP data)

Match closed mid September
 Contiguous with pain, OB (crit care and adult CV in June SF match)
 53/58 programs in match 210 match positions- 193 filled /17 unfilled (vs 2016 52-190-11)

Prior Trends:

Fellowship Match Trends by Specialty and Appointment Year



Comments re: NRMP Match:

- Overall trend towards increased n of positions in match.
- Continue to have out of match offers -in general are unpopular with PD's and trainees (including trainees who have accepted same (data from PAPDA surveys 2013-15)
- Third year of common application migrating for 2017 to ERAS based
- NEW for 2017-using ERAS for application process- (centralized **verified** LOR process, test scores, transcripts-training reports)-no longer application on SPA site? Fall action item-1/2 programs representing about 40% of positions have not activated ERAS as yet-? PD Education vs a decision to not participate? -will be PAPDA fall discussion/action item.
- Looking Forward ? 2016-17 Agenda
 - ? Match all in? --PAPDA -future discussion -
 - ? Common calendar -unified match and application services for all anesthesia subspecialties? -we

Educational Initiatives:

- ACGME and ABA Initiatives:
 - Fellowship milestones under use and collection
 - Case log was revised and streamlined-not ideal instrument but is significantly improved
 - Dr Suresh to address PAPDA members/ hold Q and A at fall ASA PAPDA meeting (ABA and ACGME RRC rep)
- Common Goals and Objectives-general fellowship G and O were approved over a year ago and are housed on SPA site
 - Anticipate review/approval of critical care common goals/objectives at fall AASPD
 - aim is to complete process for pain, congenital CV by spring 2017 SPA
- Shared Evaluation Instruments and Curriculum Initiatives:
 - Focus of discussion and action at fall SAAC-AASPD meeting-desired outcome will be on dissemination of and shared trialling/modification of existing "donated" peer made instruments with ultimate goal of selection of some for multiple institution collaborative use/modification. Ultimate goal is instrument validation. Current initiatives: 1-PACA practice exam is

under validation study at present; in use by over 10 fellowships 2-combined program anesthesia simulation/boot camps growing in size and popularity

4. Shared education materials
 - A. SPA and PAPDA have agreed to contribute to the Anesthesia Toolbox.
 - B. PAPDA members feel need to outreach to core faculty SPA members for materials creation and will volunteer to peer review/edit same –agenda item for recruiting curriculum development and organizing editors is on the PAPDA meeting agenda
 - C. Milestones reports on graduates from ACGME programs will now be available to fellowships
 - D. Professionalism train the trainers education-SPA has continued to support and endorse this PALC initiative. Spring SPA to include 2 workshops in this focus area-one to introduce the existing toolbox and the second to facilitate programs personal development of take home curriculum.

Other-? Outreach and for discussion:

1. Set annual benchmarks for fellow attendance at minimum of one SPA or fall annual ASA meeting and track same? Membership drive to seek over 90% ASA and society membership?
2. Global health initiatives: ? PAPDA and SPA endorsements of short term global experiences for fellows in training?

2016 PAPDA Board:

Sam Yanofsky MD, MEd, Past President
Susan Staudt MD MEd, President (2016-18)
Franklyn Cladis , President –Elect (2016-18; 2018-20)
Justin Lockman, Secretary

Robert, Brislin, DO BOD Member
Debnath Chaterjee, MD BOD Member
Louise Furukawa, MD BOD Member

PAPDA Vision and mission Statements and goals summary - Established 2013:

Exemplary pediatric anesthesiology education and perioperative care for children worldwide

Mission

The Pediatric Anesthesiology Program Directors Association (PAPDA) purpose is to promote advanced clinical training in perioperative care for pediatric patients by providing the highest quality education to future pediatric anesthesiologists with emphasis on clinical excellence, lifelong scholarship, professional development, personal wellness and career mentorship. THE PAPDA will become the primary source of regulatory and educational information for program directors in ACGME-approved pediatric anesthesiology fellowship programs.

Goals

1. **Programs and Members:** support academic advancement and growth
2. **Education:** improve the quality of pediatric anesthesiology education through dissemination of best practices of medical education
3. **Outreach:** to advance pediatric anesthesiology through national and international education initiatives

ACTA Update

Mark Stafford-Smith, M.D., C.M., F.R.C.P.C., F.A.S.E.

11/11/2016

2:10pm – 2:20pm

AASPD Panel: Update from the Subs: What have we learned & where are we going? : Adult Cardiothoracic Anesthesia (ACTA) Update

SAAA 2016 Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
 Mark Stafford Smith, MD, CM, FRCP(C)

The ACTA Fellowship was ACGME approved in 2007, but remains without a certification exam (see below). A summary of current topics and issues being discussed by the ACTA PDs and affecting the ACTA Fellowships are outlined below.

ACTA Fellowship Match:

Four successful matches using SF Match have occurred since 2013 (see below). In the 2016 match there was a notable increase (~25%) in the number of ACTA applicants, relative to the previous 3 years. Sixty of sixty three ACGME-approved ACTA programs (95.3%), representing 199 of 207 (95.7%) total positions participated in the 2016 match. Many of the withdrawals each year have been attributable to individuals matching to a 2 year fellowship involving an ICU fellowship first, followed by an ACTA fellowship – this trend appears to be increasing. The ACTA Fellowship Directors continue to use a handful of identified situations (e.g., applicant from home program, 2-year program), to allow pre-match “agreements” documented through an SCA website tool, where PDs and applicants agree to rank each other to match – these have been occurring at a rate of approximately 40 per year. The content of the electronic application for the 2017 match has been updated to include ABA Basic, and COMLEX scores, and an optional photo (after interview acceptance).

Adult Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology Fellowship	June 2013	June 2014	June 2015	June 2016
APPLICANT DATA				
Applicant Registrations	267	268	268	331
# Applicant Rank Lists Submitted	230	213	211	258
Matched Total	166	172	182	199
Unmatched Total	64	41	29	59
Applicant Matching % (Overall)	72%	81%	86%	77%
Total # of Withdrawals	9	21	14	25
PROGRAM DATA				
# of Participating Programs	54	55	57	60
Positions Offered	168	174	183	199
Positions Failed	166	172	182	199
Unfilled Positions	2	2	1	0

Timelines for the upcoming June 2017 Match are as follows.

Timelines:

- Friday, Nov. 11, 2016 Applicant registration begins
- Wednesday, Feb. 1, 2017 CAS deadline (suggested)
- Monday, June 5, 2017 Rank lists must be submitted by 12 PM (Pacific)
- Monday, June 19, 2017 Match results available to programs/applicants
- Wednesday, June 21, 2017 Vacancies listed on SF Match

Fellow/Program Director Questionnaire:

Using the (generously offered) pediatric anesthesia fellowship questionnaire tool as a model, a task force (Shook/Ural/Augoustides) has edited and modified the document with input from PDs at the ASA meeting to be pertinent to the ACTA fellowship. The intention is to circulate the document to current (2016-17) fellows/PDs - timing still to be determined.

ACGME Case Log:

The previously published version was intended for July 2016 roll out but was deemed inadequate and withdrawn. A task force (Sniecinski, Shook, Stafford Smith) generated a revised template developed with input from the PDs which was provided to the ACGME for formatting, and is currently in an advanced stage of development – the intention is that the tool can produce TEE printouts for TEE certification as well as provide a log for the Fellowship itself – hopefully this will be available for the July 2017 start date.

Fellow Web Seminars:

A task force has been formed (Weitzel, Bottiger, Ahlgren, Stafford Smith) to investigate formats, technologies and tools for creating online media (videos, podcasts etc.), to complement the already-existing 15 presentations constituting the SCA fellowship lecture series, for use by ACTA fellowships through the SCA website. Two prototypes were developed, and reviewed by the PDs at the ASA PD meeting and were well received. Suggested topics and other ideas are currently being solicited from the PDs and others for further development of this initiative. The SCA Board is in support, and opportunities for the use of such educational resources beyond the Fellowships are being discussed.

ACTA Fellowship Certification:

A strong perception of the PDs, voiced unanimously at the ASA meeting as on previous occasions, is that the demands of the TEE certification exam during the ACTA fellowship distract from a balanced learning experience. The belief is that a comprehensive certification exam covering all aspects of ACTA anesthesia would re-balance this disequilibrium. The ABA and other options are currently being explored as viable SCA-sponsored pathways towards such a certification exam.

OB Anesthesia Update

Elizabeth H. Ellinas, M.D.

11/11/2016

2:20pm – 2:30pm

OB ANESTHESIA FELLOWSHIP UPDATE

SESSION

LIBBY ELLINAS, MD

CHIEF OF OB ANESTHESIA

PROGRAM DIRECTOR OB ANESTHESIA FELLOWSHIP

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR FACULTY AFFAIRS AND WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP

MEDICAL COLLEGE OF WISCONSIN

No disclosures.

NRMP MATCH RESULTS OB ANESTHESIA

OB Anesthesia has participated in its second NRMP Match.

THIS YEAR'S MATCH (2016):

Oct 5, 2016 for Fellows Entering July 2017:

PROGRAMS: No non-accredited OB Fellowship programs participated in the Match this year. There are currently 31 ACGME accredited programs in OB Anesthesia.

- 26 participated in this year's Match with *at least one* of their positions, for a participation rate of 84% -- above the 75% NRMP suggested threshold for success.
- 11 programs that participated in the Match filled (42.3% of 26);
- 15 programs that participated in the Match have at least one position remaining unfilled. (57.7% of 26)

POSITIONS: There are 55 accredited positions in OB Anesthesia.

- 43 of those positions were available in the Match (78% of 55) – above the 75% NRMP suggested threshold for success.
- 12 positions filled outside the Match in accredited programs.
- 26 positions filled in the Match (60% of 43 in the match; 47% of 55 total accredited positions)
- 17 of the in-Match positions were unfilled. (40% of 43; 31% of 55)

THE 2015 MATCH: was quite similar.

THOUGHTS REGARDING THE MATCH:

- Continue participation
- Promote the specialty by emphasizing the ACOG levels of care and their emphasis on Fellowship-Trained Anesthesiologists for the higher levels.

PLANS FOR STANDARDIZED FILLABLE FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION FORM

- Approval from the Pediatric Anesthesiology Fellowship to use their form, with thanks to John Eck (creator of peds form), Susan Staudt, and the SPA BOD.
- SOAP Business Team will put on website with link
- Will use the form mostly unchanged except for the "Extended Questions."
 - Consider such questions as "If your department received \$1million, how would you spend it, and why?"

- Impetus was that the time spent in person with candidates seems to be getting less and less.

WEBINARS

- We will have completed 4 years of monthly webinars in December 2020!
- Always 2nd Wednesday of month noon Pacific
- Speakers can use this on their CVs as a “invited national lecture.”
- Programs can use these lectures (ACGME approval obtained) within their own curricula if a faculty member watches with the fellow, and discusses the supplementary papers attached to each lecture.
- Future plan is to try to obtain outside speakers (e.g. from Maternal-Fetal-Medicine/CCM/Cardiac, etc.), international speakers, or unusual topics for programs – e.g. Drug Abuse or Psychiatric Disorders in Pregnancy.

Critical Care Subspecialty Breakout

Ahmed M. Darwish, M.D.

T. Miko Enomoto, M.D.

11/11/2016

3:45pm – 5:30pm

SAAA / AASPD

Critical Care Breakout Session

Friday, November 11, 2016

3:45-5:30 pm

Miko Enomoto, Chair

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. ACCM Match
 - a. Results of 2016 Match
 - b. Common Application Service
 - c. Timeline for 2017 Match
 - d. Exception Process Updates
3. Group Governance
4. Task Force Updates
 - a. Out Reach
 - b. CAS/ Standardized Letter
 - c. Critical Care Ultrasound
 - d. Critical Care Anesthesiology Jobs
 - e. SOCCA Interchange
5. Upcoming meetings
6. Teaching Communication Skills to Our Fellows, Silvia Perez Protto

OB Anesthesia Subspecialty Breakout

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11/11/2016

3:45pm – 5:30pm

OB ANESTHESIA FELLOWSHIP BREAKOUT SESSION

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Discussion Topics:

1. Webinars – attendance, speakers, request suggestions for future changes
2. Common Application for OB Anesthesia – permission received from the Pediatric Fellowship to use their form, with thanks to Susan Staudt and John Eck.
3. Match results and discussion – please see info in OB Anesthesia Match Session
4. Other business as required.

Pain Medicine Subspecialty Breakout

Bryan C. Hoesler, M.D.

11/11/2016

3:45pm – 5:30pm




Association of Pain Program Directors: 2016

Bryan Hoelzer M.D.
President-elect: Association of Pain Program Directors






Disclosures

- None


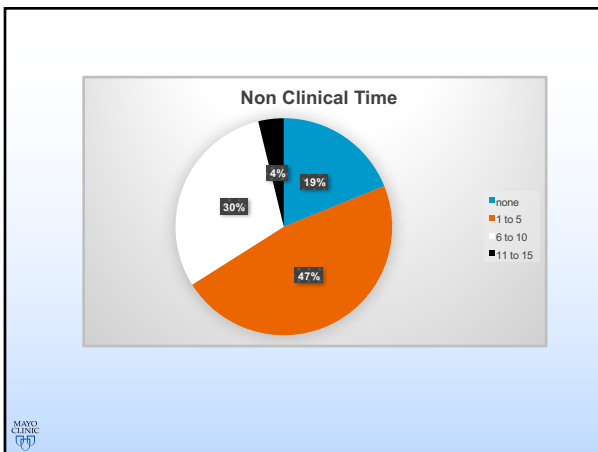



Objectives

- Review the 2017 match
- Review the Pain Medicine ACGME Program requirements for Medical Knowledge competencies
- List the Medical Knowledge Competencies. IV.A.5.b) to IV.A.5.b).(4).(n)
- Identify area where Program Directors have weaknesses in their Curriculum
- Introduce the website content being developed by the APPD
- Simulation is Pain Fellowship training





Year	Programs	Positions	Filled	% not matched	%US Grad	US FMG	Osteo	Inter'l
2014	82	261	256	36	73	8	9	10
2015	84	286	286	27	69	9	14	7
2016	90	305	303	37	71	10	14	5
2017	93	316	309	23	70	9	15	6

Future Directions of APPD?

- Ranked as Very Important
- Access to Educational Content (70%)



Introducing a Pain Medicine Fellowship Educational Resource:

The Association of Pain Program Directors' New Website

Scott Brancolini, MD, MPH

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 Program Director, Pain Medicine Fellowship
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 Department of Anesthesiology/Pain Medicine Division
 SAAA – 11/11/16
 AASPD Pain Medicine Fellowship Breakout Session

ACGME Competencies

- Practice Based Learning and Improvement
- Systems Based Practice
- Professionalism
- Interpersonal Skill and Communication
- Patient Care
- **Medical Knowledge**

Pain Medicine ACGME Medical Knowledge Competencies

- https://www.acgme.org/Portals/o/PFAssets/ProgramRequirements/530_pain_medicine_2016_1-YR.pdf
- **IV.A.5.b) Medical Knowledge**
- **Fellows must demonstrate knowledge of established and evolving biomedical, clinical, epidemiological and social-behavioral sciences, as well as the application of this knowledge to patient care.**

Dear Colleagues, Don't Worry.

- I promise I will not read aloud all of the following items.
- Hang on for a few slides, my point is coming soon!

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b).(1) assessment of pain
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(a) anatomy, physiology and pharmacology of pain transmission and modulation
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(b) natural history of various musculoskeletal pain disorders
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(c) general principles of pain evaluation and management including neurological exam, musculoskeletal exam, psychological assessment
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(d) indicators and interpretation of electro-diagnostic studies: X-Rays, MRI, CT, and clinical nerve function studies
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(e) pain measurement in humans, both experimental and clinical

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b).(1).(f) psychosocial aspects of pain, including cultural and cross-cultural considerations
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(g) taxonomy of pain syndromes
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(h) pain of spinal origin, including radicular pain, zygapophysial joint disease, and discogenic pain
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(i) myofascial pain
- IV.A.5.b).(1).(j) neuropathic pain

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(1).(k) headache and orofacial pain
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(l) rheumatological aspects of pain
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(m) complex regional pain syndrome
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(n) visceral pain
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(o) urogenital pain
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(p) cancer pain, including palliative and hospice care

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(1).(q) acute pain
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(r) frequent psychiatric and pain co-morbidities, which include substance-related mood, anxiety, somatoform, factitious, and personality disorders
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(s) the effects of pain medications on mental status
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(t) assessment of pain in special populations, including patients with ongoing substance abuse, the elderly, pediatric patients, pregnant women, the physically disabled, and the cognitively impaired
- IV.A.5.b.(1).(u) functional and disability assessment

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(2) treatment of pain
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(a) Drug Treatment I: opioids
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(b) Drug Treatment II: antipyretic analgesics
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(c) Drug Treatment III: antidepressants, anticonvulsants, and miscellaneous drugs
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(d) psychological and psychiatric approaches to treatment, including cognitive-behavioral therapy, psychosocial therapies and treatment of psychiatric illness
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(e) prescription drug detoxification concepts
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(f) functional and vocational rehabilitation
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(g) surgical approaches

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(2).(h) complementary and alternative treatments in pain management
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(i) treatments that comprise multidisciplinary cancer pain care
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(j) strategies to integrate pain management into the treatment model
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(k) hospice and multidimensional treatments that comprise palliative care; and
- IV.A.5.b.(2).(l) treatment of pain in pediatric patients
- IV.A.5.b.(3) general topics, research, and ethics; including

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(3).(a) epidemiology of pain
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(b) gender issues in pain
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(c) placebo response
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(d) multidisciplinary pain medicine
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(e) organization and management of a pain center
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(f) Continuing Quality Improvement, Utilization Review, and Program Evaluation
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(g) patient and provider safety

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b.(3).(h) designing, reporting, and interpreting clinical trials of treatment for pain
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(i) ethical standards in pain management and research
- IV.A.5.b.(3).(j) animal models of pain, ethics of animal experimentation
- IV.A.5.b.(4) interventional pain treatment, including
- IV.A.5.b.(4).(a) selection criteria for a broad range of interventions and an understanding of the risks and potential advantages of these interventions
- IV.A.5.b.(4).(b) airway management skills
- IV.A.5.b.(4).(c) sedation/analgesia

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b).(4).(d) fluoroscopic imaging and radiation safety
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(e) pharmacology of local anesthetics and other injectable medications, including radiographic contrast agents and steroid preparations
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(e).(i) This must include treatment of local anesthetic systemic toxicity
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(f) trigger point injections
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(g) peripheral and cranial nerve blocks and ablation
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(h) spinal injections including epidural injections: interlaminar, transforaminal, nerve root sheath injections, and zygapophysial joint injections

ACGME Pain Medicine Competencies

- IV.A.5.b).(4).(i) discography and intradiscal/percutaneous disc treatments
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(j) joint and bursal injections, including sacroiliac, hip, knee, and shoulder joint injections
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(k) sympathetic ganglion blocks
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(l) epidural and intrathecal medication management
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(m) spinal cord stimulation
- IV.A.5.b).(4).(n) intrathecal drug administration systems

THAT'S A LOT OF WORDS.
THAT'S A LOT OF CONTENT.

- Wouldn't it be nice to not have to worry about this?
- We are here to help!

The APPD Website

- <http://www.appdhq.org/>
- New educational content design
 - Lectures comprised to satisfy all ACGME Pain Medicine Medical Knowledge Competencies
 - Maximize fellow education
 - Eliminate concern for not fulfilling ACGME requirements for site visits
 - A joint national effort

The APPD Website

- Thank you to all contributors.
- We request with your kind permission to use some of your slides for the new content.
- It's ok to say no.
- But your cooperation would be great appreciated!
- All credit will be given when your slides are used.

Where we are...

APPD Website- Educational Content Upgrade Project 2016-2017					Key to content
Scott Brumfield, MD, MPH, Program Director, Assistant Professor, CPAC Pain Medicine Fellowship					Lectures completed
http://www.acgme.org/Portals/0/PDFs/ProgramRequirements/2016_pain_medicine_program_4_18.pdf					No content
					Blank but lacking content
					Blank - some fully partial content, not yet started
# ACGME Medical Knowledge Competency	Content Module Content	Content Number?	Author	Revision Number	Done
1. Anatomy, physiology and pharmacology of pain transmission Pathology of Cervical and Lumbar Spine and neck/shoulder	Cervical Anatomy Spinal Cord Introduction Syringomyelia-Complex Blocks Neurolytic Pain	None Added?	Hubert		
2. Natural history of various musculoskeletal pain disorders: osteoarthritis, pain, and trigger point injections	Myofascial Pain	No	Arpette, Argyle, Bransford		Done
3. General principles of pain evaluation and management including nonpharmacologic, musculoskeletal, chronic, psychological assessment	Lumbar Spine Intervention	No	Bransford, Hubert		Done
4. Indications and contraindications of electro-diagnostic studies: Pathology of Cervical and Lumbar Spine Cervical Anatomy		None Added?	Bransford, Hubert		Done
5. Pain measurement in animals and humans, both experimental/Animal Models of Pain and clinical, placebo response		Yes - for human models and placebo	Bransford, Hubert		Animal portion completed.
6. Psychological aspects of pain, including cultural and cross-cultural considerations	Psychology in Chronic Pain	Yes - regarding cultural and cross-cultural considerations	Bransford, Hubert		Psychology portion completed.

Taxonomy of pain syndromes	Nothing specific	No	Essential	Done
Pain of spinal origin, including radicular pain, myofascial pain, and neuropathic pain	Spinal Disease, Lumbar Spine Interventions	More detail?	Essential, Modest, Wabud	Done
Neurospinal pain & Post-Surgical Numbalgia	Neurospinal Pain, Post-Surgical Numbalgia	No	Essential, Mod, Wabud	Done
Headache and orofacial pain	Headache and Facial Pain, Cervicogenic Headache	No	Essential, Wabud	Done
Rheumatological aspects of pain	Nothing	Yes	Essential/Modest	
Complex Regional Pain Syndrome	CRPS 1 & 2	No	Essential/Modest	
Visceral Pain	Thoracic and Abdominal Pain	Yes	Essential - abdominal pain	
Chronic Pain	Thoracic and Abdominal Pain	Yes, need longitudinal pain content	Essential - cancer related	
Cancer Pain including Palliative and hospice care, and interdisciplinary care	Cancer Epidemiology, Cancer Pain Interventions	Yes, need palliative, hospice, and interdisciplinary care content	Essential - cancer related	
Acute pain	Nothing	Yes	Essential/Modest	
Emergent psychiatric and pain comorbidities, which include substance use disorder, anxiety, somatization, depression, and personality disorders	Psychiatric Pain, Substance Abuse	Yes, need personality disorder and anxiety content	Essential/Modest	
Special populations - Geriatrics and Gender	Geriatric Pain	Yes, gender related		
Special populations - Pregnancy/Obstetrics	Obstetric Pain	No		
Special populations - Pediatrics	Nothing	No	Essential, Pediatric	
Special populations - Physically disabled and cognitively impaired	Nothing	Yes		
Functional and disability assessment	Nothing	Yes		
Opoids	Opoids	No		
NSAIDs and Acetaminophen	Long Term Opioid Therapy for CNMP	Yes	Essential	
Antidepressants	Pharmacology of Muscle Relaxants, SSRIs, and Opioids	No	Essential - additional antidepressant	
Anticonvulsants	Nothing	Yes	Essential	Done
Psychological and psychiatric approaches to treatment including cognitive behavioral therapy, behavioral therapy and treatment of psychiatric illness	Psychiatry in Chronic Pain, Nothing more specific about psychiatric treatments	Yes, nothing more specific about psychiatric treatments		
Prevention drug utilization strategies	Nothing	Yes		
Functional and vocational rehabilitation	Nothing	Yes		
Surgical Approaches	Basic Surgical Skills	Yes, more information and procedures	Essential - necessary/surgical skills	
Complementary and alternative treatments in pain	Nothing	Yes		

Organization and management of a pain center and interdisciplinary pain medicine	Nothing	Yes		
Other: pain management, research, and clinical experimentation	Nothing	Yes		
Pharmacology imaging and radiation safety	Radiology of Cervical and Lumbar Spine	Yes - radiation safety	Essential - Fluoroscopy images	
Local Anesthetics and treatment of toxicity	Cervical Spine Anatomy	Yes	Essential	Done
Radiofrequency contrast agents and steroid preparation	Nothing	Yes	Essential before	
Spinal Injection: IVD, TVD, Nerve root Block, Zygoparsial	Lumbar Spine Intervention	Yes, TVD, zygapophysial	Essential, Essential before on all levels	Essential: ASIA - Best
Diagnosis and interventional/percutaneous disc treatment	Cervicography of Intervertebral Disc Procedures	Yes, per disc needed	Essential	
Joint and neural injections, including cervical, hip, knee, and lumbar spine intervention		Yes, need hip, knee, shoulder details		Done - Most details volved
Sympathetic ganglion blocks	Sympathetic Ganglion Blocks			
Epidermal and intrathecal medication management, intrathecal IVD, P, A, IVD, Opioid delivery systems	Pharmacology, IVD, Transdermal drug delivery systems	No		
Spinal cord stimulation	Spinal Cord Stimulation	No		


The APPD Website Future

- Key word database
- Resources materials
- Videos of pain procedures
- Audio recorded lectures
- A way to build your CV for promotion
- Possible peer reviewed publication

Thank you!

- Please contact me if you are interested
- Please refer to your handout

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Simulation in Pain Medicine Training

Bryan Hoelzer M.D.

Objectives

- Creating a positive learning environment
- Why do simulation
- Picking scenarios
- Set-up tips



Create the Right Environment

- Outline the positive benefits of the exercise
- Emphasize that the point is improvement NOT measurement
- Share the feelings you have had during simulation exercises



Why do Simulation?



What are my fellows **thinking** and how will they **respond** in critical situations?



Critical Skills Taught in Simulation

Critical event recognition	Crisis management
Teamwork	Patient care handoffs
ACLS algorithm	Empathetic listening
Vital sign pattern recognition	Closed-loop communication
Communication skills	Group dynamics



Picking Scenarios



Possible Simulation Scenarios


Total spinal following a stellate ganglion injection	Pneumothorax following a stellate ganglion block
Seizure following a stellate ganglion injection	Bradycardia and Vasovagal reaction during a cervical injection
Seizure following a TAP block	Progressing epidural hematoma
Lost airway during sedation	Recognition of anterior spinal syndrome during a transforaminal injection
Pneumothorax following intercostal blocks	Inadvertent pocket fill during an intrathecal pump refill
Severe pain on injection	Non-compliant (moving) patient during injection
Equipment (fluoroscopy) failure during procedure	



Possible Difficult Conversation Scenarios	
Disclosing a wrong-sided procedure	Discussing a procedural complication with a patient or family member
Discussing end-of-life issues with a terminal patient	Utilizing a translator
Discontinuing opioid therapy in a combative patient	Discussing an unexpected finding during a toxicology screening
Patient consent	Neuritis following radiofrequency ablation


Scenario examples

- Tape



Scenario Examples

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Set up Tips

Scenarios

- Base them on what makes you uncomfortable
 - Think about difficult situations you have encountered
- Keep them fairly simple
 - Try to focus on one concept

Environment

- Make it as close to the real thing as possible
- Don't over think the details
- Be a part of the scenario

Debriefing

- Start with open ended questions
 - How did that feel?
 - What went well?
 - What was difficult?
- Let other learners provide feedback
 - Gives a team sense to the simulation
- Always find and emphasize the positives



Simulation Room



Standardized Patient Script	
20-26-17-17-17	
<p>Scenario title: Telling a patient a procedure was performed on the wrong side.</p> <p>Target audience: Pain Medicine Fellows (PF)</p> <p>Scenario brief synopsis: The PF will have just completed a cervical suboccipital injection (during course in the week). This is a procedure done at C2-3 and C3-4 to treat patients in the neck when a nerve root is being compressed. The PF will notice that the procedure was performed on the wrong side.</p> <p>Feedback: The PF will notice the technician came to talk with the patient. It will be clear that the procedure was done on the wrong side.</p> <p>Facility point: The scenario will end once the PF has met the objectives and has answered all questions from the patient.</p> <p>Objectives learner need to achieve:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PF will explain the mistake to the wrong side. • PF will describe what the patient can expect from a sensory neural pain. • PF will reassure the patient that they will not personally be re-embolizing the wrong side. • PF will listen to the patient's concerns. <p>Setting in a simulated: outpatient surgical center.</p> <p>Age/Gender of SP: age 30-70. Gender does not matter.</p> <p>Chief Complaint (Problem): lower right sided neck and hand pain.</p> <p>Social History: No tobacco or alcohol use.</p>	<p>Behavior: The SP will express frustration over the complication and have extensive questions about the progress of the complication. They will be fairly understanding and even mention possible law suit.</p> <p>Action lines (what you need the actor to portray verbally):</p> <p>How did this happen?</p> <p>Did I not have my own patient doing the wrong side?</p> <p>I've heard of these types of things happening elsewhere but I would not expect it at Mayo.</p> <p>May neck and hand are much worse today on the wrong side. How long will this last?</p> <p>Will I have to pay for this?</p> <p>When can I get the correct side done?</p> <p>I want to file a complaint?</p> <p>I've never met one the attorney will be someone looking for this happened.</p> <p>Overall, the SP will be open that the wrong side was done. Their concerns will focus on three areas: "A) What damage has been done to the wrong side?" "B) What can the correct side be done?" "C) What is going to be done?" They will be disappointed for the mistake and be even more frustrated by the fact that they will have to take time off work to get the correct side done.</p> <p>History of present illness (if applicable): N/A</p>



Thank You!

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