





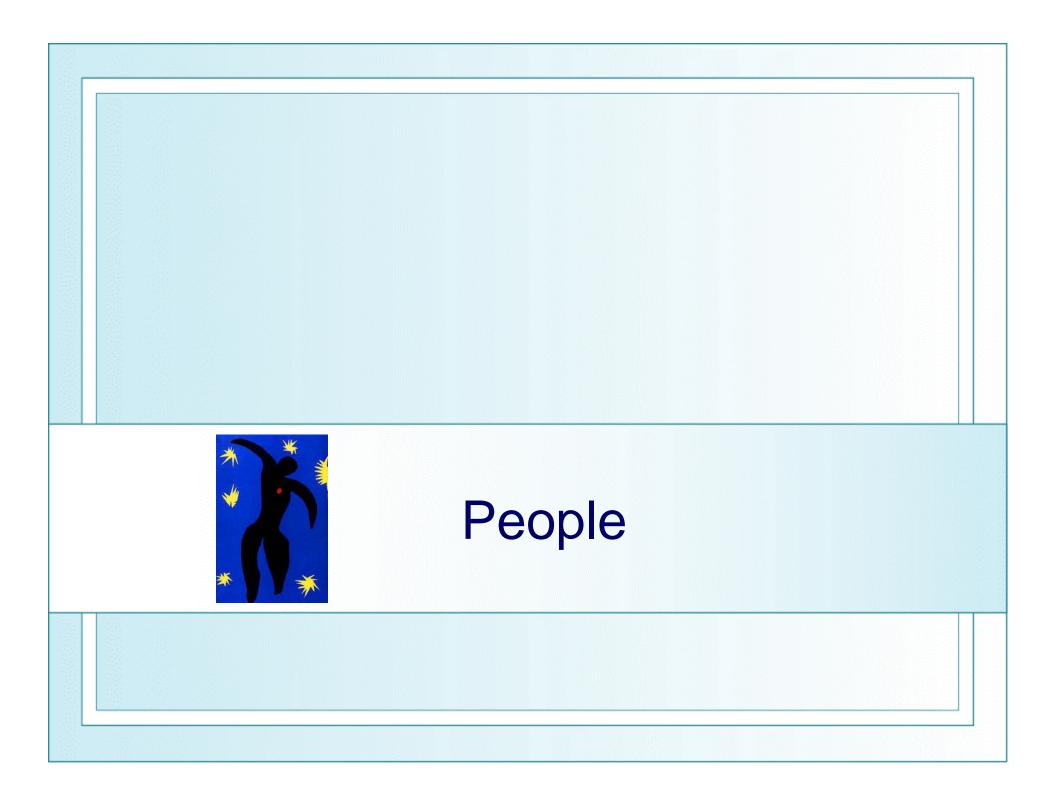


State of the Section – 2005 General Internal Medicine

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Boston University School of Medicine and Boston Medical Center

Overview Section of General Internal Medicine

- People
- Programs
- Events
- Accomplishments



General Internal Medicine 2005



Administrative

- Debra Paarz Administrator
- Nervene Browne Office Manager (MAT 2)
- Ann Farrell Office Manager (DOB 11)
- Veronica Forde GIM Fellowship Coordinator
- Sarah Ma Grants Manager
- Lisa Morin Executive Assistant
- Jenay Nasif Office Manager (ACC-5)
 - Stable, efficient, helpful, hardworking

Past Year Faculty Hired ('04 –'05)



- Benson Chu, MD, PhD
 - Medical School: University of Massachusetts
 - Residency: BUSM, Chief Resident



- Theresa Kim, MD
 - > Medical School: BUSM
 - > Residency: Cambridge Hospital, Chief Resident
 - > Fellowship: General Internal Medicine, BUSM

Past Year Faculty Hired ('04 –'05)



- Elaine Hylek, MD, MPH
 - Medical School: University of Pittsburgh
 - Residency: Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH)
 - > Fellowship: General Internal Medicine, MGH



- Renee McKinney, MD
 - Medical School: University of Massachusetts
 - > Residency: Cambridge Hospital, Chief Resident

New Faculty Recruits ('05 – '06)



Melissa DiPetrillo, MD (Clinical – Educator DOB 5)

Medical School: BUSM

Residency: BUSM



Catherine Rich, MD (Clinical – Educator CMG)

Medical School: BUSM

Residency: BUSM



Chi Huang, MD (Hospitalist – BMC)

Medical School: Harvard Medical School

 Residency: Medicine and Pediatrics – Brigham and Women's Hospital, MGH, Children's Hospital

New Faculty Recruits ('05 – '06)



- Brian Dalton, MD (Hospitalist Quincy Medical Center [QMC])
 - Medical School: University of Massachusetts
 - Residency: BUSM



- Anand Kartha, MD, MSc (Hospitalist West Roxbury VAMC)
 - Medical School: University of Bombay
 - Residency: Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh
 - > Fellowship: General Internal Medicine, BUSM

Departing Faculty

- Rose Duver, MD
- Arthur Eskew, MD
- Georgette Jeanty, MD
- Tevis Gearan, MD
- Sara Nuciforo, MD
- John Rich, MD, MPH

GIM Units and Directors

- Hospital Medicine Unit
 - > Jeffrey Greenwald, MD
- Community Medicine Unit
 - Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH
- Clinical Addiction Research & Education Unit
 - Rich Saitz, MD, MPH
- Women's Health Unit
 - Karen Freund, MD, MPH
- Medical Information Systems Unit
 - Robert Friedman, MD
- Health Care Research Unit
 - Arlene Ash, PhD

GIM Clinical Leadership

- Peter Davidson, MD
 - Associate Chief, Clinical Services
- Jason Worcester, MD
 - Director, Yawkey Primary Care Clinic
- Adriana Cervantes, MD
 - Director, Doctor's Office Building (DOB) Primary Care Clinic
- Elizabeth Dupuis, MD
 - Director, Women's Health Group
 - Director, Primary Care Clinic, QMC
- Steven Abreu, MD
 - Director, Primary Care Clinic, Commonwealth Medical Group (CMG)

Clinic Staff Leadership

- Ann Piette, Clinic Practice Manager (Yawkey ACC-3)
- Jennifer Coleman, Team Coordinator (Yawkey ACC-3)
- Cynthia Lin, Team Coordinator (Yawkey ACC-3)
- Jennifer Furlonge, Practice Manager (DOB4&5, QMC, CMG)
- Janet Sterling, Team Coordinator (DOB5)
- Joan McCormack, Assistant Nurse Manager (DOB5)
- Jonathan Mills, Assistant Nurse Manager (DOB5)

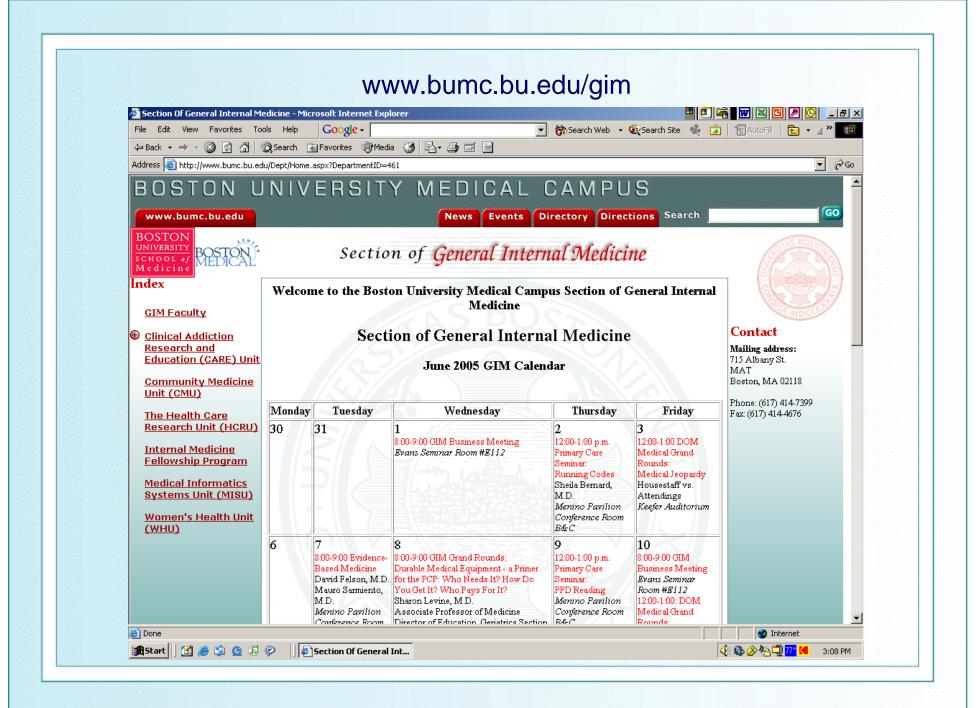
Nurse Practitioners

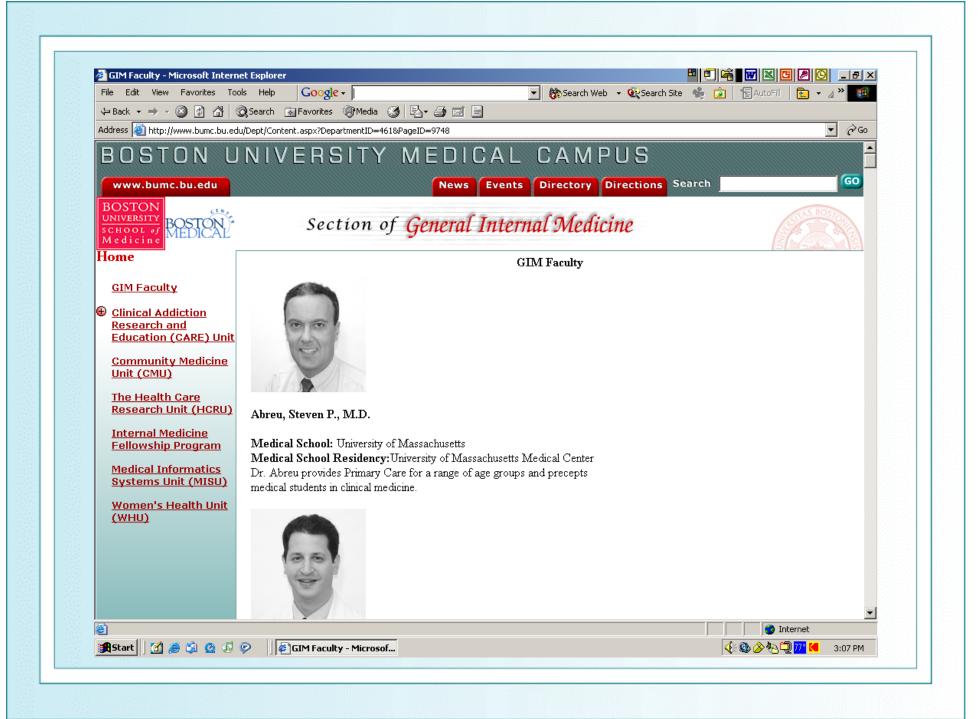
- Susan Morrissey, NP (Yawkey ACC-5)
- Eunice MacAllister, NP (WHG DOB4)

BUSM Deans (from GIM)

- Phyllis Carr, MD
 - Associate Dean for Student Affairs
- Bob Witzburg, MD
 - Associate Dean for Admissions
- Suzanne Sarfaty, MD
 - > Assistant Dean for Student Affairs

GIM Website Advances 2004-2005









Programs

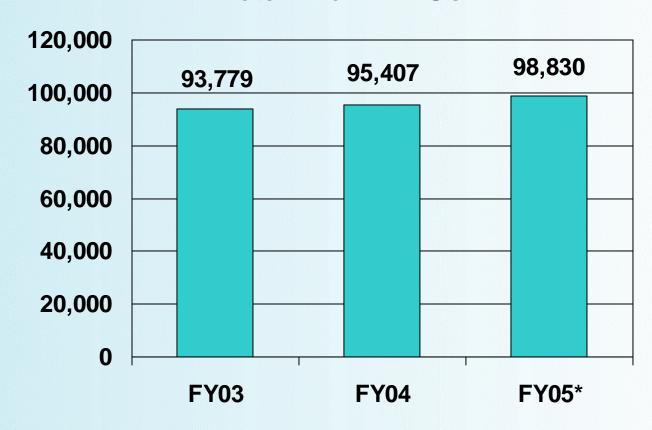


Primary Care

- Yawkey (BMC-ACC)
- Doctor's Office Building (BMC-DOB)
- Women's Health Group (WHG)
- Commonwealth Medical Group (CMG)
- Quincy Medical Center (QMC)

BMC Outpatient and Inpatient Clinical Productivity

Total Work RVUs



* Period 11 projection

GIM Clinic Attending

Primary care clinic sessions at BMC in which BUSM students are precepted

Academic Year	# Clinic Sessions	% Change (prior year)
2002 – 2003	700	
2003 – 2004	750	+7
2004 – 2005	640	-14

ICM* Teaching

- Michele David, MD, MPH
- David Halle, MD
- Warren Hershman, MD, MPH
- Angela Jackson, MD
- Anand Kartha, MD, MSc[†]
- John Noble, MD
- Stephanie Page, MD[†]
- Subha Ramani, MD, MPH
- Carolina Takizawa, MD[†]
- Keith Williams, MD[†]
- Jason Worcester, MD

*Introduction to Clinical Medicine
†GIM Fellow

EBM* Teaching

Julien Dedier, MD, MPH

Warren Hershman, MD, MPH

Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH

*Evidence Based Medicine

Community Medicine Unit Faculty Outpatient and Inpatient Attendings

- Julie Crosson, MD (Dorchester House)
- Georgette Jeanty, MD (Private Practice)
- Jessie McCary, MD (McInnis Group)
- Unique Michaud, MD (Codman Square NHC)
- Jonathan Pincus, MD (Codman Square NHC)
- Sam Putnam, MD
 (E. Boston NHC)

- Vicki Rieder, MD
 (E. Boston NHC)
- Naeem Sajjad, MD (E. Boston NHC)
- Amal Sawires, MD (E. Boston NHC)
- Bernardo Selim, MD (E. Boston NHC)
- Carl Singletary, MD (Private Practice)
- Steven Simon, MD (E. Boston NHC)

Department of Medicine Morning Report Attendings

- Alford
- Barber
- Battinelli
- Bennett
- Caslowitz
- Eskew

- Halle
- Hershman
- Jackson
- Manning
- Samet
- Witzburg

Department of Medicine Internal Medicine Residency Program Directors from GIM

- David Battinelli, MD, Program Director, Vice Chair for Education
- Angela Jackson, MD, Associate Program Director Director, Primary Care Program
- Joel Caslowitz, MD, Associate Program Director
- David Halle, MD, Associate Program Director
- Jay Orlander, MD, MPH, Assistant Program Director
- Beth Manning, MD, MPH, Assistant Program Director Director, Preliminary Program

GIM Presence at Other BUMC Clinical Sites

- ID Clinic
 - Sondra Crosby, MD
- Health Care for the Homeless
 - Colleen LaBelle, RN
- McInnis Group/Woods Mullen Shelter
 - > Theresa Kim, MD

GIM Presence at Other BUMC Clinical Sites

- CAB Detoxification Unit
 - > Theresa Kim, MD
- Methadone Narcotic Addiction Clinic Frontage Road
 - > Dan Alford, MD, MPH
 - Sheila Chapman, MD
 - Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH
- Transitional Opioid Program (TOP)
 - > Donna Beers, RN
 - Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH

GIM Presence at Other BUMC Clinical Sites

- Breast Health Group/Breast Health Program
 - Tracy Battaglia, MD
 - Chava Chapman, MD
 - Michele David, MD
 - > Elizabeth Dupuis, MD
 - > Renee McKinney, MD

GIM Presence at BMC

- Information Technology
 - Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH, Medical Director of the CHART (Community Health Automated Record Technology) Project
 - Daniel Newman, MD, Senior Consultant for IT Development
- Angela Jackson, MD, Chair, BMC Core Competency Committee
- Bob Witzburg, MD, Chair, Credentialing Committee
- Tracy Battaglia, MD, Chair, Quality Improvement, Cancer Care Committee

GIM Presence on BMC Patient Satisfaction Results Teams

- Jason Worcester, MD & Warren Hershman, MD
 - Behavioral Standards Team
- Susan Phillips, MD
 - Communications Team
- Janice Quan, MD
 - > Environmental Team
- Dan Newman, MD
 - Measurement Team
- Elizabeth Dupuis, MD
 - Service Recovery Team

GIM Presence on BUSM Diversity Curriculum Task Force

- Lead by
 - Sandra Gordon, MD
 - Carol Mostow, LICSW
- Includes
 - > Julie Crosson, MD
 - > Sheila Chapman,MD
 - > Sam Putnam, MD
 - Leyda Delgado, MD
 - Michele David, MD
- Supported by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Primary Care — Referral for Consultation Initiative

- Adriana Cervantes, MD, formed (November 2004) and leads the Referral Redesign Committee
 - Mission: To improve referrals between primary care physicians and specialty physicians
 - Goal: To develop an automated, standardized, efficient system for tracking consults from Primary Care
 - Piloted with Gastroenterology referrals April 2005

GIM Grand Rounds

- Ambulatory Medicine Focus
 - Organized by Bernie Kreger, MD
- Ambulatory Morbidity and Mortality Conference
 - Beth Manning, MD
 - Christine Phillips, MD
 - Dan Newman, MD
- Faculty Revelations completed everybody

Boston University School of Medicine Department of Medicine Medical Grand Rounds – 2004-2005

- Karen Freund, MD, MPH
 - Understanding and Addressing Racial Disparities in Primary Care
- Robert Friedman, MD
 - > The Role of Computers in Direct Patient Care
- Subha Ramani, MD, MPH & David Battinelli, MD
 - Advancing After the Retreat: Departmental Plan for Medical Education
- David Battinelli, MD and Joel Caslowitz, MD
 - Clinical Problem Solving Case: 42 Yr Old Man Referred from Togus VAMC for Further Work-up

GIM Fellowship/Preventive Medicine Residency Programs

- Fellowship Leadership
 - Rob Friedman, MD Director
 - Jane Liebschutz, MD, MPH Associate Director
 - > Jay Orlander, MD, MPH Associate Director
 - Michael Paasche-Orlow, MD, MPH Assistant Director
 - Tracy Battaglia, MD MPH Assistant Director, Prev. Med Residency
- '05 Graduates New Appointments
 - Matthew Freiberg, MD, MSc University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
 - Anand Kartha, MD, MSc BUSM/Boston VA, West Roxbury Campus
 - ➤ Junaid Usman, MD St. Joseph's Hospital, Tacoma, WA
 - Keith Williams, MD Ship Medical Officer
 - Carolina Takizawa, MD

GIM and Family Medicine Faculty and Fellows



GIM Fellowship/Preventive Medicine Residency Programs

- '05 Recruits
 - Daniel Chen, MD (UPenn)
 - Nameeta Dookeran MD (BMC)*
 - Jennifer McCall-Hosenfeld, MD (MGH)
 - Adam Rose, MD (Montefiore Hospital)*
 - Peter Smith, MD (BMC)*
 - Alexander Walley, MD (UCSF)*

* Post Chief Residency

Geriatric Center of Excellence Faculty Fellowship

- 2003 2004
 - > Jennifer Hughes, MD
- **2004 2005**
 - Michael Paasche-Orlow, MD, MPH
- **2005 2006**
 - Christine Phillips, MD
 - Jeffrey Greenwald, MD

Hospital Medicine Unit

- Jeffrey Greenwald, MD, Director
- Faculty: Julien Dedier, MD, MPH; Chi Huang, MD;
 Jennifer Hughes, MD; Subha Ramani, MD, MPH
- Physician Assistants: Elizabeth Gemba, PA-C;
 Maura Guilfoyle, PA-C; Rebecca Holberg, PA-C;
 Kerry O'Brien, PA-C
- Projects
 - Medication reconciliation
 - Laboratory quality improvement
 - Community acquired pneumonia pathway
 - > Palliative care

Community Medicine Unit

- Christopher Shanahan, MD, MPH, Director
- Credentialing of GIM providers
- Development of the Community Computing Collaborative
- Enhancing the Department of Medicine's relationship with Community Medicine faculty
- Oversight of BMC Joint Hire Program

CARE Unit Initiative: OBOT (Office Based Opioid Treatment)

- Buprenorphine
 - Colleen LaBelle, RN (Nurse Case Manager)
 - Dan Alford, MD, MPH (Medical Director)
- Methadone
 - > Pilot project
- In collaboration with the Boston Public Health Commission, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Services
- Supported by Massachusetts Dept of Public Health and the City of Boston

Women's Health Unit

- Karen Freund, MD, MPH, Director
- A National Center of Excellence in Women's Health (Department of Health and Human Services)
- Faculty
 - Michele David, MD
 - Tracy Battaglia, MD
 - > Chava Chapman, MD
 - > Bonnie Sherman, PhD
 - Phyllis Carr, MD
 - > Elizabeth Dupuis, MD
 - > Renee McKinney, MD
- A national leader in women's health: medical care, medical education, community outreach, and research

Medical Informatics Systems Unit

- Robert Friedman, MD, Director
- Faculty
 - > Ramesh Farzanfar, PhD
 - Jeffrey Migneault, PhD
 - > Timothy Bickmore, PhD
 - > Julie Wright, PhD
- Leads research and education in medical informatics (computer applications in biology and medicine)

Health Care Research Unit

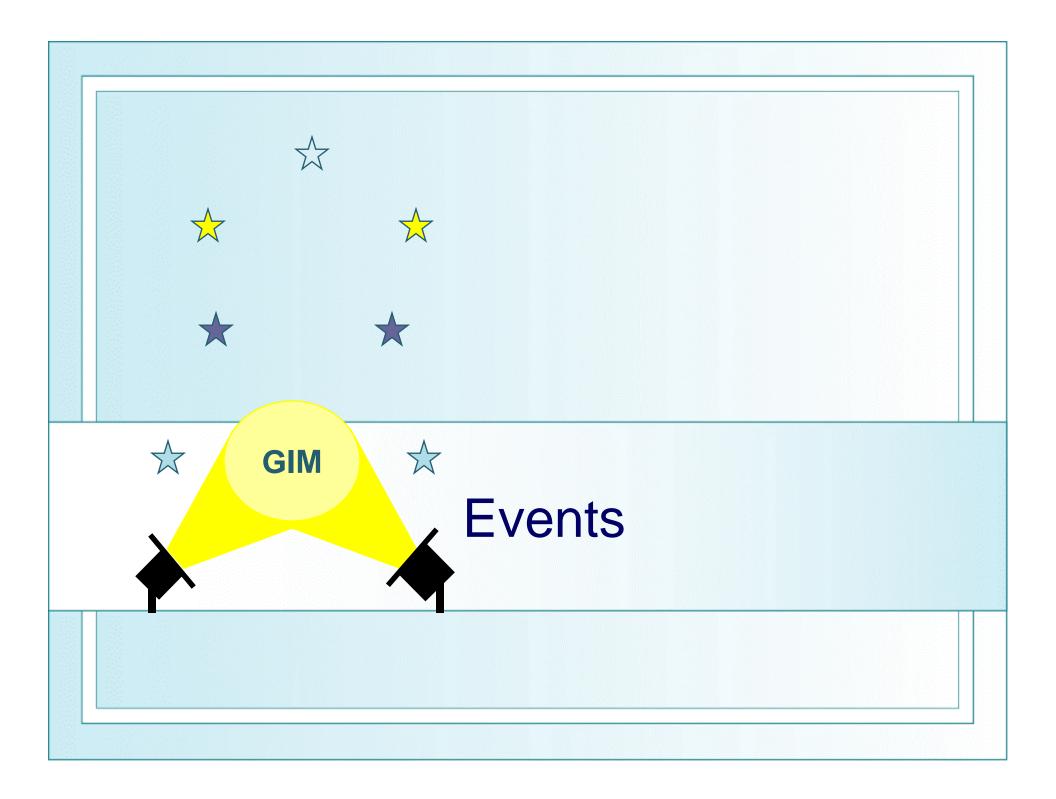
- Faculty
 - > Arlene Ash, PhD, Director
 - Amresh Hanchate, PhD
- Works with large database studies in the area of health services research
 - Risk Assessment of Military Populations
 - Racial Disparities in Healthcare Services
 - Using Claims Data to Examine Mortality Trends

Diabetes Management in Primary Care

- Team
 - > Peter Davidson, MD
 - > Danru Lee, MD
 - Leyda Delgado, MD
 - Unique Michaud, MD
- Achieved hospital goal of HgA1C testing in 83% of diabetic patients in primary care
- Group appointments in English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole
 - SGIM National Presentation, "Group Appointments for Diabetic Patients at an Urban Academic Medical Center"

Incentive Plans ('04 - '05)

- RVU-based clinical incentive
 - Transitioned from patient encounter-based incentive
- Citizenship acknowledgement
- Research enhancement



Mark Moskowitz Memorial Visiting Professor

Friday, April 8th



Cynthia Mulrow, MD, MSc

Clinical Professor of Medicine at the University of Texas, San Antonio Associate Editor, Annals of Internal Medicine

Department of Medicine Grand Rounds:

"Prototypes for Primary Prevention Polypills"

General Internal Medicine, Grand Rounds:

"Surviving the Editorial Process:

Writing and Reviewing for Medical Journals"

Visiting Professorships and Conferences

- Buprenorphine and OBOT Conference (Alford)
 - November 2004
- GIM Fellowship Visiting Professor,
 Thomas Inui, MD March 2005
- Chief Resident Immersion Training (CRIT)
 Conference in Addiction Medicine (Alford) –
 May 2005

Society of General Internal Medicine National Meeting 29 GIM Presenters

- Arpita Aggarwal
- Arlene Ash
- Dan Alford
- Tracy Battaglia
- Sheila Chapman
- Debbie Cheng
- Michele David
- Peter Davidson
- Leyda Delgado
- Karen Freund
- Eric Green
- Warren Hershman
- Elaine Hylek
- Alok Kapoor

- Anand Kartha
- Andrea Kronman
- Colleen LaBelle
- Danru Lee
- Jane Liebschutz
- Jay Orlander
- Joanne Murabito
- Michael Paasche-Orlow
- Subha Ramani
- Stephanie Page
- Rich Saitz
- Jeffrey Samet
- Margaret Seaver
- Junaid Usman
- Keith Williams

Society of General Internal Medicine National Meeting



New Orleans, LA





Family Winter Festival February 2005



Endicott Estate, Dedham











BMC's Annual We Care Walk–Oct 2004 Where "The Care" Begins

Team Leaders: Dan Alford & Sheila Chapman





Accomplishments

Grants Funded

- Current Annual Direct Research and Training
 Grant Awards 2005
 - > **\$8,013,091** ('04 \$7,655,735)
- Total GIM Research Grant Awards
 - > \$32,196,253
- Total Fellowship & Training Grant Awards
 - > \$6,142,010

GIM Clinician Educator Grant Support

- Chava Chapman Avon Breast Initiative
- Renee McKinney, MD Smoking and Depression, NIH
- Julie Crosson Blue Cross Blue Shield (BCBS) Diversity Task Force
- Sandra Looby-Gordon BCBS Diversity Task Force
- Dan Alford OBOT Program, Boston Public Health Commission (BPHC)
- Peter Davidson Diabetes Initiative, Harvard Pilgrim Health Care (HPHC)
- Dan Newman Diabetes Initiative, HPHC
- Danru Lee Diabetes Initiative, HPHC
- Elizabeth Dupuis Smoking Cessation, NIH

GIM Clinician Educator Grant Support

- Christopher Shanahan Integrated Services
 Development Initiative, Boston HealthNet
- Sondra Crosby Resettlement Project, Psychiatry,
 Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Mass DPH)
- Jeffrey Greenwald Project Trust, Mass DPH
- Bernie Kreger Framingham Heart Study, NIH
- Joanne Murabito Framingham Heart Study, NIH
- Leyda Delgado Disparities in Care of Older Patients,
 Tufts School of Medicine, NIH

New Research Grants Awarded

- Jane Liebschutz, MD: NIH-NIDA, K23 Substance abuse, PTSD, and pain in PC, \$872,155, 7/04-6/09
- Karen Freund, MD, MPH:
 - > DHHS, Diabetes Prevention, \$20,000, 9/04-9/05
 - > DHHS, Women's Heart Health, \$44,205, 9/04-12/06
 - FDA, Coronary Stents in Women, \$120,000, 9/04-9/06
 - J&J Foundation, Women of African Descent Living Longer, \$5,000, 7/04-6/05
 - > Avon Breast Health Initiative, \$500,000, 4/05-3/07
- Tracy Battaglia, MD: Komen Foundation, Improving Mammography Follow Up, \$250,000, 5/05-4/08

New Research Grants Awarded

- Michele David, MD: J&J Foundation, Women of African Descent Living Longer, \$5,000, 7/04-6/05
- Robert Friedman, MD: NIH-NCI, 2 Telecomputer Diet Change Maintenance Programs, \$2,448,354, 9/04-8/09
- Timothy Bickmore, PhD: NIH-NLM, Health Information for Exercise, \$369,550, 1/05-1/07
- Ramesh Farzanfar, PhD:
 - > NIH-NIMH/HPHC, Management of Depression, \$510,724, 9/04-5/09
 - CDC, Assessment of Mental Health, \$1,435,962, 9/04-9/07

New Fellowship Training Grants Awarded

- Jane Liebschutz, MD: ACS, BU Preventive Medicine Residency, \$300,000, 1/05-12/08
- Angela Jackson, MD:
 - HRSA, Primary Care Training Program for Residents, \$509,398, 9/04-6/07
 - Schwartz Foundation, Innovation Grant for Residency Training, \$35,000, 1/04-6/05

Grants Submitted

- Total support of pending grants with GIM faculty as PI
 - > \$32,523,214

Career Development Awards

- Julien Dedier, MD, MPH
 - NIH Minority Investigator Research Supplement
 - "Trial of 2 TeleComputer Diet Change Maintenance Programs"
 - Mentored by Robert Friedman
- Matt Freiberg, MD, MSc
 - NIH-NIAAA K23 pending (priority score 139)
 - "Alcohol and Coronary Heart Disease in People with HIV"
 - Mentored by Jeffrey Samet and Rich Saitz

31 Publications -- 2004

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- Liebschutz JM
- Moskowitz MA
- Peterson NB
- Samet JH
- Saitz R

Awards and Honors

- Julien Dedier, MD, MPH
 - Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Faculty Award
- Karen Freund, MD, MPH
 - FDA Leveraging/Collaboration Award
- Jeffrey Greenwald, MD
 - Healthcare Foundation of New Jersey's 2005 Humanism in Medicine Award
- Angela Jackson, MD
 - SGIM New England Regional Chair
- Jessie McCary, MD
 - Evans Day Abstract Competition, 3rd Place
- Dan Newman, MD
 - GIM MVP Award
- Jim O'Connell, MD
 - > AAMC Humanism Award Nominee

Appointments & Promotions

- Rich Saitz, MD, MPH
 - Professor
- Debbie Cheng, ScD
 - Associate Professor
- Timothy Bickmore, PhD
 - Assistant Professor
- Leyda Delgado, MD
 - Assistant Professor
- Danru Lee, MD
 - Assistant Professor
- Jeffrey Migneault, PhD
 - Assistant Professor
- Eleanor Paglia, MD
 - Assistant Professor

- Jason Worcester, MD
 - Assistant Professor
- Julita Mir, MD
 - Clinical Assistant Professor
- Matthew Freiberg, MD, MSc
 - > Instructor
- Theresa Kim, MD
 - > Instructor
- Judith Lytle, MD
 - > Clinical Instructor
- Puneet Sud, MD
 - Clinical Instructor

Major New Faculty Roles

- Jeffrey Greenwald, MD
 - Director, HMU
 - Medical Dental Staff Elected Representative
- Peter Davidson, MD Medical Director of Quality in the Department of Medicine
- Ben Chu, MD, PhD Director, Primary Care BUSM CME Course
- Jennifer Hughes, MD Medical Director, Care Alternatives Hospice Program
- Angela Jackson, MD Chair, Core Competency Committee

10 Years of Service 2005

- Sondra Crosby, MD
- Danru Lee, MD
- Jane Liebschutz, MD, MPH
- Susan Phillips, MD
- Jerry Sobieraj, MD

25 Years of Service 2005

Chava Chapman, MD





- Christian Arrington to Julien Dedier and Jyl
- Emily to Jason Worcester and Linda
- Leo John to Jennifer Hughes and David
- Olivia Michele to David Halle and Karen
- Maya Lynn to Jane Liebschutz and Roger
- Mackenzie Danielle to Lily Yung & Craig
- Rebecca to Sara Nuciforo and Rick
- Sarah Zainab to Anila Medina and Safdar

Nuptials

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