

May 2, 2022- Department of Pediatrics Faculty Meeting Recap

Kim Boland | General Announcements and Chair Update

- Congrats to all as noted in the slides (see slides)
- HIPAA Training, due to be completed by today
- Faculty Peer Awards Presentation and Congratulations (see newsletter for winners)
- Creating timeline for requesting FTE Changes; July 1 and January 1 will be the standard effective dates for the majority with rare exceptions; any faculty who have a change who have not received a letter of offer or an addendum from UofL and/or NCMG for signature and return, your FTE has not changed until that happens
- We are in extremely exciting times, we are excelling in all areas of research, grants, and education
- In Kim shared there is a new NCMG QI website; next month will release all web links, will have access from Department internal resource webpage, more to come next meeting

Inclusion Excellence – Faye Jones

- Research!Louisville will occur week of September 19; the HSC Office of Diversity & Inclusion will sponsor or co-sponsor four different sections:
 - keynote address on Thursday related to health equity
 - 3-day (6 hours total) mentor training
 - research related to anti-racism
 - annual poster on research related to health disparities/equity
- The APA's RAPID initiative will be accepting proposals for research beginning in July; more information available at <https://www.academicpeds.org/programs-awards/via/>

Medical Education

- Erin Owen – Residency/Fellowship Update
 - Evaluations, upcoming clinical competency committee meeting, please log into MedHub and complete by end of week, helpful to inform processes as well as help residents grow and improve
 - End of year festivities upcoming
 - May 23 & 26 - QI presentations (virtual)
 - June 2 - 1st and 2nd Year Roast (virtual)
 - June 9 - Hail and Farewell to 3rd year (virtual)
 - June 14, 15, 16 – Resident Scholarly Activity Poster Session
 - June 17 – Resident & Fellow Graduation
 - June 24 – Intern Welcome Luncheon (virtual & small group in-person)
 - Graduation on June 17 will be in person for graduates & their guests, will be live streamed, fellows at 6:00 pm, residents at 7:30pm, held at the Marriott
 - Planning to return to in-person Grand Rounds/Resident Grand Rounds, auditorium booked, will continue livestream option, subject to change pending COVID numbers in the community
- Sarah Korte – Clerkship
 - End of clerkship review revealed that our faculty served as good role models, treated students fairly, taught effectively, created a positive educational environment for learning and that is supportive of anti-racism

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- Along with evaluation, there are pages of individual comments that speak to faculty incorporating the students into the team, noting faculty like to teach
- Congratulations to all and thank you

Research

- Jan Sullivan
 - Monday, May 9, is the next PIRATs conference, Becca Hart presents *Mentoring and Coaching in Scholarly Activity*, all encouraged to attend if possible
- Kyle Brothers (see slides)
 - Discussed saving research files on the Cloud as a best practice and the benefits in doing so; step-by-step instructions will be posted to the department webpage

Division Win/Miss – Sleep Medicine

- Egambaram Senthilvel is a one-person division, recruitment in process to add faculty, has recently added nurse practitioner, lab starting up again, fellowship combined with adult sleep medicine, role is all clinical however does have some research with 11 abstracts, 5 articles, published in 3 papers, a NIH grant with the Pathology Department, doing few retrospective studies and manuscripts in process
- Kim Boland noted that Emily Singer is joining child neurology and is sleep trained, hoping to have a pulm/sleep person the following year
- Lack of staffing has created huge wait times, there are issues in finding sleep lab technicians, have had ad for job posted for a year, all affect clinical and academic productivity

Clinical

- Susan Friedrich - NCMG
 - March Performance, 1st Quarter utilization is up, all practices 93% scheduling utilization, watching closely
 - Overall RVU's are short, 9600 to budget, March was 7000 over, reviewing data, as a whole doing much better
 - Patient experience is strong, on good trajectory
 - Thanks to all for hard work
 - Provider to provider line, the intent is for urgent, semi-urgent questions, not for appointments, working on how to market, etc., more details to come
- Vicki Montgomery is looking for 1–2 physicians and/or APPs and 1 -2 RNs/office staff to serve as an SPS liaison and help develop an Ambulatory section to our Reaching for Zero (R4Z) Program; email vicki.montgomery@louisville.edu to learn more if interested or let know of someone who may be interested; Kory Bacon, NCMG Risk Manager, will be primary lead

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