



February 11, 2020



Attention Clinicians: Changes in Adult GI Lab

Please be aware that we are now running four rooms in the Adult GI Lab 1. This requires the assistance of the GI float attending...

-Koffi Klla, MD

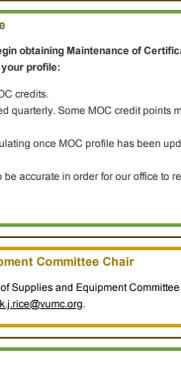
Upcoming Changes: Ketamine Infusions and Phenylephrine Infusions

On Monday, Jan. 27, 2020, phenylephrine infusion concentration changed from 30mg/250ml to 25mg/250ml.

On Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020, ketamine infusion concentration changed from 100mg/100ml to 100mg/50ml.

Alaris files have been updated and pumps should now contain both concentrations. The old concentration was removed during the guardrail push on Monday, Feb. 3, 2020.

-Medication Safety Task Force



Attention Faculty: Vanderbilt University School of Medicine UME Committee Position Opportunity

We would like to make you aware of an opportunity to be involved in the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine program, Curriculum 2.0.

-Warren Sandberg, MD, PhD

-Matt McEvoy, MD

Attention Faculty: MOC Profile

This is a reminder that in order to begin obtaining Maintenance of Certification (MOC) credit, you must log in to the new CME website and complete your profile:

- Only physicians can obtain MOC credits.
MOC transcripts will be updated quarterly.
MOC credits will begin accumulating once MOC profile has been updated.

Click here for directions.

New Role: Supplies and Equipment Committee Chair

Faculty who are interested in the role of Supplies and Equipment Committee Chair are invited to apply for the position by contacting Dr. Rice at mark.j.rice@vumc.org.

Lead Apron Fitting Sessions

Date: Wednesday, Feb. 19 – Thursday, Feb. 20
Location: VUH 3119
Contact: Rosalia Gaudino.

Anesthesiology Faculty Affairs Office: Did You Know...

The Anesthesiology Faculty Affairs Office provides program information on the Department's website (currently found under the intranet tab)?

An example from the CDA Review Process: Each faculty member's CDA application is initially assigned to a member of the CDA Review Committee who is not their Division Chief...

During an all-day meeting, moderated by the Vice Chair for Faculty Affairs, each faculty member (CDA applicant) is presented by the primary reviewer...

Please see the website for more information about the CDA Review Process. Contact your Division Chief or the Office of Faculty Affairs with questions.

Click here to learn more about CDA.

Summer Student Research Projects

It's time to start planning for 2020 summer students. Please consider assigning students to ongoing projects. However, if you do have a research project in mind that would be suitable for a summer student, please submit the project to PCR! by Saturday, Feb. 29, 2020.

-PCR! Team

SurveyVitals - Scores and Alerts

Click here to view scores and alerts in SurveyVitals.

Contact Clark Weber if you have any questions or trouble logging in.



Grand Rounds February 14 | 6:30 a.m. | 208 Light Hall
Current State of Non-Invasive Volume Status Monitoring and What the Veins Have to Say About It

Presented by Bret D. Alvis, MD
Assistant Professor, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine
Anesthesiology Critical Care Medicine Division
Department of Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center
Medical Director, Perioperative Care Service, VA-TVHS

All are invited. Read more

Women in Anesthesia Dr. Deborah Culley. Vice Chair of Research, Neuro Anesthesiologist, President of the ABA. Join us for a fireside chat Wednesday 19th Feb.

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Department of Anesthesiology presents the 11th annual Dr. Bradley E. Smith Endowed Lectureship on Medical Professionalism. Featured Guest Speaker: Deborah J. Culley, MD.

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Additional CME Opportunities

Surgical MM&I Conference: Feb. 12 at 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. in 214 Light Hall

Presenters: Rengal/HPB/Vasc
Resident Bonus Conference to follow from 7:30 a.m. to 8 a.m.

Flexner Discovery Lecture: Feb. 20 at 4 p.m. in 208 Light Hall
Topic: Innate Allergy - What Does It Tell Us?
Presented by: Richard Locksley, MD

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Flexner Discovery Lecture: Feb. 27 at 4 p.m. in 208 Light Hall
Topic: Head and Neck Cancer Precision Medicine
Presented by: Jennifer Grandis, MD

Read more

Click here to view the Spring 2020 Flexner Discovery Lecture Series schedule.

Women in Anesthesia. Topic: Mentoring Female Faculty Members. Thursday, Feb. 27, 2020 6 p.m. Dr. Bauchat's Home.

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Anesthesiology Education Conference Schedule

Click here to view the most recent Turnout calendar for the 2020 academic year.

Grand Rounds and Visiting Professor Seminars

Click here to view the most recent conference schedule for the 2020 academic year.



Employee Recognition: GEMs (Going the Extra Mile)

We want to recognize good work when we see it and encourage our colleagues to recommend our next GEM. Do you know someone who has made your day brighter or easier?

Louise Alexander, MD, would like to recognize Jackie Woodruff. Jackie Woodruff absolutely went above and beyond to help care for an obstetric patient after her shift ended...

Arna Banerjee, MBBS, would like to recognize Kermit Frogge. I want to give a shout out to Senior Medical Student Frogge, who jumped right in to a busy OR day with our team.

Please click here to submit a GEM recommendation.

SAVE THE DATE DEPARTMENT OF ANESTHESIOLOGY presents the 16th annual Research Symposium Friday, May 1, 2020

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SAVE THE DATE May 1, 2020 VANDERBILT INTERNATIONAL ANESTHESIA 10th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Stay Connected



We want to hear from you! Send your news, awards, and accomplishments - to be shared in faculty and staff meetings.

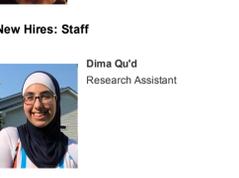


Happy Birthday! Click here to view our February Birthdays.

Department Achievements



With the perioperative consult service team continuing to grow, Jennifer Jayaram, APRN, was promoted to the role of Advanced Practice Manager and Enhanced Recovery Program Coordinator.



Through the efforts of CRNA week, the PANAC meeting became a reality. Once all of the funds have been deposited, the goal of raising \$30,000 to send Vanderbilt CRNAs to the first ever Pan African Nurse Anesthesia Conference will be surpassed.



Congratulations to Gwen Sanders, CRNA, who will assume the role of Center Specialist in the Ambulatory Division.



Drew Franklin, MD, MBA, was elected to a two-year term as President of the ERAS Society, a component society of ERAS USA (USA Chapter of the International ERAS Society).



Tiffany Richburg, MD, has been appointed Associate Program Director of the Adult Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology Fellowship.

New Hires: Faculty



Roman Lazarenko
Research Instructor

New Hires: Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists



Susan Santangelo

New Hires: Staff



Dima Qu'd
Research Assistant

Press Coverage and Publications

Click here to view Recent Publications.

Tweet of the Week

VUMC Anesthesiology @VUMC\_Anies Pediatric Anesthesiologist Fellow Jaclyn Irwin, MD, visited Kijabe. Read her blogs about the experience here: vumc.org/anesthesiology...@VUMCHealth

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Rise & Shine YOGA 0530-0615. Wadlington Conference Room A (2nd floor) Children's Hospital. Licensed instruction. No Experience necessary. Free of Charge.

Weekly Update is now distributed on Tuesday. Please submit content by 6 p.m. Monday for each Tuesday issue. Submit questions/content to: Anesthesiology Communications.

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