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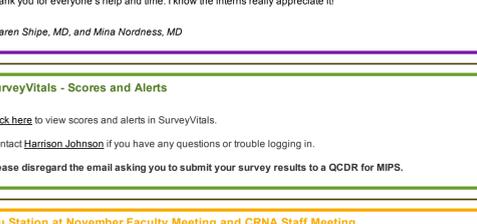
FRIENDLY REMINDER: Flu Immunization Compliance
All faculty and staff must be compliant with immunizations, including flu, by Monday, Dec. 2.
Please visit the Occupational Health Clinic (OHC) located in Medical Arts Building, Suite 640. Services are provided free of charge and no appointment is necessary for immunizations from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. or go to an event near you. Click here for a list of events. Visit the Ways to Become Compliant web page for more information and additional ways for team members to comply with VUMC's policy.
If on Tuesday, Dec. 3, you are not compliant, staff will be placed out on unpaid leave and faculty will lose access to systems.

Attention Faculty, Residents & Fellows: TN Licensure CME Requirements
For prescribing controlled substances, faculty members do not need to complete two hours of CME in narcotic use for their license.
Click here to view General CME Requirements
Click here to view FAQ for General CME Requirements
--Mark Rice, MD

IIGem Training
Click here for information about IIGem 5000 training.

Attention Clinical Faculty: Teaching Evaluations Available for Review in New Innovations
Evaluations completed by residents/fellows between July 1 and Sept. 30 are available for your review in New Innovations.
Click here to access the Vanderbilt New Innovations log in home page.

New Medication Trays
New medication trays are ready to be deployed across VUMC.
Both new and old medication trays contain the SAME medications (except diphenhydramine—removed due to size constraints); however, the orientation is different. After careful discussion we believe the vertical orientation of medications will allow easier identification of medications in emergency situations, as well as standardizing medication trays across VUMC.
Please be on the look out in your ORs! Specialty areas (OB, Cardiac, etc.) have additional trays specific to their workflow.
--Medication Safety Task Force



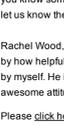
eStar Update: OB Anesthesia Post Evaluation
As of Wednesday, Oct. 23, the Obstetric Anesthesia Postop Evaluation / Follow-Up Note has been available in the Postprocedure Navigator. This appears as an option for sections, labor analgesia, and blood patch anesthesia records. To complete it, select "OB Anes Post Eval," then "Create Note."



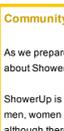
All General Surgery and Anesthesia Faculty
We have been running Intern Skills sessions for the surgery and anesthesia interns this year. Our annual Global Assessment sessions run January through February and compile all we have taught them (consent, central line placement, breaking bad news, etc). Importantly, we have attendings assess each intern and give them feedback.
I would greatly appreciate if you could assist us with any of the below Thursday afternoons, 3 p.m. - 5:30 p.m., CELA fourth floor. We need six instructors per date; we will run six rooms simultaneously and need an observer for each room. I will give you all you need day of, no prep work involved. Please email Maren (maren.a.shipe@vumc.org) if available for any date(s).
1/9
1/16
1/23
1/30
2/20
2/27
Thank you for everyone's help and time. I know the interns really appreciate it!
--Maren Shipe, MD, and Mina Nordness, MD

SurveyVitals - Scores and Alerts
Click here to view scores and alerts in SurveyVitals.
Contact Harrison Johnson if you have any questions or trouble logging in.
Please disregard the email asking you to submit your survey results to a QCDR for MIPS.

Flu Station at November Faculty Meeting and CRNA Staff Meeting
Occupational Health will have a station set up in the lobby of VCH (near boardroom) on Wednesday, Nov. 6, beginning at 6 a.m. They will also administer MMR vaccines for those in need.
There will also be a flu shot station for CRNAs. Occupational Health will be at the CRNA Staff Meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 20, starting at 6:15 a.m.



Dave Mail
Click here to read Dave Mail for news and updates from VUMC Perioperative Services.



Grand Rounds
November 8 | 6:30 a.m. | 208 Light Hall
"Anesthesia and Outcomes in Cancer Surgery"
BH Robbins Seminar
November 7 | 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. | 2301-A Resident Library
"Help, I have a cancer patient and I don't know what to do!"

Presented by
Anoushka M. Afonso, MD
Director, Enhanced Recovery after Surgery (ERAS)
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
Weill Cornell Medical College
New York, New York
All are invited. Read more

Anesthesiology Education Conference Schedule
Click here to view the most recent Turnout calendar for the 2019 academic year (Grand Rounds and Visiting Professor Seminars).
Click here to view the most recent conference schedule for the 2019 academic year.

Additional CME Opportunities
Surgical Grand Rounds: Friday, Nov. 8 at 7 a.m. - 8 a.m. in 214 Light Hall
Topic: "Enhancing Communication and Trust Among Interprofessional Healthcare Teams"
Presented by: William Cooper, MD, MPH

THE FINNIES DISCOVERY LECTURE SERIES
Gary Nabel, M.D., Ph.D
Chief Scientific Officer and Senior Vice President, Sanofi
Tackling AIDS and Cancer with Novel Antibody Therapeutics
Sponsored by Vanderbilt Vaccine Center
November 14, 2019
4:00 p.m.
208 Light Hall
Click here to view full flyer.



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? Someone who has gone above and beyond? Please let us know the details so that we can recognize that person for a job well done.
Rachel Wood, MD, would like to recognize anesthesia tech, Noah. "During a week of night shifts I was blown away by how helpful and immediate our anesthesia tech Noah was. One, I had a very heavy patient that I couldn't transport by myself. He immediately started helping push all the way to the ICU. He's always quick to help and with an awesome attitude!"
Please click here to submit a GEM recommendation.

Community Service Opportunity
As we prepare for the holidays, I thought it would be nice to find a way to give to those in need. I recently learned about ShowerUp through the Nashville Fedraters when they provided travel-size toiletry items at a hockey game.
ShowerUp is a non-profit organization founded in 2016 that provides shower-toiletries to some of the 10,000 homeless men, women and children in Nashville. Paul and Rhonda Schmitz started ShowerUp when they discovered that although there were resources available for the homeless in Nashville to help with food and clothing, there were very few places for them to shower. ShowerUp is working to change that - with the help of volunteers and through donations, they provide shower kits and other personal care items to those visiting the mobile showers.
I would like to invite you to join me by donating travel-size toiletries or clean, gently used towels. For anyone interested in participating, you can drop off items at my office, 4623B TVC (in the MSA suite) from now until the week of Thanksgiving. They also have a wish list through Amazon and volunteer opportunities available on their website (www.showrup.org) if you are interested in knowing more.
You can donate individual items or assemble your own "shower kits," which can include:
Shampoo
Conditioner
Soap/body wash
Bath pouf/washcloth
Deodorant
Shaving cream (toozes are donated through a company)
Toothbrush & toothpaste
If you want to make a deluxe kit, you can add any of the following:
cotton swabs, non-alcohol mouthwash, lotion, comb/brush, feminine hygiene products
Feel free to bring back the hotel toiletries as you travel to conferences in the coming weeks.
--Christi Gray



Click here to RSVP.
Please RSVP by Wednesday, Nov. 27

Click here to view full flyer.

Department of Anesthesiology Holiday Party
December 14, 2019
Vanderbilt Mallot
7 p.m. to 11 p.m.
Two drink tickets per guest. Cash bar.
Parking Information: Garage: \$14. Valet: \$20.
Discount rate available for overnight stay at the hotel.
Cocktail Party attire preferred.
Click here to view full flyer.

Please RSVP by Monday, Dec. 2

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Parking Information: Garage: \$14. Valet: \$20.

Click here for hotel information to stay overnight.

Cocktail Party attire preferred.

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DEPARTMENT OF ANESTHESIOLOGY HOLIDAY LUNCHEON
December 18, 2019
TVC 2701-2704
11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
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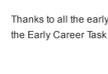
THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM INVITES YOU TO ATTEND
ADULT HOSPITAL TOWN HALL
Join senior leaders in a discussion around FY20 goals, capacity, and enhanced focus on employee engagement!
SESSION 1
Wednesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>
7:30am - 8:30am
208 Light Hall
SESSION 2
Wednesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>
12:00pm - 1:00pm
208 Light Hall
Scott McCarver, Managing Director & COO, VUMC
Robin Stearns, COO, VUMC
Dr. Shubhada Jagtap, COO, VUMC & Senior Director, Critical Care Services
Dr. Warren Sandberg, COO, VUMC & Senior Director, Critical Care Services
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YOGA
PANAC FUNDRAISER
To Support Pan African Nurse Anesthetist Conference
\$25 pp
Limited spots
Sign up via QR Code
November 9
0830-1000
#PANAC2020
LED by Lissa Wooten & Heather Frankenfield
8201 OLD CHARLOTTE PIKE
NASHVILLE TN 37209
Yoga in an open air barn surrounded by nature. For additional details/information text 615-944-9242

SAVE THE DATE
May 1, 2020
VANDERBILT INTERNATIONAL ANESTHESIA 10th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF GIVING, GROWTH & GRATITUDE
DETAILS TO FOLLOW

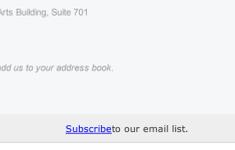
Stay Connected
We want to hear from you!
Send your news, awards, and accomplishments - to be shared in faculty and staff meetings, Weekly Update, newsletters, and social media - to Anesthesiology Communications.



Happy Birthday!
Click here to view our November Birthdays.

New Hires: CRNAs
Kemens Desruisseaux
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Reagan Gloor
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Radha Patel
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Charina Pelayo
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Elizabeth Pogue
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Danielle Schuette
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Kati Turpin
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
Kacy Wilson
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist

Press Coverage and Publications
Recent Publications
Work/Life Balance
Thanks to all the early career faculty (and their little goblins!) who came out to the Fall Party in the Park, hosted by the Early Career Task Force.



Tweet of the Week
VUMC Anesthesiology @VUMC\_Anes
Several faculty were authors on "Safe Anesthesia Care in Western Kenya: A Preliminary Assessment of the Impact of Nurse Anesthetists at Multiple Levels of Government Hospitals." Read it here:
journals.lww.com/anesthesia-ana...
@VUMChealth #globalhealth #safeanesthesia
6:25 AM - 30 Oct 2019
4 Likes

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