





May 10-13, 2023, in Aurora, CO at the spectacular Gaylord Rockies Resort

General Internal Medicine: Meeting the Promise of Tomorrow

The SGIM23 annual meeting theme reflects on the fundamental changes that our field and our colleagues have experienced as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. As physicians, we continue to navigate changes in how we prepare our trainees, how we care for our patients, and how we gather, translate, and implement the evidence that informs our patient care and education. General internists must take a leadership role in innovation in research, education, and clinical practice and, in so doing, advance policies aimed at improving the health of our patients and communities.

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Wednesday, May 10th

5-6:30 PM Poster Session 1

Melina Manolas

PS1 – 104 Self-Directed Learning with Digital Education Resources Among Internal Medicine Residents: A Multi-Institutional Survey

Raihan El-Naas

PS1 - 143 Behavioral Therapy in Obesity: A Novel Lifestyle Intervention for Weight Loss.

Ro-Jay Reid

The Cumulative Burden of Social Determinants of Health and the 10-Year Change in Quality of Life.

Thursday, May 11th

10:20-11:50 am Poster Session 2

Raihan El-Naas

PS 2-061 Superior Vena Cava Syndrome: A Near Miss

David Zhang

PS2 - 145 Physician Perspectives on a Best Practice Alert for Improving Medication Prescribing in Patients with Heart Failure

Linda Yu

Language discordance and visual impairment: a case of disconnection and traumatization associated with hospitalization

Kara Ryan

Combatting the Crisis: Creation of an Addiction Medicine Elective for Internal Medicine Residents

4:40 – 6:10 pm Poster Session 3

Ashely Dixon

PS3 – 065 Hepatitis B: Don't Forget About Me

Nicole Palmer

PS3 – 174 Medical Student Perspectives on Board Experiences at Weill Cornell Community Clinic

7:00-9:00 pm

Dinner hosted by DGIM in Cottonwood 7 Conference Room for all WCM attendees

Friday, May 12th

10:20-11:50 am Poster Session 4

Megan Creasman

PS4 – 122 Distracted by DRESS: A cautionary tale on careful physical exam and prescribing of DRESS-inducing agents

Alexander Choi

PS4 – 149 Improving Inpatient COVID-19 Vaccination Rate in a US Academic Medical Center Carson Gundlach

PS4 – 167 Implementation of Universal Depression Screening at a Student-Run Free Clinic: The Bridge from Primary to Psychiatric Care

Brittany Toffey

Life-threatening Withdrawal of Intrathecal Baclofen Pump

1:20-2:20 pm Session J

Peggy Leung

Clinical Update in Medical Education (Workshop)

3:40-4:40 pm Session L

Amanda Ramsdell

Improving Care for Patients Experiencing Homelessness in the Hospital: Contextualizing Clinical Care and Leading Local Systems (Workshop)

4:40-6:10 pm Poster Session 5

Melissa Yanaz and Elizabeth Kuo

PS5 – 105 If My Mood is Low, I Can't Help the Patient: A Qualitative Study Understanding the Mental Health of Home Health Aides

Ramia Rahman and Andrew Yang

PS5 – 109 Challenges to Access to Colonoscopy at a Student-Run Free Clinic

Isha Lamba

PS5 – 236 Fine Touch: Reviving the Art of the Physical Exam in the World of Modern Medicine **Arnab Ghosh**

An Evaluation of Race Stratification in the Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease Pooled Cohort Risk Equations Using a Sequential Modeling Strategy

Rachel Tenney

Typically Atypical: Diagnostic and Therapeutic Missteps in a Case of Community Acquired Pneumonia

Saturday, May 13th

10:10 AM to 11:10 AM

Arnab Ghosh

Extreme weather and health equity: How Historical Redlining affects heat mapping and air pollution in your community, and what you can do about it (Workshop)

Jared Silberlust

Thinking A-Head: An EMR Feature that Prevented an Unnecessary Brain Biopsy

Lauren Mitchell

A Case of Serum Sickness-Like Reaction Following Streptococcal Pharyngitis