



a newsletter for physicians, hospitals & healthcare providers March 24, 2017

PBCMS Member Events!

Monday, March 27th Ethics and the Conversation Project- Palm Beach State College
2:30pm [Click Here](#) to register.

Tuesday, March 28th Member Mixer – The Meat Market in Palm Beach 5:30–7:30 pm
(191 Bradley Pl, Palm Beach, FL 33480)

Thursday, March 30th Heroes in Medicine VIP Reception & Gift Gathering - Streb's in
Boynton Beach 6-8 pm (1880 Congress Ave #190, Boynton Beach, FL 33426)

Sunday, April 2nd – Doctor's Day Celebration - The Beach Club in Lake Worth 2-5 pm

Call 561-433-3940 for more information or to register



Congratulations to Our 2017 Heroes in Medicine! Special Friend

Rhona Pillersdorf

Leadership Award

FAU Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine

Advocacy Hero

State Attorney Dave Aronberg

Project Access

21st Century Oncology-Kishore K. Dass, MD, Ben H. Han, MD and

Eugene C. Shieh, MD

Bethesda Health - Hospital Hero

Ramin M. Abdolvahabi, MD – Palm Beach Neurosurgery

Physician Heroes

Patricios Espinosa, MD

Claudia Mason, MD

Suresh Rajpara, MD

Ronald Romear, MD

Steven Rosenberg, MD

Bruce Rendina Professional Heroes

Mary Jo “Joey” Bulfin RN, MBA

Linda De Piano, PhD

Rik Pavelscak, PhD

Tina Phillips

Community Outreach Heroes

Boca Hoops High 5 League

Debby Walters and the Diabetes Coalition

The Breakers Hotel Community Outreach

Community Outreach Heroes

Elizabeth Cayson (PhD Candidate)

Judy Dunn, RN

Emanuel “Dupree” Jackson

Marge Sullivan

Esther Swann

Health Care Innovator Heroes

Satish Chandran, PhD-Somahlution

John Couris-Jupiter Medical Center

Health Care Educator Heroes

Sarah Bland, MD

Roger Duncan, MD

Karen Gilbert, RN

Richard Levene, DO

Meg Reller

Health Care Providers Heroes

Barbara Abernathy, PhD

James Abramowitz, DDS

Pascal Gedeon, PA

Captain Houston Park

Jane Robinson LMHC, RPT-S

Health Care Prevention/Wellness Heroes

Keith Hurbs and Palm Glades Rural Health Associates

Lauren Zuchman LCSW and Healthier Delray Beach

High School Student Heroes

Charlize Estella

Tyler Gray

Michael Hamper

Daniela Mejia Lagos

Medical Student Heroes

Nadine Najjar

Dan O'Shea

Miranda Rosenberg

The 14th Annual Heroes in Medicine Awards will be held at the Kravis Center's Cohen Pavilion in West Palm Beach on Friday, April 21st . Net proceeds from the awards luncheon support the services of the Medical Society and **Project Access**, a physician-led network of care of physicians and other health care providers who offer care at no cost to local uninsured residents in need and other services of the PBCMSS. Call 561-433-3940 for sponsorship information.

Ethics and the Conversation Project

It's important to begin to have the conversation about end of life long before the end of your life. The Palm Beach State College Center for Applied Ethics and PBCMS will be hosting a free provocative film and panel discussion "Values, Conversations and Life Choices" on Monday, March 27, 2017 at 2:30pm. It will be held at Palm Beach State College 4200 Lake Worth Road in the Public Safety Training Room PSD -108. [Click here](#) to register online or call 561-868-3545. This program is intended for the general public as well as physicians and their patients.

Stay up to date on the latest on Congressional Health Reform

[Click here](#) for Kaiser Health News, a nonprofit news service committed to in-depth coverage of health care policy and politics. They report on how the health care system — hospitals, doctors, nurses, insurers, governments, consumers — works.

AMA Launches New Health System Reform Site

In response to the recent introduction of the [American Health Care Act](#), the AMA has launched [PatientsBeforePolitics.org](#), an online platform that aims to educate and engage patients and physicians in the current health system reform debate. The site will directly put you in contact with your lawmakers aimed at targeting specific reform efforts and help ensure legislation will improve health insurance coverage and health care access. As the health system reform debate evolves, so too will [PatientsBeforePolitics.org](#). Future phases will include additional content and interactive features designed to engage site visitors.

Special Enrollment for Health Insurance Coverage is Now!

If you are uninsured and have a qualifying event, (click [here](#) to see what qualifies you) and you need help finding health insurance, contact Vanessa Rivera, our Licensed Navigators, at (561) 309-9946 or visit www.enrollpbandtc.org to find a Navigator or Certified Application Assistor near you.

Upcoming PBCMS Events

Health Care Connection Luncheon

PBCMS will host “Implementing a Credit Card on File Program” Presented by Nancy Brown, CPA, CGMA, CMPE, Chief Financial Officer, Think Big Health Care Solutions on Wednesday, April 12, 2017 from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm at the West Palm Beach Marriott -The Bistro 1001 Okeechobee Blvd, WPB, FL 33401. \$25 PBCMS & MGMA Members \$35 Non-Members and Staff. Register on line at www.pbcms.org or call 433-3940 ext. 105.

Register Today!

PBCMS will be hosting a Doctor’s Day Family Celebration on Sunday, April 2, 2017 from 2-5 pm at The Beach Club (Lake Worth). There will be a cookout, music, fun and games. Free for members and immediate family. Please contact Deanna by email deanna@pbcms.org at 561-433-3940 x105.

FREE Lunch & Learn

Thursday, April 27 2017 - sponsored by PBCMS & West Boca Medical Center. The 5 E Rule of Incident to – Presented by Joanna Bennett, CPC, CHC – Acevedo Consulting. Coconut Creek Recreation Center – 4455 Sol Press Blvd, Coconut Creek – RSVP 866-904-9262

Upcoming Community Events

CME'S Available

Boca Raton Regional Hospital will be hosting the 14th Annual Internal Medicine Conference from March 24-26 at the Boca Raton Marriott. For more information or to register online [click here](#).

2017 West Palm Beach Business to Business Diversity Conference R.E.A.C.H (Reinforce Employment Access & Career Hiring)

CareerSource PBC is hosting a conference on May 11, 2017 from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm with breakfast and lunch included. CEU's offered. The conference will be held at the Holiday Inn Palm Beach Airport Hotel, 1301 Belvedere Road, West Palm Beach Florida. [Click here](#) to register on line or for more information.

Acevedo Consulting Inc. Webinar: "Non-Face-to-Face Prolonged Services... A chance to be paid for services previously bundled"

April 20, 2017 12:00-1:00 p.m. EST.

Presenter: Joanna Bennett, CHC, CPC, Associate Consultant.

As of January 1, 2017, Medicare will now allow payment for prolonged services without face-to-face contact with the patient. Spend your lunch hour with us as we: Define codes 99358 and 99359; Review payer coverage nuances; Discuss documentation recommendations for best practice with a review of documentation examples; and Provide recommendations for implementation and monitoring. Click here to [REGISTER](#)

HEPM Miami Event 2017

Cleveland Clinic has partnered with the London School of Economics for an upcoming program in Miami called "Big Issues in Health Policy." From the 28th to the 30th of April LSE Health, in joint providership with Cleveland Clinic, will host 'Big Issues in Health Policy' at the [The Ritz Carlton Hotel](#), South Beach, Miami. **This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.** [Click here](#) for more information or to register.

Classifieds

Need Office Space?

For sale or lease, 6944 Lake Worth Road, 14,814 SF, located near Turnpike, between Wellington Regional and JFK Medical Center in Lake Worth. Learn more by calling NAI/Merin Hunter Codman's medical office space expert Lesley Sheinberg at 561-471-8000 or 561-254-7810.

Need a New or Second Location?

Utilizing her medical site selection expertise and superior negotiation skills, Lesley Sheinberg of NAI/Merin Hunter Codman places tenants on an even playing field with commercial real estate professionals, landlords and owners. If you need a broker who understands your medical space needs call Lesley today at 561 471

8000 or 561 254 7810. Featured property: 1515 N Flagler Drive, near downtown West Palm Beach, offers stunning space at exquisite rates, located next to Good Samaritan Medical Center.

Job Openings

Palm Beach Research is looking for a FL licensed Physician for a part time research project. Please contact Judy Dunn, RN, MPH at jdunn@careersourcepbc.com or 561-371-5326.

Physician Needed

Fred Eaglstein, DO a board-certified dermatologist and MOHS surgeon recently passed away in Jacksonville. His family is looking for a fulltime MOHS surgeon to work in practice during this transition. Please call Pamela Matthews at 904-945-6845 if you are interested.

Open Positions for Psychiatrist and Staff Physician

FoundCare is looking for a Staff Physician. For confidential consideration, please email your CV/resume and salary requirements to mmachonis@foundcare.org or call 561-472-9160 ext. 212 or by fax 561-868-5652.

Office Space for Rent

Fully furnished office space for rent with medical equipment. Ideal for Ob/Gyn or PCP. Central location in Palm Beach County near Okeechobee Blvd and I-95. 4 exam rooms. Business office. Doctor offices. Break room. 2 restrooms. If interested, please contact 561-434-6796 for more information.

Office Space for Sublease

On St. Mary's Campus. 5305 Greenwood Ave., Suite 202 WPB. Three exam rooms and large physician's office with wheelchair access. Available 2 to 3 days per week. Contact 561-841-8545 for more information.

Medical Office for Rent

Available February 1, 2017. JMC Out Patient Surgery Center Bldg. Military Trail, Jupiter (covered portico and elevator). Ideal for single physician or secondary location. 1225 sq. ft., fully furnished including medical equipment; 2 exam rooms (one including lab setup), handicap accessible bathroom, business office, conference room/kitchen, computer/storage room, extra-large physician's office. Contact (561) 746-8446 for more information.

Office Space for Rent

Single story building with wheelchair access located at 2150 South Congress Avenue in West Palm Beach - 2000 sq. feet, 5 exam rooms, front & back office, employee lounge, kitchen and bathroom. For more information, please call Dr. Graham Whitfield 561-965-5200 - Built by a Doctor for a Doctor!

Don't miss out - Only 1 fully functional Medical Office unit still available for lease in West Palm Beach

This large suite encompasses 4600 sq. ft. with 7 exam rooms, a large reception/medical records area, lab area, 2 nurses stations and a full lead lined X-Ray room. This building is close to I-95 and is centrally located. Ask us about the optional use of our 3000 sq. ft., ACHA certified and fully accredited Outpatient Surgery Center. Plenty of parking available and possible move-in incentives. Contact Candy Steiding at 561-968-7111 or candy@plasticsurgerypb.com for further information.

Needed New or Gently Used Medical Equipment

Clinics Can Help (CCH), a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization founded in 2005, gratefully accepts donations of new or gently used medical equipment which we clean and when necessary refurbish and provides it to convalescing or chronically ill children and adults in Palm Beach County. To inquire about donating medical equipment or supplies or for more information about CCH call 561.640.2995 today or go to www.clinicscanhelp.org.