



# Emergency Medicine Research & Academic News



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## HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

### Congratulations

**Nicole Acquisto** was selected for the 2013 ASHP Foundation Residency Excellence New Preceptor Award. This is a very competitive national award, and she was chosen among many very qualified candidates.

**Eric Davis** was promoted to Professor of Clinical Emergency Medicine, **Flavia Nobay** was promoted to Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine and **Manish Shah** was promoted to Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine with tenure.

**Flavia Nobay** was also elected by the Class of 2014 student inductees as faculty inductee to the University of Rochester School of Medicine & Dentistry's Zeta Chapter of Alpha Omega Alpha.

### Presentations

**Dave Adler** co-authored two posters for the Center For AIDS Research World AIDS Day poster session, one with his International Emergency Medicine Research fellow, **Rokhsanna Sadeghi**, entitled *Prevalence of Human Papillomavirus Among HIV-infected and HIV-uninfected Adolescent Women in Masiphumelele, South Africa* and the other with medical student David Griffith entitled *Knowledge of HPV Among HIV-infected and HIV-uninfected Adolescents in South Africa*.

**Tim Wiegand** attended and presented at the Pre-Conference Symposium for the Asian-Pacific Association of Medical Toxicology Annual Meeting on November 20, 2013 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, where he presented *Approach to Withdrawal Syndromes at MENATox (Middle East & North Africa Toxicology Association) Session on Drug Dependence and Addictions Treatment* as well as being a Panel Member & Diplomat discussant at MENATox sessions on serotonin syndrome, beta-blocker and calcium channel antagonist intoxication.

**Tim** was also reappointed to the Steering Committee for the American College of Medical Toxicology (ACMT) Toxicology Investigators Consortium (ToxIC) Case Registry for 2014. The ToxIC Investigators Consortium is a multi-site National and International Registry of patients seen at the bedside by Board Certified Medical Toxicologists. ToxIC includes 38 US sites with 68 specific institutions along with a growing number of international sites.

**Manish Shah**, who worked with Joyce Duckles, Craig Sellers and Stacy Salerno amongst a few others, presented *What makes for "successful" transitions from the emergency department to home and community among older adults?* At the Paper session presented at the 19th International Qualitative Health Research Conference: Navigating the Diversity of Qualitative Research, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada in October.

### Grant Opportunities

Announcement	Letter of Intent Due	Cycle	Maximum Budget	Maximum Project Period	Funds Available Up To
<a href="#">Assessment of Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment Options</a>	2/1/2014	April 2014	\$500,00 direct costs/year	3 Years	TBD
<a href="#">Improving Healthcare Systems</a>	2/1/2014	April 2014	\$500,00 direct costs/year	3 Years	TBD
<a href="#">Communication and Dissemination Research</a>	2/1/2014	April 2014	\$500,00 direct costs/year	3 Years	TBD
<a href="#">Addressing Disparities</a>	2/1/2014	April 2014	\$500,00 direct costs/year	3 Years	TBD
<a href="#">Improving Methods for Conducting Patient-Centered Outcomes Research</a>	2/1/2014	April 2014	\$500,00 direct costs/year	3 Years	TBD

#### Conducting Research in the Emergency Department

In addition to managing and supporting our faculty in their research interests, the Emergency Medicine Research Office also coordinates the conduct of research in the ED by outside investigators. With more than 130,000 combined annual visits, Strong Memorial and Highland Hospital Emergency Departments offer a rich research environment. The Emergency Department Research Associate program at Strong Memorial Hospital also offers investigators a dedicated resource to identify and enroll patients in research studies. Please contact us for more information.