Kudos:

In November, Dr. Devos spent a week in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia at Black Lion Specialty Hospital with faculty, residents, and nurses involved in developing an Emergency Medicine program. She gave lectures and workshops on Airway, Ultrasound, and Trauma. She additionally provided a CPR course for the new nurse ambulance program set to launch in December as the first pre-hospital care available in the capital region. The trip was funded through a grant with the American International Health Alliance and the University of Wisconsin.

Dr. Booth (Norse) is the new Chair of the Florida College of Emergency Physicians Medical Economics Committee, assuming the role at the 2009 Symposium by the Sea in August.

Dr. Joseph has earned the American Board of Bariatric Medicine: Certification in the Medical Management of Obesity (ABBM).

Dr. Sabato will assume the role of NAEMSP Public Health Committee Chair in January 2010.

Publications:

Dr. Gray served as a peer reviewer for the article Fixing Faces Painlessly: Facial Anesthesia in Emergency Medicine, (Binko, K.) for the December issue of Emergency Medicine Practice.

“Success Without Victory: A Conversation with Professor Robert L. Wears, MD, MS, FACEP” is featured in the CONVERsations section of the December issue of EM Pulse.

Drs. Lissoway and Booth’s case report “Fatal Retroperitoneal Hematoma Following the Use of Enoxaparin in a Patient with Atrial Flutter and High Risk Chest Pain” has been accepted for publication in The American Journal of Health-System Pharmacy.

Presentations:

At the Florida Association for Healthcare Quality 2010 Conference held April 21-23, 2010 in Orlando, Winter Haven Hospital will be presenting “Hospital Board Members and Line Staff on the Same Team: Improving Emergency Department Patient Satisfaction”. The University of Florida and Dr. Gray have helped make the Winter Haven program a success and will be credited during the presentation.

Dr. Godwin presented 3 lectures at the Symposia Medicus in Hilton Head Nov 18th-21st: New Airway Devices; Procedural Sedation from the Young to Old; and Ear Emergencies.

Dr. Godwin will lead the simulation training for Critical Points Early-Impact Critical Care course in Las Vegas Dec 5-7th.
Upcoming Deadlines:

- January 15, 2010-Call for Posters, Duval County Medical Society 2nd Annual Scientific Poster Session
- February 1, 2010-Call for Abstracts, University of Florida Jacksonville Medical Education Week

SAEM Deadlines:

- January 20, 2010-Call for Innovations in Emergency Medicine Education Exhibits
- February 3, 2010-Call for Photographs
- March 5, 2010-Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference Follow-up Research Special Issue
- March 26th, 2010-Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference

Upcoming Conferences:

JANUARY
7-9, Phoenix, AZ: NAEMSP Annual Meeting

MARCH
3-6, Orlando, FL: 2010 CORD Annual Academic Assembly
19-20, Sonoma, CA: SAEM Western Regional Research Forum & Medical Student Forum

APRIL
12-14, New York City: ACEP PEM Assembly
15-18, San Antonio, TX: AAP PEM Leadership Conference
21-23, Orlando: FAHQ Annual Conference

Medical Education Week, UF Jacksonville
Abstract Deadline February 1st
April 20-22nd
Daily lunch conferences throughout 20th. Inter-departmental simulation event
22nd. presentation of educational projects and ideas with awards
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