Kudos:
Dr. Zeretzke was selected by the AAP Section on Emergency Medicine Executive Committee to receive a $1000 scholarship to attend the AAP Advocacy Institute in Schaumburg, IL March 10-12.

Drs. Zeretzke, McIntosh and Wylie’s abstract, “Impact of an Immunization Registry on FWS in Children Aged 6-24 months who present to the Pediatric Emergency Department” has been selected for poster presentation at the SAEM Annual Meeting in Phoenix, AZ June 3-6.

Dr. Ricke and Hendry’s abstract “Incidence and recognition of elevated triage blood pressure in the pediatric emergency department” has been selected for poster presentation at the SAEM Annual.

Presentations:
Dr. Wears presented the keynote address “How can we explain the persistence of barely usable medical devices” to CHI-Med St. Albans, UK, on January 20th.

Dr. Wears presented the workshop “Joining simulation and patient safety” to the International Society for Simulation in Medicine, Phoenix, AZ, on January 25th.

Dr. Wears presented his paper “Questions for design for handoffs” to Computer-Supported Cooperative Work, Savannah, GA on February 7th.

Publications:
Simon LV, Carstairs, KL, Reardon, JM, Rudinsky SL, Riffenburgh, RH, Tanen, DA. Oxygen saturation is not clinically useful in the exclusion of bacterial pneumonia in febrile infants. Emergency Medicine Journal; in press


SAVE THE DATE
Department of EM Research Day:
March 24, 2010 Research Journal Club
5 pm River City Brewing Company

March 25, 2010 EM Research Day
(Required attendance)
Tentative Schedule:
8:00-8:30 Breakfast and vendors
8:30-8:45 Introductory Remarks
8:45-9:45 Guest speaker
Dr. Ricardo Martinez
9:45-10:00 Break
10:00-11:30 Oral Presentations:
Drs. Sheikh and Desai
Dr. Lissoway
Drs. Dembitsky and Lim
Dr. Ingram
Dr. Ricke
11:30-12:00 Resident Research Award
Dr. Caro
Closing Remarks
Dr. Vukich

Graduating Residents and Fellows not presenting at Research Day will briefly present their projects at Journal Club.
Upcoming Deadlines:
SAEM:
- March 5, 2010-Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference Follow-up Research Special Issue
- March 26th, 2010-Call for Papers, SAEM Consensus Conference

ACEP:
- April 30, 2010-Deadline for abstracts for oral and poster presentations for the 2010 Research Forum

AAP:

Upcoming Conferences:
MARCH
- 3-6, Orlando, FL: 2010 CORD Annual Academic Assembly
- 8-10, Tallahassee, FL: FCEP Emergency Medicine Days

MARCH, CONT.
- 19-20, Sonoma, CA: SAEM Western Regional Research Forum & Medical Student Forum
- 25th, UF Jacksonville, Department of Emergency Medicine Research Day

APRIL
- 9-10, Birmingham, AL: SAEM Regional Meeting
- 14, Shrewsbury, MA: SAEM New England Regional Meeting
- 12-14, New York City: ACEP PEM Assembly
- 15-18, San Antonio, TX: AAP PEM Leadership Conference
- 19-23, Medical Education Week, UF-JAX

MAY
- 21-23, Orlando: FAHQ Annual Conference

MAY
- 2-6, Phoenix, AZ: SAEM Consensus Conference & Annual Meeting