



Message from the Governor

We had a great chapter meeting in September in Lexington. Thank you to everyone who attended the meeting. Special recognition goes to our meeting planning committee (Dr. Peter Sawaya, Dr. Angie Webb and Dr. Rohit Kumar), our volunteer poster session judges, and all of our speakers. I am already looking forward to next year!

We will be electing our chapter's next governor in the fall of 2024; if you are interested in learning more about the role, please email me!

Please be sure to read through this newsletter for a recap of our annual meeting as well as some advocacy opportunities!

Regards,
Jenny Olges, MD, MPH, FACP
Governor, KY Chapter ACP

JOIN US FOR WELLNESS WEDNESDAYS



Our Chapter's Wellness Champions, Dr. Meagan Schaeffner and Dr. Angie Webb, host a virtual wellness opportunity on the last Wednesday of the month at noon.

Please consider joining us on November 29th.

Watch your inbox for a zoom link!

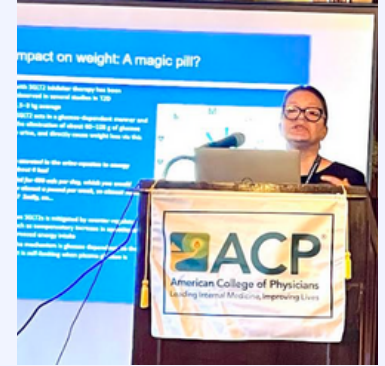
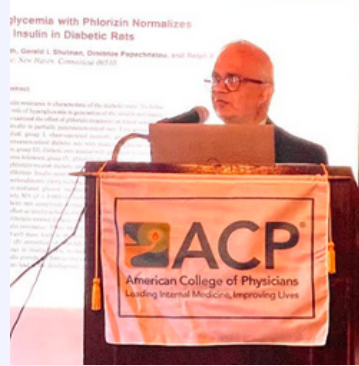
Annual Meeting Recap

September 15, 2023

UK Spindletop

Lexington, Kentucky

Practice Altering Advances in Medicine



Nephrologist Dr. Taha Ayach, cardiologist Dr. Dinesh Kalra, endocrinologist Dr. Sri Mokshagundam and obesity specialist Dr. Stephanie Rose sharing their perspectives on SGLT2 inhibitors



Dr. Mehdi Khosravi presenting the newest GINA guidelines for management of asthma



Dr. Brooke Phillips delivering the keynote address on precision medicine



Attendees learning point of care ultrasound techniques



Residents from five Kentucky internal medicine residency programs competing in Doctor's Dilemma UK Bowling Green was this year's winning team and represent Kentucky at the national competition at IM 2024

Annual Meeting Recap (continued)

Congratulations to our poster winners! Those who placed 1st will represent our chapter at IM 2024.

Medical Student Research

First Place: Matthew Collins (UofL)

Assessing the Homogeneity of Odds Ratios for COVID-19 Infection vs. Risk Factors for Pulmonary Embolism Using the Mantel-Haenszel Test

Second Place: Mohammed Haq (UofL)

Exploring Renal Epitranscriptomic Changes in Type 2 Diabetes: Influence of Exercise and Molecular Mechanisms

Third Place: Shelby Montgomery (UK)

Traumatic Experiences Among Hospitalized Individuals with Opioid Use Disorder: Insights from a Buprenorphine-Integrated Care Clinical Trial

Resident Research

First Place: Fawaz Mohammed (UK BG)

Sociodemographic factors and Tuberculosis Among Migrants and Ethnic Minorities, A Kentucky Experience

Second Place: Cristina Choidi (UofL)

Assessing Demographic Impact on Community Understanding of Proper Colorectal Cancer Screening and Access to Care

Third Place: Nada Qureshi (UK BG)

Meta-analysis of Immediate- versus Staged-complete Revascularization Strategies For Multivessel Disease In Acute Coronary Syndrome

Medical Student Clinical Vignette

First Place: Sydni Anderson (UK)

Oh, Snap! Ironman Triathlete Experiences Recurrent Stress Fractures After Decades of Carbamazepine Use

Second Place: Mohammed Hashem (Pikeville)

A Case of Modern Day Scurvy

Third Place: Lama Hanabali (UofL)

Novel Case of Longitudinally Complete Spinal Cord Lesion With Proposed "Ram" Sign

Resident Clinical Vignette

First Place: Esther Bak (UofL)

A Cutaneous Warning Sign: Paraneoplastic Remitting Seronegative Symmetrical Synovitis with Pitting Edema

Second Place: Aishwarya Thakurdesai (UofL)

A Rare Case of Severe Mpox Proctitis

Third Place: Syed Mufarrih (UK BG)

Mitral valve replacement for isolated mitral valve endocarditis- a survival case of Austrian Syndrome

ADVOCACY CORNER

Urge Congress to Support Implementation of the G2211 Code and Halt the 3.4% Physician Payment Cuts

ACP is calling on internal medicine physicians to urge your members of Congress to support the implementation of the new Medicare add-on code, G2211, included in the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' (CMS) 2024 Medicare Physician Fee Schedule (MPFS) final rule, while also acting to prevent an across-the-board 3.4 percent cut to physician payment scheduled to take effect on January 1, 2024.

Click [here](#) to read more about it and to conveniently contact your representatives!

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