Welcome once again to the fall edition of The Scope, a Division of Education publication for the residents, fellows and other learners of the Marshfield Clinic Health System (MCHS).

It is an exciting time for the MCHS! We are in the process of major expansion, the former St. Joseph’s Hospital is now the Marshfield Medical Center. In the city of Eau Claire, MCHS is building a hospital. It was also just announced that MCHS is formalizing a plan for a surgical hospital in the city of Wausau. Numerous other structural and System changes are happening as well, all to improve the care we provide to our patients.

As a result of these changes and our reaffirmed commitment to education, the former Ministry St. Joseph’s/ Marshfield Clinic Resident Programs are now the Marshfield Clinic Resident and Fellowship Programs. Our commitment to education extends to nursing with the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire College of Nursing and Health Sciences at Marshfield Clinic as well as the School of Radiography and the Nuclear Medicine Technology Program. Education has been a part of the Mission of the Marshfield Clinic for decades and will continue with the MCHS.

Special welcome to our new interns and residents. By now I hope you feel comfortable and well within your respective program. Residency is exciting, rewarding, challenging and, almost always, it is fast. Your time in training will pass by more quickly than you may like. Occasionally, step back and reflect on the moment. Appreciate what you are doing, the patients you encounter, and most importantly, the privilege of being a provider.

During training, your fellow residents, faculty, directors and administrators are there to help. If you need additional help or if you are having trouble adjusting to the myriad of changes that are happening, please feel free to contact the Resident Well-Being Committee (RWBC), a confidential resource for our learners.

Again, welcome to Marshfield — this academic year will certainly be exciting!

Matthew J. Jansen, M.D.
Director of Education
Welcome New Residents/Fellows!

Marshfield Clinic’s Division of Education is pleased to welcome the 30 new residency/fellowship trainees seen on this page.

They join 49 “veteran” trainees.
The Marshfield Convention and Visitor Bureau maintains an updated Web site that includes information about Marshfield attractions, community links, dining options and festivals.

http://visitmarshfield.com

The UW-Marshfield/Wood County campus is home to the Helen Connor Laird Fine Arts Building, a venue for performing arts within the greater Marshfield community. The Laird Endowment Fund for the Arts supports cultural and/or artistic events held in theatre(s) of this building.

http://marshfield.uwc.edu

The Chestnut Avenue Center for the Arts is Marshfield’s newest venue for performing arts, visual arts and literary arts. Located in downtown Marshfield, it’s a place to enjoy concerts, plays, poetry readings, recitals, art gallery shows and workshops. You will find individual artists’ and musicians’ studios, classes, jam sessions and much more.

http://www.chestnutarts.org/

With a mission to promote excellence in the performing arts in North Central Wisconsin, Wausau’s Grand Theatre reaches over 150,000 people each year with performances and instructional programs.

http://www.grandtheater.org

Started as a gift to the Spencer School District in 1995, the LuCille track Center for the Arts presents legends and rising starts in music, theatre, dance, film and the visual arts.

http://lucilletrackcenter.com

The Vox Concert Series is a music series that features promising solo musicians and bands on the threshold of crossing over to contemporary radio, in addition to signed musicians. More information about Vox Concert Series events can be found on their website.

http://www.voxconcertseries.com

India Festival and Colorfest Walk scheduled for August 5th at Marshfield Fairgrounds. For more details, please visit this site:

http://visitmarshfield.com/events/india-festival-and-colorfest-walk/
Medical education is a foundational component of the Marshfield Clinic. Our new residents exemplify this very well. Their enthusiastic desire to learn reflects the dedication to learning that our founding physicians made over 100 years ago. Our residency programs benefit all of us for our own learning and for the excellent care we provide as a teaching medical center. So, please join RWBC in welcoming all the new residents. You are part of an important tradition and we’re glad you’re here.

In June we celebrated resident graduation. The large gathering demonstrated how each resident’s success involved a community of support. That community included residency faculty and staff and families and friends.

No resident can succeed in training in isolation. This is where we, as a medical community, have an important role with new residents. National studies consistently identify first-year residents as most vulnerable to adjustment difficulties, including emotional and performance concerns. This is due to the many changes new residents make including moving to a new area with its own particular culture, increased distance from family and friends and new roles as medical residents rather than medical students.

So how do we support new residents? RWBC has several suggestions:

1. Introduce yourself and welcome new residents. Taking the time to do this reinforces the sense of community, of having a role here and being valued.
2. Offer tips on working in the medical system and living in the community. Your suggestions will help residents adapt more quickly and begin to connect at work and in town.
3. Offer to be part of their neighborhood watch (see RWBC website for more info). If you see a resident looking a bit puzzled, offer to help. Doing this reinforces that we expect residents to join us to learn, not to already be experts. If a new resident appears to be struggling, ask them how they are doing, offer to listen or suggest they check out the RWBC website contact RWBC for a confidential consultation.

In 1916 six physicians chose to join together to form a group practice. They named it not for themselves, but for the community they lived in. The medical community they created is what, 100 years later, our new residents join. Let’s all carry on the tradition and welcome our new residents to the community.
Recent Grads and Their Plans

Twenty-four residents and two fellows completing training at Marshfield Clinic and Ministry Saint Joseph’s Hospital of Marshfield were honored during the 40th annual Residents’ and Fellows’ Recognition Evening held June 9 at Hotel Marshfield in Marshfield.

Those honored and their plans include:

**Dermatology Residency Program:** Tyler Conway, M.D., dermatologist at Parkview Physician at Allina Health Clinic – St. Paul, Minnesota; and Melissa Williams, M.D., Parkview Physicians Group – Bryan, Ohio.

**General Surgery Residency Program:** Celeste Adrian, M.D., general surgeon at Mercy Clinic Oklahoma/Mercy Hospital Ada – Ada, Oklahoma; Andrew Kamien, M.D., critical care fellowship at Medical College of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and Dustin Lucarelli, M.D., general surgeon at Fairview Range Medical Center – Hibbing, Minnesota.

**Internal Medicine Residency Program:** Ali Al-Hilli, M.D., hospitalist at Marshfield Clinic Health System – Marshfield, Wisconsin; Iliya Amaza, M.D., pulmonary/critical care fellowship at University of Iowa – Iowa City, Iowa; Christopher Barusya, M.D., hospitalist at Mayo Clinic Health System – Eau Claire, Wisconsin; Praveen Errabelli, M.D., nephrology/critical care fellowship at University of Arkansas – Little Rock, Arkansas; Raviteja Guddeti, M.D., cardiology fellowship at Creighton University – Omaha, Nebraska; Pooja Kumari, M.D., undetermined; Faran Polani, M.D., hospitalist at Houston Methodist Hospital – Houston, Texas; and Arinzechukwu Uzoechma, M.D., hospitalist at Marshfield Clinic Health System – Marshfield, Wisconsin.

**Internal Medicine-Pediatrics Residency Program:** Jessica Marshall, M.D., med-peds physician at Marshfield Clinic Health System – Rhinelander, Wisconsin; and Shalini Ravi, M.D., med-peds physician at Marshfield Clinic Health System – Marshfield, Wisconsin.

**Pediatric Residency Program:** Sukeshi Patel, M.D., primary care pediatatian at Carondelet Medical Group – Sahuarita, Arizona; Arun Prasath, M.D., pediatric hospitalist at Mayo Clinic Health System – Mankato, Minnesota; Karishma Rao, M.D., neonatal/perinatal fellowship at Children’s Mercy Hospital – Kansas City, Missouri; Chetan Sharma, M.D., cardiology fellowship at Hofstra University Long Island, New York; Rod Shinozaki, M.D., pediatric critical care medicine fellowship at UCLA Mattel Children’s Hospital – Los Angeles, California; and Amna Zarar, M.D., primary care pediatrician at North Florida Pediatrics – Lake City, Florida.

**Pharmacy PGY-1 Residency Program:** Emili Leary, Pharm.D., research project pharmacist/casual status pharmacist at Marshfield Clinic – Marshfield, Wisconsin; Joshua Lee, Pharm.D., Clinical Pharmacy Specialist for Clinical Pharmacy Services at Marshfield Clinic – Marshfield, Wisconsin; and Katherine Lorson, Pharm.D., clinical pharmacy specialist at Marshfield Hospital – Marshfield, Wisconsin.

**Palliative Medicine Fellowship Program:** Timothy Borden, D.O., palliative medicine physician at Sr. Mary’s Hospital – Duluth, Minnesota.

**Post-Doctoral Pediatric Psychology Fellowship Program:** Rachel Young, Psy.D., psychologist at Marshfield Clinic.

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2017 Education Awards

- Division of Education Excellence in Education Award: Duane Myklejord, M.D.
- Gail H. Williams, M.D. Teaching Award for Excellence in Surgical Resident Education: Kathleen Dominguez, M.D.
- George E. Magnin, M.D. Teaching Award for Excellence in Medical Education: Janaki Manne, M.D.
- Joseph J. Mazza, M.D. Teaching Award for Excellence in Combined Internal Medicine-Pediatric Education: Lee Cody, M.D.
- Gerald E. Porter, M.D. Teaching Award for Excellence in Pediatric Education: Monica Koehn, M.D.
- Dermatology Residency Program Outstanding Teacher Award: Thomas McIntee, M.D.

The combined residency program has now graduated a total of 714 residents and 41 post-doctoral fellows since 1974. More than 80 of those graduates are caring for patients at Marshfield Clinic.
Looking Back at Recognition Evening...

More photos of Recognition Evening available by contacting Division of Education. Special thanks to Mac Bailey, Marshfield Clinic photographer.
June 9, 2017 at Hotel Marshfield

(L to R): Tonja Larson, Pharm.D., Emili Leary, Pharm.D., Joshua Lee, Pharm.D., and Katherine Lorson, Pharm.D.

(L to R): Amna Zarar, M.D., Sukeshi Patel, M.D., Karishma Rao, M.D., Rod Shinozaki, M.D., Chetan Sharma, M.D., and Arun Prasath, M.D.

Melissa Williams, M.D., Erik Stratman, M.D.

Alfonso Velasco, M.D.

Suzanne Wright, M.D., Kathleen Finta, M.D.

Jessica Marshall, M.D., Jonathon Hornbrook, D.O., Kathleen Finta, M.D.

Atteq Rehman, M.D., Gary Van Oudenhoven, M.D., Faran Polani, M.D.
Best of Marshfield Survey 2017 Results

Best of Marshfield Tourism Awards

Best Lunch Spot – The Daily Grind
Best Burger – Nutz Deep II
Best Dining Experience – Royal Tokyo
Best Ethnic Restaurant – El Mezcal
Best Festival – Maple Fall Fest
Fine Dining – The Thomas House
Fish Fry – RiverEdge Golf Course & Banquet Facility
Reuben Sandwich – Blue Heron BrewPub
Hair Salon – Blues Hair Studio
Convenience Store – Kwik Trip
Ice Cream – Hub City Ice Cream
Downtown Shop – Back Porch Living
Greenhouse/Florist – Hefko Floral
Music Entertainment – VOX Concert Series
Pizza – Scotty’s Pizza
Nail Salon – Q Nails and Spa
Sporting Event – Chaparrals Baseball
Tourist Attraction – Rotary Winter Wonderland

As listed on the Marshfield Convention & Visitors Bureau Website:
http://visitmarshfield.com/best/

The Best of Marshfield Survey is an annual measure of the best offerings in Marshfield and the surrounding areas. Developed by a Leadership Marshfield class in 2009, this project was designed to increase the awareness of local businesses with area residents and visitors. The public is encouraged to express their opinion by voting for their favorites in Marshfield.

The survey is conducted in April and results are announced in May at the Tourism Banquet. Winners in each category receive plaques and bragging rights for the year.
MCHS Completes Purchase of Marshfield Hospital

As seen on Marshfield Clinic’s Internet Site: https://www.marshfieldclinic.org/news/news-articles/purchase-of-marshfield-hospital-complete

July 1, 2017—Saint Joseph’s Hospital now called Marshfield Medical Center

Marshfield Clinic Health System today marked an exciting new chapter with the completed asset purchase of Saint Joseph’s Hospital in Marshfield.

The 500-bed hospital, now called Marshfield Medical Center, together with the Clinic, provides complete inpatient and outpatient care for central Wisconsin and beyond. The hospital purchase also adds approximately 1,200 employees to MCHS.

"This is a wonderful day for the Marshfield community," said MCHS CEO Dr. Susan Turney. "The Clinic and hospital are part of the very fabric of Marshfield and represent an enormous percentage of the local workforce. We now have certainty that those jobs will stay in Marshfield, and the community will continue to have world-class clinical and acute care."

The completed purchase follows the April signing of a definitive agreement between MCHS and Saint Joseph's Hospital of Marshfield, Inc., an affiliate of Ministry Health Care, part of Ascension Wisconsin.

"I am deeply grateful to the community for its patience, our leaders for their persistence and all of our employees for making this day possible. Without their support, we never could have reached this moment," Turney said. "I also want to welcome our hospital employees who we have long known and called our colleagues. Thank you for your dedication to patients throughout this process and for coming aboard with us as we embark on a new journey."

A ribbon cutting ceremony and community celebration was held 4-7 p.m. Wednesday, July 12, at Marshfield Medical Center.

For 100 years, Marshfield Clinic has been a leader in providing high quality health care, research and education. The addition of the Marshfield hospital allows MCHS to provide the full continuum of care, the opportunity to enhance patient experience and better control patient costs.

MCHS also operates Lakeview Medical Center in Rice Lake, and co-sponsors Flambeau Hospital in Park Falls with Ministry Health Care. Construction of a cancer center and hospital in Eau Claire is underway and MCHS is pursuing hospital opportunities in Minocqua and Ladysmith.

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Marshfield Clinic Health System (MCHS) oversees Marshfield Clinic and other subsidiaries, including Security Health Plan of Wisconsin, Inc., MCIS, Inc., Marshfield Clinic Health System Foundation, Marshfield Medical Center in Marshfield, Flambeau Hospital in Park Falls and Lakeview Medical Center in Rice Lake. Marshfield Clinic, with more than 50 locations in Wisconsin, serves patients through accessible, high quality health care, research and education; with more than 700 physician specialists in 86 specialties and subspecialties and more than 8,000 employees. MCHS is overseen by a Board of Directors with 13 independent members and 11 physicians who comprise the Marshfield Clinic Board.
Residency/Fellow Grads Now Practicing at Clinic

**Dermatology Residency Program**
Meredith Hancock, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Thomas J. McIntee, M.D. – Marshfield Center
*Erik J. Stratman, M.D. – Marshfield Center (also listed within the Transitional Year Residency Program)*

**General Surgery Residency Program**
Jose Andres Moreno Lopez, M.D. – Rice Lake Center
Hope S. Maki, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Philip J. Mofle, M.D. – Rice Lake Center
Steven B. Sanford, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Timothy J. Wengert, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Jessica A. Wernberg, M.D. – Marshfield Center

**Internal Medicine Residency Program**
Ajit Abraham, M.D. – Marshfield Center (also listed within the Palliative Medicine Fellowship Program)
Michael G. Aldrich, M.D. – Merrill Center
Ali Al-Hilli, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Sowjanya Bapani, M.D. – Marshfield Center
David A. Cleveland, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Grace C. Devadas, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Thomas C. Gabert, M.D. – Minocqua Center
Adriane Gianlupi, M.D. – Eau Claire Center
Jendra Gosai, M.D. – Minocqua Center
Dana Habash-Bseiso, M.D. – Marshfield Center
David J. Heegeman, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Mark R. Hennick, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Renee A. Hoynacke, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Matthew J. Jansen, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Lopa S. Kabir-Islam, M.D. – Weston Center
Yusuf Kasirye, M.D. – Park Falls Center
Roderick D. Koehler, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Sarah Komanapalli, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Ewa Kubica, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Grace V. Laynes, M.D. – Wausau Center
Jiangming Luo, M.D., Ph.D. – Marshfield Center
Janaki Manne, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Urszula Moldysz, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Sumedha R. Pathak, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Theodore Praxel, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Katie Reimer, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Mark J. Schwartz, M.D. – Mosinee Center
Harjot Sidhu, M.D. – Marshfield Clinic

Rama Singh, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Susan L. Turney, M.D. – Chief Executive Officer
Arinzechukwu Uzoechina, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Anshu Varma, M.D. – Weston Center
Jayanth Vedre, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Vinaya S. Vinodu, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Kelli Wehman-Tubbs, D.O. – Colby Center

**Internal Medicine-Pediatrics Residency Program**
Jonathon Forncrook D.O. – Marshfield Center
Matthew C. Hall, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Jessica Marshall, M.D. – Rhinelander Center
Jian Khamo-Soskos, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Atif Khan, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Kori K. Krueger, M.D. – Stratford Center
Saqib Mahmud, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Shalini Ravi, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Athanasios Soskos, M.D. – Marshfield Center

**Pediatric Residency Program**
Rebecca J. Allen, M.D. – Ladysmith Center
Raza Bajwa, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Adrienne M. Cruz, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Edna O. DeVries, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Daryl L. Fish, D.O., M.P.H. – Marshfield Center
Janice B. Heikenen, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Elizabeth V. Hilbelink, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Jacob Lonsdale, M.D. – Marshfield Center
James A. Meyer, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Jamie L. Peterson, M.D. – Wausau Center
Keith Pulvermacher, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Sushma Thappeta, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Victoria L. Viegut, M.D. – Marshfield Center

**Palliative Medicine Fellowship Program**
Ajit O. Abraham, M.D. – Marshfield Center (also listed within the Internal Medicine Residency Program)
John (Jay) A. Bennett, D.O. – Marshfield Center

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Residency/Fellow Grads Now Practicing at Clinic

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Pharmacy Residency Program
Blake Carley, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Mary Ellen Gullickson, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Kristen Henry, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Emli Leary, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Joshua Lee, Pharm.D – Marshfield Center
Katherine Lorson, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Katherine Nichols, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Xin Ruppel, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Andrew Starzinski, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center
Kurt Wittig, Pharm.D. – Marshfield Center

Transitional Year Residency Program
Dennis R. Anderson, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Kristin M. Gerndt, M.D. – Marshfield Center
James A. Holzberger, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Grace V. Laynes, M.D. – Wausau Center (also listed within the Internal Medicine Residency Program)
Brian J. Parker, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Scott J. Paulman, M.D. – Marshfield Center
Erik J. Stratman, M.D. – Marshfield Center (also listed within the Dermatology Residency Program)

Post-Doctoral Psychology Fellowship Program
Stacy Braun, Ph.D. – Marshfield Center
Julie Kaprelian, Psy.D. – Marshfield Center
Rachel Young, Psy.D. – Marshfield Center

85 total as of 8/1/2017 (three physicians listed in two categories)

2017-2018 Graduate Medical Education Leadership Team
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Program Coordinator: Kathy Fuchs

Internal Medicine Residency Program
Program Director: Ateeq Rehman, M.D.
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Program Coordinator: Nicky Kumm

Internal Medicine-Pediatrics Residency Program
Program Directors: Jonathon Forncrook, D.O.
Assistant Program Director: Kathleen Finta, M.D.
Program Coordinators: Lisa Weigel

Pediatric Residency Program
Program Director: Suzanne Wright, M.D.
Assistant Program Director: Kathleen M. Finta, M.D.
Program Coordinator: Shirley Disch

PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Program
Program Director: Sara A. Griesbach, Pharm.D.
Program Coordinator: Lisa Weigel

Palliative Medicine and Hospice Fellowship Program
Program
Program Director: Tomasz R. Okon, M.D.
Program Coordinator: Aimie Eckelberg

Post-Doctoral Psychology Fellowship Program - Pediatric and Child/Adolescent
Program Director: Michael J. Schulein, Ph.D.
Program Coordinator: Aimie Eckelberg

Post-Doctoral Psychology Fellowship Program - Adult
Program Director: Jennifer L. Michels, Ph.D.
Program Coordinator: Aimie Eckelberg
And Other Things to Do...

**Nature Trails in Central Wisconsin**

- George W. Mead & McMillan Marsh Wildlife Areas
- Joe & Bernadine Weber's Nature Park
- The Sandhill Wildlife Area
- UW Arboretum

**Events in Central Wisconsin**

- **31st Annual Culture & Agricultural Exhibit** (July 5 to September 1, 2017 at New Visions Gallery in the Marshfield Clinic)
- **Central Wisconsin State Fair** (August 30 to September 4, 2017 at Marshfield Fairgrounds)
- **Live Music at Hardacre Park** (thru October 27, 2017 at Hardacre Park on 453 S. Central Avenue every Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.)
- **25th Annual Maple Fall Fest** (September 16-17, 2017 at Wildwood Park & Zoo in Marshfield)

**A Few Other Attractions in Central Wisconsin**

- **Jurustic Park** (open spring through Labor Day and by appointment)
- **Wildwood Park & Zoo** (open year-round with varying hours)

**Eating and Drinking in Central Wisconsin**

Visit this site for some dining options in Marshfield (not a comprehensive list)

Click on this link in order to view the entire *2017 Marshfield Wisconsin Visitors Guide*. 

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Intranet Sites Worth Exploring:

For more information about Resident Research, please visit this site: [http://srdweb1/clinical/dept/coe/Resident_Research/default.asp](http://srdweb1/clinical/dept/coe/Resident_Research/default.asp)

To learn more about the medical library, please visit this site: [http://srdweb1/clinical/dept/coe/medical_library/](http://srdweb1/clinical/dept/coe/medical_library/)

To learn more about the Clinic’s patient simulation lab, please visit this site: [http://srdweb1.srd.local/clinical/dept/coe/corporate_education/sim_lab/sim_lab.asp](http://srdweb1.srd.local/clinical/dept/coe/corporate_education/sim_lab/sim_lab.asp)