

CUMBERLAND PEDIATRIC FOUNDATION

January 4, 2012

ROCKIN' THE ROUNDTABLE

FRANKLIN

Please join us for a luncheon and roundtable discussion with other Cumberland Pediatric Foundation office managers in your area.

Thursday, January 12th

Chuy's Restaurant - 3061 Mallory Lane, Franklin, TN 37067

11:30 – 1 p.m.

Click [here](#) to register

HIP TN SURVEY

HIP TN is conducting several phases of research (focus groups, interviews, online survey) and would like to include as many different providers as possible. If you have already participated in the research or indicated your preference not to do so, you may disregard this message. As a healthcare provider in the state of Tennessee, you are invited to participate in a short survey regarding **medication history data**. This survey is being sponsored by the Health Information Partnership for Tennessee (HIP TN). This is a statewide initiative to explore interest in a new medication history service and then to define such a service so that it meets users' critical requirements. Make sure your opinions are heard and let your requirements be known! Cumberland supports the efforts of HIP TN with this initiative and encourages you to provide your insights! Please click on the link below to answer the survey regarding your needs and usage of patient medication histories – it should only take **8-10 minutes** to complete the survey, and your opinions are vital to the success of the study and to the development of services that will be helpful to you. Please respond no later than **January 11, 2012**. Should you have any questions about this research, please contact Karolyn Broussard at Kbroussard@c3-consult.com or 615-414-2226. <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/HH76YRK>

NEW MGMA CHAPTER

A new MGMA Chapter is being chartered in Columbia, Tennessee, called Southern Middle Tennessee Medical Group Management Association. Maury Regional Medical Center has agreed to pay for the first year of dues, so meetings are completely free to any manager who wishes to attend in any county. This is a great resource and opportunity for office managers to share information, hear educational speakers and network with other managers. They meet the second Tuesday of every month in Columbia. Please click [here](#) for information about the January meeting and membership.

FREE CME PROGRAMS

Date: Tuesday, January 31, 2012

“Menstrual Disorders in the Adolescent”

Faculty: Mary Romano, MD

Location: Ruth's Chris Steak House, Nashville, TN

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Free to CPF Providers. Room is limited.

1.0 Elective credit(s) Click [here](#) to register

Date: Thursday, February 9, 2012

“Management of Pediatric Neuropathic Pain”

Faculty: Andrew Franklin, MD

Location: Ruth's Chris Steak House, Nashville, TN

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Free to CPF Providers. Room is limited.

(CME PENDING) Click [here](#) to register

Date: Tuesday, February 21

“Infectious Diseases”

Faculty: Buddy Creech, MD

Location: Ruth’s Chris Steak House, Nashville, TN

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Free to CPF Providers. Room is limited.

(CME PENDING) Click [here](#) to register

VANDERBILT vs. SOUTH CAROLINA MEN’S BASKETBALL GAME

Wednesday, February 22nd

Reception: 5 p.m. Game Time: 7 p.m.

A limited amount of tickets are available for CPF physicians to attend the Vanderbilt vs. South Carolina Men’s Basketball Game! CPF will host a pre-game reception with a complimentary catered meal, beverages and lots of fun in the Admiral’s Room inside the Vanderbilt Memorial Gym. **Half of the game tickets are reserved for community members & the other half are reserved for Vanderbilt members. Tickets will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis, and each member is limited to 2 tickets.** RSVP to Mandy Thompson at Amanda.Thompson@vanderbilt.edu or call (615) 322-6534.

PALS AND PEARS CLASS FOR 2012

Free to CPF Members and Staff (Class is limited register early!)

PALS: **March 15** (Register [here](#)), **September 27** (Register [here](#))

PEARS: **February 23** (Register [here](#)), **May 31** (Register [here](#))

August 23 (Register [here](#)), **November 15** (Register [here](#))

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

A board certified pediatrician is seeking full-time or part-time employment in middle Tennessee. The pediatrician completed pediatric residency at the University of South Florida in Tampa this past summer. After taking some time off to study for the pediatric boards, the candidate is now looking for job opportunities. For a copy of the CV please contact

Carolyn.s.marlin@vanderbilt.edu

ARTICLE IN CURRENT PEDIATRICS JOURNAL

“Immunizing Parents and Other Close Family Contacts in the Pediatric Office Setting”

Herschel R. Lessin, MD, Kathryn M. Edwards, MD, and the

COMMITTEE ON PRACTICE AND AMBULATORY MEDICINE AND THE

COMMITTEE ON INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Additional strategies are needed to protect children from vaccine-preventable diseases. In particular, very young infants, as well as children who are immunocompromised, are at especially high risk for developing the serious consequences of vaccine-preventable diseases and cannot be immunized completely. There is some evidence that children who become infected with these diseases are exposed to pathogens through household contacts, particularly from parents or other close family contacts. *Source: Pediatrics 2012; 129:1 e247-e253; published ahead of print December 26, 2011,*

doi:10.1542/peds.2011-2937 <http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/129/1/e247.full>

GRAND ROUNDS

Pediatric Grand Rounds are held every Tuesday morning from 7:45 to 8:45 a.m. in the Monroe Carell Jr. Children’s Hospital at Vanderbilt Theater, Room 2210.

1/10/12: “Bringing Genomics Closer to the Bedside of Children With Septic Shock”

Hector R. Wong, MD, Director, Division of Critical Care Medicine, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center
Professor of Pediatrics, University of Cincinnati School of Medicine

For a complete list go to: <http://pediatrics.mc.vanderbilt.edu/interior.php?mid=4938>