



Office of the Chair - Week of January 19 - 23, 2009

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## Newsletter

### Meetings

Monday	01/19/09		Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
Tuesday	01/20/09	12:00 noon	Outpatient Clinic Committee Meeting
Thursday	01/22/09	8:00 a.m.	Call Center Meeting
			<u>Resident Lectures:</u>
		8:00 a.m.	PGY 3 – “Object Relations” Dr. Gilson Webb PGY 4 – Evidence Based Clinical Practice Course with the Medical Students
		8:20 a.m.	PGY 1 – Six month evaluations
		9:00 a.m.	PGY 2 – “Psychological Testing” Dr. Irving Weiner PGY 3 – “Clinical/Continuous Case Conference” Dr. Kailie Shaw/Elizabeth Reese, LCSW CHILD – “Forensics and Ethics” Dr. Wade Myers
		10:00 a.m.	PGY 2 – “Introduction to Child & Adolescent Psychiatry: Depression” CHILD – “Forensics and Ethics” Dr. Wade Myers
		11:00 a.m.	Residents Meeting
		12:00 noon	NO GRAND ROUNDS
		1:00 p.m.	GERIATRIC FELLOWS – “Sexual Disorders in the Elderly” Dr. Julia Winston
		1:30 - 4:30	FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY DIDACTICS (SCDC Conference Room)
Friday	01/23/09		<u>Medical Student Lectures:</u>
		8:00 a.m.	“Personality” Dr. Elizabeth Vidal
		9:00 a.m.	“Eating Disorders” Dr. Powers
		10:00 a.m.	“Psychiatry Review” Dr. Glenn Catalano
		1:00 p.m.	“Low Back Pain” Dr. Krolczyk
		2:00 p.m.	“Ataxia” Dr. Krolczyk
		3:00 p.m.	“Neurology Review” Dr. Rossitza Chichkova
		4:00 p.m.	“Movement Disorders” Dr. Theresa Zesiewicz

## In The Know!

*Happy Birthday Wishes to Janet Stanonis/January 23<sup>rd</sup>.*

On March 13, 2009 at 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. The Signature Interdisciplinary Program in Neuroscience presents USF Neuroscience Research Day featuring keynote speaker Dr. Stan Appel. Dr. Appel is Chair, Department of Neurology, Methodist Neurological Institute and director of the MDA/ALS Research and Clinical Center. His translational research and clinical practice focuses on nerve and muscle disorders as well as degenerative diseases including multi-system atrophy, Parkinson's disease, Alzheimer's disease and special emphasis on amyotrophic lateral sclerosis. Dr. Appel's lecture will be followed by a USF research poster symposium. Dr. Appel's lecture will be held at MacInnes Auditorium, Tampa General Hospital. The Research Poster Symposium and lunch will be held in the Rehab Activity Room in the Rehabilitation Center at Tampa General Hospital. For more information, please contact Heather Weeks at [hweeks@health.usf.edu](mailto:hweeks@health.usf.edu).

## **Research Happenings!**

USF Psychiatry is participating in a nationwide clinical research study for children and adolescents diagnosed with Tourette's Disorder. The study is being conducted on behalf of Boehringer-Ingelheim and seeks to evaluate the safety and efficacy of an investigational medication versus placebo for 6 weeks followed by an open-label follow-up study for participants aged 6-17 inclusive. For more information, call Colleen Killian, BA, at 974-9104. To make a referral, call 974-1404.

Lundbeck Study, Carlos Santana, M.D. (principal investigator) – USF Psychiatry Department is participating in a nationwide clinical research study being conducted to examine the neurocognitive effect of sertindole versus quetiapine in patients with schizophrenia, taking a stable dose of antipsychotic for the last 4 weeks and their physician is considering a change in medications due to suboptimal response or side effect of their current antipsychotic. For more information, call Colleen Killian, BA at 974-9104; or to make a referral, call 974-1404.

Generalized Anxiety Study (Carlos Santana, M.D. – principal investigator) now open and enrolling. This is a nationwide study of an investigational medication compared to duloxetine and placebo (4 out of 5 chance of being on an active medication). Participation would last about three months and would require eight study visits. For more information, call Maggie Stratton, BA at 813-974-8242. To make a referral, call 974-1404.