

Office of the Chair - Week of April 13 - 17, 2009

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Newsletter

Meetings

Tuesday	04/14/09	12:00 noon	Outpatient Clinic Committee Meeting
Thursday	04/16/09	8:00 a.m.	Call Center Meeting
		8:00 a.m.	<u>Resident Lectures:</u> PGY 1 – “Doctor Patient Relationship Interview Skills” Dr. John Zak PGY 2 – Consultation Liaison – “ICU Psychiatry” Dr. Brian Keefe PGY 3 – “Interpersonal Psychotherapy” Dr. Robert Fernandez CHILD – “Development – Emotional/Social Development - Middle Childhood” Dr. Sandra Stock
		9:00 a.m.	PGY 2 – “Cognitive Behavioral Therapy” Dr. Eric Storch – Morsani 3003 PGY 3 – “Cognitive Behavioral Therapy” Dr. Eric Storch – Morsani 3003 CHILD – “Forensics and Ethics” Dr. Wade Myers
		10:00 a.m.	PGY 2 – “Supportive Psychotherapy” Dr. Robert Fernandez CHILD – “Forensics and Ethics” Dr. Wade Myers
		11:00 a.m.	Residents Meeting
		12:00 noon	GRAND ROUNDS – “Disaster Mental Health and Older Adults” Lisa Brown, Ph.D., Assistant Professor USF Dept. Of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine Dept. of Aging and Mental Health Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute
		1:00 p.m.	GERIATRIC FELLOWS – “Psychiatric Manifestations of Seizure in the Elderly” Dr. Jean Fils
		1:30 - 4:30	FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY DIDACTICS (SCDC Conference Room)
Friday	04/17/09		<u>Medical Student Lectures:</u>
		8:30 a.m.	“Psychopharmacology” Dr. Glenn Catalano
		10:00 a.m.	“Thought Disorders” Dr. Glenn Catalano
		1:00 p.m.	“Mood Disorders” Dr. Barbara Lubrano

In The Know!

Happy Birthday Wishes to Dr. Susan Leibmann/April 13th, Christa Bartell/April 14th and Dr. Robert Fernandez/April 15th.

Please join us in welcoming Dr. Amit Razdan, Assistant Professor and Child Psychiatrist, to our Department at a *Welcome Breakfast* on Tuesday, April 14th at 8:30 a.m. in the Hideaway Café.

Congratulations to Michael Schoenberg, Ph.D., who recently received a joint appointment in the Department of Neurology as an Associate Professor.

On Friday, April 17th from 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. The Carter-Jenkins Center will present “Reel to Real Reflections – The Willow Tree (2005)” conducted by Frances Marton, MSW, Associate Director of The Carter-Jenkins Center and Tom Haukaas, M.D.

Research Happenings!

CONNECT Study, Carlos Santana, M.D. (Principal Investigator) – USF Department of Psychiatry is participating in a nationwide clinical research study being conducted to examine the efficacy and safety of oral doses of an investigational product, AVE 1625 (a CB1 antagonist), as an add on treatment in patients with an established treatment regimen of either olanzapine, risperidone/paliperidone, quetiapine, or aripiprazole monotherapy in the treatment of [Cognitive Impairment in Schizophrenia](#). For more information, call Melissa Vila, LPN, at 974-2441; or to make a referral, call 974-1404.

GSK Bipolar Kids Study, Sandra Stock, M.D. (principal investigator) – The USF Department of Psychiatry Silver Child Development Center is participating in a nationwide clinical research study being conducted to evaluate LAMICTAL as an Add-on treatment for [Bipolar I Disorder in Children and Adolescents](#), ages 10-17. For more information, call Colleen Killian, BA at 974-9104; or to make a referral, call 974-1404.

Excellent Study Opportunity!!! [Schizophrenia](#) IM Depot Abilify Study, The USF Department of Psychiatry is participating in a nationwide clinical research trial evaluating the efficacy, safety, and tolerability of Aripiprazole IM Depot as Maintenance Treatment in patients with [Schizophrenia](#). For more information, call Colleen Killian, BA at 974-9104; or to make a referral, call 974-1404.

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.