Office of the Chair - Week of January 29 – February 2, 2007

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Newsletter

Meetings

Tuesday 01/30/07 12:00 noon Outpatient Clinic Committee Meeting

Wednesday 01/31/07 12:00 noon Curriculum Committee Meeting
1:30 p.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday 02/01/07 8:00 a.m. Call Center Meeting

Resident Lectures:
8:00 a.m. PGY 1 – “Emergency Psychiatry” Dr. Ruano
8:00 a.m. PGY 2 – Child and Adolescent Psychopathology
“Mental Retardation and Pervasive Developmental Disorders” Dr. Ramos
8:00 a.m. PGY 3 – “Outpatient Long-Term Case Conference”
Drs. Nagera/R. Fernandez
8:00 a.m. PGY 4 – Neuropsychiatry “Neuropsychiatric Complications of HIV-1 Infection” e-learning
Dr. F. Fernandez (ongoing)
8:00 a.m. CHILD – “Forensic Seminar” Dr. Myers
9:00 a.m. PGY 1 – “Psychopathology” Dr. Nagera
9:00 a.m. PGY 2 – “Individual Psychotherapy” Dr. R. Fernandez
9:00 a.m. PGY 3 – Forensic Psychiatry “Being an Expert Witness” Drs. Myers/Taylor
9:00 a.m. PGY 4 – Board Review
10:00 a.m. PGY 1 – “Schizophrenia & Antipsychotics”
Dr. Santana
10:00 a.m. PGY 2 – “Somatic Therapies” Dr. Santana
10:00 a.m. PGY 3 – “Psychopharm Case Conference”
Dr. Sheehan
10:00 a.m. PGY 4 – Neuropsychiatry “Confusional States and Delirium: Focus on Intravenous Pharmacotherapy” Dr. F. Fernandez e-learning (ongoing)
10:00 a.m. CHILD – “Development” Dr. Stock/Ms. Marton
11:00 a.m. Residents Meeting
12:00 noon Grand Rounds - “Utilization and Quality of Psychotherapeutic Medication Prescribing Practices for Children in Florida’s Medicaid Program”
Robert Constantine, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Mental Health Law and Policy/C&G, Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute

Friday 02/02/07 Medical Student Lectures:
7:30 a.m. “Psychiatric Emergencies” Dr. Stock
8:30 a.m. “Psychopharmacology” Dr. Catalano
10:30 a.m. “Mood Disorders – Depression” Dr. Fargher
2:00 p.m. “Increased Intracranial Pressure” Dr. Brock
3:00 p.m. “Neurological Emergencies” Dr. Chichkova

In The Know!

The Residency Review Committee for Psychiatry, functioning in accordance with the policies and procedures of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), has reviewed the application for accreditation submitted by the following program: Forensic Psychiatry, University of South Florida Program, University of South Florida College of Medicine, Tampa, FL. Based on all of the information available to it at the time of its recent meeting, the Review Committee accredited the program as follows:
- Status: Accreditation
- Length of Training: 1 year
- Maximum Number of Residents: 2
- Residents Per Level: 2.00
- Effective Date: 07/01/2006

Research Happenings!

Volunteers are being sought to participate in a trial of an investigational medication being studied for the treatment of manic symptoms in people with Bipolar I Disorder. All study-related medications, study-related lab work, hospitalization treatment and doctor visits will be provided to patients at no charge. For additional information, please contact Barbara Oleim, R.N. at 974-3633.

Volunteers are being sought to participate in a research study of an investigational drug being evaluated for patients with schizophrenia who are currently receiving Risperidone. Participants must be between 18 and 55 years of age and have been stable on Risperidone for at least one month. All study-related medications, including Risperidone, will be provided to participants at no cost. For more information, please call (813) 974-1404.

We Need You! Please help us complete our MINI-Kid Study by referring your patients. We are in need of patients with possible diagnosis of eating disorder, alcohol and substance abuse/dependency and psychotic disorders. Study flyers with more information are in the clinic for patients. Please call the Silver Child Development Center at (813) 974-1516.