

RESIDENT RESEARCH 2008-2009

Seniors:

Dr. Katie Czyszczon is conducting research ‘Comparing Compliance, Satisfaction, and Bleeding in Adolescents Using Nuvaring “Quick Start” Method Versus Traditional Methods.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Nicole Karjane, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Czyszczon is currently recruiting patients.

Dr. Aaron Goldberg is conducting a ‘Case Series on Patients with Granuloma Cell Tumor of the Ovary.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Weldon Chafe, M.D., Division Head of Gynecologic Oncology, and Cecelia Boardman, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Goldberg is currently working on his IRB application.

Dr. Adam Huggins is conducting a ‘Randomized Controlled Trial Comparing Caprosyn to Vicryl for use in Colporrhaphy Closure.’ Mentoring on this project provided by Catherine Matthews, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Huggins is in the process of recruiting patients for his study.

Dr. Amie Miklavcic is currently researching ‘Over the Counter Contraceptive Methods: A Survey of Resident Knowledge and Comfort Providing Contraception Counseling.’ Mentoring on her project is being provided by Christine Isaacs, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Miklavcic is currently compiling data.

Dr. Edward Springel is conducting research concerning the ‘Accuracy of Intra-Operative Frozen Section Consultation in Diagnosis of Epithelial Ovarian Tumors.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Stephen Cohen M.D. M.B.A., Associate Professor, Residency Program Director & Vice Chairman., and Dr. William Frable, Professor of Pathology. Dr. Springel has collected his data, and statistical analysis is pending.

Dr. Ashley Woodward is currently researching ‘Mometasone Bracelet to Detect Edema in Preeclampsia.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Jerome Strauss, M.D., Dean of the School of Medicine, and Thomas Peng, M.D. Professor. Dr. Woodward is awaiting approval from the IRB.

Assistant Residents (AR):

Dr. Sam Campbell recently researched ‘Intrauterine Devices (IUDs) in High Risk Patient Population.’ Mentoring on this project was provided by Catherine Matthews, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Campbell has completed his research which was chosen as the selected paper at the 69th Annual Meeting of the South Atlantic Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and was published in the August 2007 issue of the American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Dr. Kathryn Hull’s research project is entitled ‘Young Women and Intrauterine Devices (IUDs) as a Method of Contraception: Is the Message Getting Through?’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Joseph Borzelleca, Jr., M.D., M.P.H., Assistant Professor. Dr. Hull’s research is undergoing secondary review processing for approval by the IRB.

Dr. Amber Jarvis has recently completed researching the ‘Level of Patient Satisfaction with Ultrasound Outcomes When Presenting with Chronic Pelvic Pain.’ Mentoring on this project was provided by Marie Menke, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Jarvis is currently seeking publication with American Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery, and the American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Dr. Kulsoom Razvi is currently researching the ‘Sensitivity of Trichomonas Diagnosed on Pap-Smears.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Stephen Cohen, M.D. M.B.A., Associate Professor, Residency Program Director & Vice Chairman. Dr. Razvi is in the process of completing her IRB proposal.

Dr. Barbara Simpson is currently researching ‘Periodontal Disease in Pregnancy.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Susan Lanni, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Simpson has submitted her research to the IRB and is awaiting approval.

Dr. Katherine Tyson is conducting a ‘Study of Pregnancy Intendedness and Post Abortion Contraception Compliance in a Community-Based Family Planning Clinic.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Nicole Karjane, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Tyson is in the process of submitting her research to the IRB.

Jr. Assistant Residents (JAR):

Dr. Swati Adawadkar is currently researching the ‘Combination of Metformin and Oral Contraceptive Pills for Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Paulina Essah, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Adawadkar has had her research approved by the IRB and is currently recruiting patients.

Dr. Eline Haenebalcke is currently researching the ‘Validation of Laparoscopic Simulators.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Ellen Brock, M.D. M.P.H., Associate Professor, Vice Chair & Section Head of General Ob/Gyn. Dr. Haenebalcke has had her research approved by the IRB and is currently collecting data.

Dr. Elizabeth McLemore is currently conducting an ‘Assessment of Health Literacy in a Prenatal Population.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by John Pierce, M.D., Assistant Professor & Student Program Director. Dr. McLemore is in the process of developing survey questions.

Dr. Kelley Morel is currently researching ‘Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome and Diet Modification.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by John Nestler, M.D., Division Chairman, Internal Medicine. Dr. Morel has had her research approved by the IRB, and is currently collecting data.

Dr. Natasha Reid is currently researching the ‘Use of Self-Retaining Retractor to Decrease Infection Rate in Obese Patients During C-Section.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by John Pierce, M.D., Assistant Professor & Student Program Director. Dr. Reid is awaiting approval from the IRB.

Dr. Reagan Viney is currently researching ‘Irrigation of Peritoneum During C-Section, and Impact on Post Operative Recovery.’ Mentoring on this project is being provided by Christine Isaacs, M.D., Assistant Professor. Dr. Viney is in the process of completing her IRB application.