

# Faculty Matters

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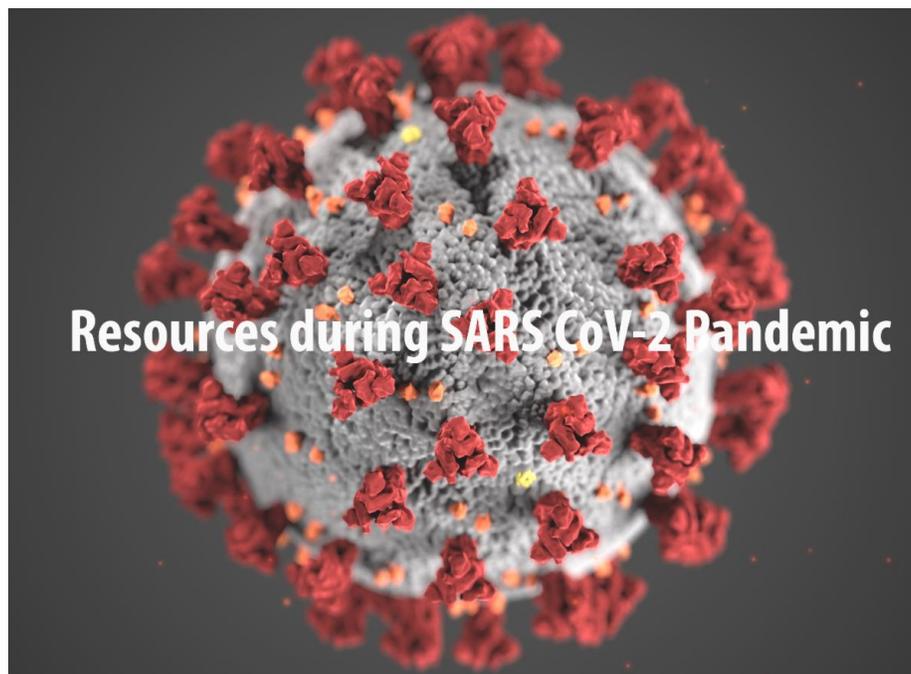
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At this time of national crisis, we know you have a myriad of concerns, for your students, for your research, for your patients, and for your families. Below is a number of resources that you may find useful. If we can do anything else to help you through these trying times, please feel free to contact the office of Faculty Affairs.



## Resources during SARS CoV-2 Pandemic:

- [Answers to questions SARS CoV-2](#)

- [Resources for your health and well being](#)
  - **Resources for childcare:**
    - [UF Medical Students](#)
    - [Bouncers Indoor Playground](#)
    - Twinkle Toes Nanny Agency-contact the owner, Kristy Bickmeyer, at [kristy@twinkletoesnanny.com](mailto:kristy@twinkletoesnanny.com)
    - [Care@Work via Care.com](#)
    - [Bambino Sitters](#)
    - [Nanny Poppinz](#)
    - [Sitter City](#)
  - **Patient Care Clinical Guidance:**
    - [Algorithms & Procedure Guidance & Instructions](#)
    - [COVID-19 Outpatient Protocol](#)
  - **Recording of Interim Dean Tyndall's noontime town hall on 4/20/2020**
    - The video can be viewed directly here:
    - <https://bridge.ufhealth.org/response/2020/04/22/4-21-20-uf-health-town-hall/>
  - **The latest posts from leadership & UF Health Physicians Updates from the Daily Huddles from UF Health Physician Operations**
    - <https://bridge.ufhealth.org/response/clinical-guidance-for-patient-care/>
    - **Zoom Link to Daily UFP COVID-19 Update:**  
Time: 12:15 every weekday  
Link: <https://uflphi.zoom.us/j/236427955>  
Meeting ID: 236 427 955  
One tap mobile: (646) 558-8656
  - **Link to Florida DOH Dashboard: Florida DOH Dashboard**
    - <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/96dd742462124fa0b38ddedb9b25e429>
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## Congratulations!



**Heather E. Harrell M.D.**, has been named the Associate Dean for Medical Education at the UF College of Medicine, effective April 1.

In this position, Dr. Harrell will serve as a member of the UF College of Medicine education leadership team under Joseph Fantone, M.D., senior associate dean for educational affairs. Dr. Harrell will provide leadership to the undergraduate medical education program, responsible for the development and delivery of the medical student curriculum.

A board-certified general internist, Dr. Harrell serves as a professor of medicine and clerkship director for the Department of Medicine. She earned her Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science and medical degree with honors from the University of Florida,

where she received numerous awards as a student, including election to the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society and the John Gorrie Award.

Dr. Harrell trained in internal medicine at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston and completed the Master Educators of Medical Education program at UF. She maintains an active clinical practice at UF Health, was recognized as a master clinician by the department of medicine and has been voted into Best Doctors in America yearly since 2007. She has excelled as a teacher at the college, having been recognized as one of the College of Medicine's

exemplary teachers every year she has been eligible. She was the youngest member inducted into the College of Medicine's prestigious Society of Teaching Scholars, is a member of the Chapman Chapter of the Gold Humanism Society and is an Outstanding Young Alumna of the University of Florida.

Dr. Harrell has substantial experience in curriculum design, implementation and assessment at both local and national levels. She co-chaired the Residents as Teachers Task Force for the Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine/Clerkship Directors in Internal Medicine, which developed and disseminated a curriculum for program directors. She initiated one of the first programs in the country that successfully incorporated portfolios into the clinical years. For this work, she was awarded the Clerkship Directors in Internal Medicine Louis N. Pangaro, M.D., Educational Program Development Award.

Recently, Dr. Harrell shifted her focus to teaching high-value care to medical students. She helped create a national curriculum in high-value care, which was sponsored by the American College of Physicians, the Alliance for Academic Internal Medicine and Aquifer, a nonprofit organization dedicated to advancing clinical learning through innovative teaching and learning tools. She is currently senior director of the Aquifer high-value care interdisciplinary virtual patient course. She is active in many professional organizations and is a past president of the Alliance for Academic Internal Medicine's Clerkship Directors of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Harrell succeeds Maureen A. Novak, M.D., a professor in the department of pediatrics at the College of Medicine who has provided exceptional leadership to the medical education program for the past 12 years. She was instrumental in the college's curriculum revision initiative as well as with our highly successful accreditation reviews by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education. I extend my most sincere gratitude to Dr. Novak for the years of dedication, expertise and compassion she provided to our medical students.

As we thank Dr. Novak for setting the bar high, please join me in welcoming Dr. Harrell to her new leadership role in advancing the College of Medicine's educational mission.

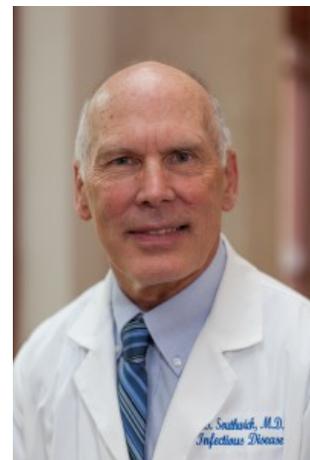
Joseph A. Tyndall, MD, MPH  
Interim Dean

## Facebook live for PD foundation viewed 75k times in a week!

On Wednesday, March 18, University of Florida experts Michael S. Okun, M.D., chair of neurology, and Frederick S. Southwick, M.D., an infectious disease expert, led a Parkinson's Foundation Facebook Live event answering questions from the Parkinson's community about how coronavirus and impacts patients and their families.



**Michael S. Okun, M.D.**  
Chair and Professor  
Department of Neurology



**Frederick S. Southwick, M.D.**  
Professor  
Department of Medicine

[Click here to view a video of the event](#)

## 2019-2020 University of Florida Teachers and Advisors of the Year!

### Phase 1 (Basic Science) Teacher of the Year



**Amanda Maxey, M.D.**  
Assistant Professor

Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology

### Phase 2/3 (Clinical Science) Teacher of the Year



**David Feller, M.D.**  
Associate Professor

Department of Community Health and Family Medicine

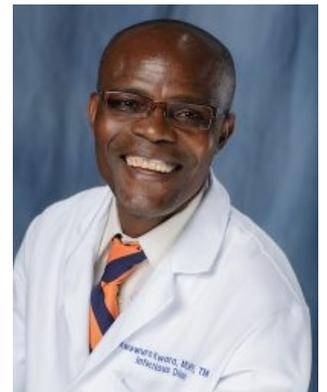
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## New Grants Awarded!



**H. Lee Sweeney, PhD.** Professor, Department of Pharmacology has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R11 grant entitled, "Myosin 18 and its role in skeletal muscle".

**Awewura J. Kwara, MD.** Associate Professor, Department of Medicine has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R21 grant entitled, "Adherence and Intracellular Pharmacology of Tenofovir and HBV Suppression in People with HBV/HIV Coinfection".



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## UF MEDICAL GUILD 2020 REQUEST FOR GRANT PROPOSALS

The UF Medical Guild will be accepting applications from May 1st through May 31st for grants that



- Relate directly to wellness or patient care.
  - Benefit the majority of your target population.
  - Serve those in Gainesville/Alachua County.
  - Can be accomplished in one year.
  - Ranging from \$1,000 to \$8,000 per project.

To apply, go to the website [guild.med.ufl.edu](http://guild.med.ufl.edu) to download an application and instructions beginning May 1st. For more information send an email to [UFMedGuild@gmail.com](mailto:UFMedGuild@gmail.com).

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# Thinking about your investments?

## Would you like to make changes to your Voluntary Retirement Plans?



### 403(b) ORP

1. Contact your provider
2. Complete the ORP Change Form
3. Fax completed form to UFHR at 352-392-5166

#### AIG

Shawn Bennett  
352-367-2409

#### AXA

Patrick Ashe  
904-596-7936

#### Metlife

Josh Fischer  
352-371-7638

#### TIAA

Barbara Vaught  
813-632-5153

#### VOYA

Deborah James  
352-538-0106

### UF 403(b)

1. Contact your provider
2. Complete the Salary Reduction Agreement
3. Email completed form to UFHR at [benefits@ufl.edu](mailto:benefits@ufl.edu)

#### AIG

Shawn Bennett  
352-367-2409

#### Fidelity

Gene Varela  
407-335-0834

#### Metlife

Josh Fischer  
352-371-7638

#### TIAA

Barbara Vaught  
813-632-5153

#### VOYA

Deborah James  
352-538-0106

### 457 Deferred Comp

1. Contact your provider & follow their instructions

#### AIG

888-467-3726

#### Charles Schawb

888-393-7272

#### Nationwide

800-949-4457

#### VOYA

800-282-6295

For general inquires,  
contact COM-HR:  
[hr@comfs.ufl.edu](mailto:hr@comfs.ufl.edu)

# EMR, Tenure and Promotion Workshops for Faculty are Open for Registration

Workshops have been scheduled to discuss the preparation of tenure and promotion packets and the University evaluation process for 2020-2021.

We encourage faculty who will be submitting packets this fall to attend one of these sessions: these sessions:

**Date:** Tuesday, April 28, 2020

**Time:** 3:00pm-5:00pm

[Click to Register](#)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://uflphi.zoom.us/j/91606432729>

Meeting ID: 916 0643 2729

One tap mobile

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+13126266799,,91606432729# US (Chicago)

**Date:** Tuesday, May 5, 2020

**Time:** 3:00pm-5:00pm

[Click to Register](#)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://uflphi.zoom.us/j/94063214927>

Meeting ID: 940 6321 4927

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**Date:** Friday, May 8, 2020

**Time:** 10:00am-12:00pm

[Click to Register](#)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://uflphi.zoom.us/j/91623287251>

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## EMR users: Check out our improved Epic EMR site

UF Health clinicians have customized your training resources

Visit <https://epictrain.health.ufl.edu/>



If you use the Epic electronic medical record or EMR, then UF Health IT Services has you covered.

### What?

The Epic Training Team invites you to check out the newly updated Epic EMR website designed for Gainesville users. Our providers, clinicians and support teams use Epic software to access, organize, store and share patient medical records. Epic's applications support functions related to patient care, including registration and scheduling; clinical systems for doctors, nurses, emergency personnel and other care providers; systems for lab technologists, pharmacists and radiologists; and billing systems for insurers. Users' ability to navigate Epic efficiently is essential to the delivery of care and the positive patient experience.

### Who?

The site is for faculty, residents and staff from UF Health Shands, the UF College of Medicine and UF Health Physicians who use Epic EMR tools and applications.

### Where?

Log into the UF Health network and link to <https://epictrain.health.ufl.edu/> or search "Epic Training" in the Bridge portal search tool.

### Why?

Clinicians familiar with the site can quickly find answers to questions without having to request help.

"We want to make sure everyone's aware of the great tools available," said Lisa Merry, R.N., M.S.N., UF Health IT Services Clinical Applications, Training lead. "We still hear from faculty and staff who didn't know the Epic EMR training site exists, so we want to share the improvements and encourage visits."

### Details ...

The revamped, user-friendly site offers the following:

- Application Training and Documentation  
Link to HealthShands HQ information from applications

- Links to Update/Upgrade HQ information for all applications
  - Links to documentation for specific user groups (including ambulatory, anesthesia, emergency, oncology, lab and pathology, health information management, billing, and hospital outpatient departments, etc.)
  - Training and Resources
    - Training modules, e-learning links, videos
    - Epic UserWeb and Epic Playground
  - The "For Clinicians" link to provider-specific resources
  - Tip Sheets for efficiency
  - Provider how-to videos
  - The Topic of the Month section
  - Inpatient & Ambulatory Resource links
    - Help links to FAQs and access requests
    - The Epic training calendar
    - Maps to IT Services classrooms
    - Contacts and a feedback form to suggest improvements to the site
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## New in June: "For Clinicians"

Launching June 1 is the new "For Clinicians" section with resources designed by our faculty physicians for physicians. Quick self-help tools include those above - with new how-to videos created by our doctors for their peers.

"The tutorial videos are made in-house by our providers. Each is just a few minutes, and the featured physician explains and demonstrates Epic functionality, customization and efficient workflows based on our Epic build," said Judith Brownlee, RHIA, UF Health IT Services Clinical Applications Training coordinator. "Our clinicians use these products daily. Investing a few minutes to watch a video pays off with improved efficiency over time."

Content is designed and kept current based on feedback from medical staff. Videos span inpatient and ambulatory care resources (Prep for Case use and Customization, Notes and Smart Tools, Epic MyLink and PSR Quick Link). Check out the "Communication & Suggestions" form to suggest topics and share a provider spotlight or a department improvement project you did so others will know.

This effort has been led by our associate chief medical informatics officers, Brian C. Lobo, M.D., UF College of Medicine assistant professor of otolaryngology, and Danielle Nelson, M.D., UF College of Medicine assistant professor of community health and family medicine, and IT partners Judith Brownlee, RHIA, Clinical Applications-Training coordinator; and Merry.

"Physicians are time-strapped and want to be able to solve their own problems without waiting," Lobo said. "EPIC can often feel limiting, but if you take the time to explore all of the options it has, a world of opportunity opens up for efficiency. We've loaded the new site with a la carte tools and solutions designed by people who actually see patients. In fact, I'm making a library of tutorial videos to showcase some of the features I actually use to make using EPIC work better for me."

He added, "It's important we offer help on demand, to empower clinicians so they don't have to call for support unless there an issue that they really cannot figure out."



# For Clinicians



WANT TO FIND THE ANSWER YOURSELF?

## IT Help -Knowledge Article Base

Secret information just for Clinicians

Coming Soon you will be able to log into Ivanti and search for topics in the Knowledge Article Base →



SELF HELP

## Epic How to Videos for Providers

Quick videos by real providers at UF Health answering top Epic problems



## Epic Tip Sheets

Easy to use tip sheets to help you find the information you need and be more efficient in Epic.

Page for Tip Sheets Coming Soon →



**Next meeting, Tuesday, May 5, 2020 at 5:00 pm via Zoom**

### Join Zoom Meeting

<https://uf1phi.zoom.us/j/98672775743>

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221.122.88.195 (China)  
115.114.131.7 (India Mumbai)  
115.114.115.7 (India Hyderabad)  
213.19.144.110 (EMEA)  
103.122.166.55 (Australia)  
209.9.211.110 (Hong Kong  
China)  
64.211.144.160 (Brazil)  
69.174.57.160 (Canada)  
207.226.132.110 (Japan)  
Meeting ID: 986 7277 5743

Join by Skype for Business

<https://uflphi.zoom.us/j/98672775743>

Check the website for information about  
meetings and activities:

<http://facultycouncil.med.ufl.edu/>

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## UF Health Highlights



**Meet Dr. Moiz Mustafa**

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