Weekly Calendar

8/2: Resident-Faculty Soccer Game—4PM
8/4: Noon Report—Purple Medicine
7/29: Noon Report—Green Medicine
7/30: Medical Grand Rounds: Max Reif—“HTN Guidelines—Where Are We Now?”
7/31: Academic Half Day—CHF Weesner Prep—Vents
8/1: Intern Report—Glenn Quarles Senior Report—Stephanie Dixon

Resident-Faculty Soccer Game

Resident/Faculty Co-Ed Soccer Game on Saturday, August 2nd at 4 PM.
Where: Amberley Park: 7149 Ridge Rd Cincinnati 45237—Across from French Park
Juice Boxes and Orange Slices? Yes! Provided by Cory Lucas, Soccer Aficionado

Anonymous Feedback

Our website has a section for anonymous feedback. Think of this like an electronic suggestion box that you can use at any time. The message will be sent directly to Dr. Warm, and is completely anonymous. If you have constructive feedback that you would like to share, please use this tool. The link is: http://intmed.uc.edu/education/residency/feedback.aspx
When you see UC, you see C Diff, you see?

Steve Cogorno and Michael Northcutt shared a patient who presented with a severe C Diff infection after recently being hospitalized with abdominal pain of unclear origin. The case highlighted the different treatment regimens of C Diff infection for mild-moderate, severe, severe complicated, and recurrent infections.

Table 2: Medication Regimens for Clostridium difficile Infections

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<th>Stage</th>
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<td>Metronizole</td>
<td>mild-moderate</td>
<td>500 mg PO TID x 10-14 days</td>
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<td>severe/complicated</td>
<td>500 mg IV Q8h (with Vancomycin PO/PR)</td>
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<td>Vancomycin</td>
<td>severe</td>
<td>125 mg PO QID x 10-14 days</td>
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<td>severe/complicated</td>
<td>500 mg PO QID or 500 mg/NS 100 mL PR retention enema Q6h if ileus present</td>
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<td>Vancomycin Taper/Pulse Dosing</td>
<td>second recurrence</td>
<td>125 mg PO QID x 10-14 days, then 125 mg PO BID x 7 days, then 125 mg PO Daily x 7 days, then 125 mg PO Q2-3days, for 2 to 8 weeks.</td>
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<td>Rifaximin “Chaser”</td>
<td>second recurrence (following usual vancomycin course)</td>
<td>400 mg PO BID x 2 weeks</td>
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Uveitis and Polyarthritis

Andrew Petersen and Kristine Dematta presented a patient who presented with acute uveitis and polyarthritis. The patient was determined to have strep pneumococcus septic polyarthritis and subsequently developed endophthalmitis.

Invasive pneumococcal disease had seeded the patient’s joints and eye, sparking drastic measures by ophthalmology to try and save the eye.

Hypopyon and severe inflammation: hallmarks of endophthalmitis.
**Code/Rapid Response Training**

**ACT QUICKLY!**

Starting Late August-Early September we will be having Rapid Response training sessions with nursing, pharmacy, and critical care attendings. This is often a great opportunity to flex those urgency muscles as you settle in as a new intern or a senior resident. If you’re interested in getting some early experience, let one of the inpatient chiefs know!

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**Warm Eats on the Cheap:**

- **Baba India**
  - Location: Oakley
  - What Eric Gets: Chicken Tikka Masala
  - What Alisa Gets: Mater Paneer
  - Comments: Ambar in Clifton = same

- **El Jinete**
  - Location: Fairfax
  - What Eric Gets: Burritos and Beans
  - What Alisa Gets: Cheese quesadilla
  - Comments: Better than it should be

- **First Watch**
  - Location: Norwood
  - What Eric Gets: Raisin French Toast
  - What Alisa Gets: Fruity Chicken Salad
  - Comments: Breakfast/Brunch/Lunch

- **Fusian**
  - Location: Hyde Park
  - What Eric Gets: Soy shrimp roll
  - What Alisa Gets: Random veggies inside, add masago
  - Comments: Better than it should be

- **Jason’s Deli**
  - Location: Norwood
  - What Eric Gets: Salad Bar
  - What Alisa Gets: Salad bar with cup of broccoli soup
  - Comments: Free ice cream!

- **Lemon Grass**
  - Location: Hyde Park
  - What Eric Gets: Masaman Curry
  - What Alisa Gets: Spring rolls, steamed dumpings, whatever Eric orders
  - Comments: Sit by the window

- **Spinning Fork**
  - Location: Fairfield
  - What Eric Gets: Spaghetti with meatsauce
  - What Alisa Gets: Alfredo with chicken
  - Comments: Worth the Drive!

- **Wild Ginger**
  - Location: Hyde Park
  - What Eric Gets: Sweet and Sour Walleye
  - What Alisa Gets: Sushi, rolls
  - Comments: Get the edamame!

- **Yat Ka Mein**
  - Location: Oakley
  - What Eric Gets: Shrimp Lo Mein
  - What Alisa Gets: Shanghai noodles
  - Comments: So good when you are tired

- **Zips**
  - Location: Mt. Lookout
  - What Eric Gets: Zip Burger and Fries
  - What Alisa Gets: Sheesburger + onion rings
  - Comments: German hall seating
Physical Exam Challenge! - Puddle Sign

In honor of this week’s AHD topic, the first resident to reply to the newsletter who can describe the technique, utility, and accuracy of Puddle Sign as well as send a photograph demonstrating a Puddle Sign Evaluation will win a delicious and potentially caffeinated prize!

UH Schedules

October—December UH Ward schedules are being uploaded into Amion. Those who placed requests with the golden weekend policy, look out in the next few days for emails to help arrange requests. Watch out for the next batch of ward requests for the Jan-March ward months.

Green Team!

Every moment is a teaching moment on the Green Medicine Team.

SHOUT OUTS!!! (Let us know who Rocks)

-Kim Ollinger and Andrew Petersen for helping out seniors with admissions during busy long-call days.

-Rita Schlanger, Barbie Reichert, and Tim Reed for volunteering to be UH Youtube Hall of Famers in Dr Warm’s educational videos. Anyone interested in an acting part can contact Dr. Warm—Filming production begins Tuesday August 5th.

-Danielle Clark, Megan McIntosh, Jillian Wang, Brian Miller, Richa Patel, and Tim Williams—All the hard work of our current night float team for keeping our patients safe and sound while we go home and sleep all night.