Welcome to the latest edition of Physician Pipeline from PeaceHealth. Send feedback and suggestions for future issues to Rebecca Taylor or call (541) 686-6899.

Top Stories

Sacred Heart a center for CTO training
Cardiologist Stephen Cook, MD, led a two-day training session on the innovative hybrid approach to treating chronic total occlusion of the coronary arteries. More than 20 physicians from across the country attended the session at PeaceHealth Sacred Heart Medical Center, with others linked in internationally. More...

Pediatric Surgery program continues to expand
The addition this summer of a second pediatric surgeon and dedicated PA will expand the pediatric surgery program to serve more patients. More...

Case Study: HBOT for non-healing foot wound
Hyperbaric oxygen therapy helps diabetic man avoid foot amputation due to nonhealing lesions. More...

Inaugural Neurosciences Quality Report available online
Cancer Study Seeks Participants, Supporters

PeaceHealth is partnering with the American Cancer Society on the Cancer Prevention Study-3, the third phase of a long-range national study to identify factors that may cause or prevent cancer, with the ultimate aim of eliminating the disease. PeaceHealth's RiverBend Annex will serve as a host blood-draw site for volunteer study participants on Aug. 21. The ACS is recruiting participants between the ages of 30 and 65 who have never been diagnosed with cancer, as well as community champions to help identify participants and serve as spokespeople. Study volunteers are asked to commit to completing follow-up surveys over the next 20 to 30 years. Click here for more information. Click here to schedule an appointment as a participant.

First-ever report of patient volumes and outcomes and clinical innovations at Oregon Neuroscience Institute at PeaceHealth Sacred Heart Medical Center now available. Special focus: Stroke care. More...

Presentations from recent conferences posted online
Access presentations from the recent Surgery Symposium 2013 and Advances in Clinical Neuroscience Practice 2013 conferences online. More...

CME Opportunities
2013 Primary Care Conference
Saturday, June 8, 2013
Holiday Inn, Springfield OR
Agenda, Online Registration

SAVE THE DATE:
2013 Cardiovascular Symposium
Saturday, Sept. 21, 2013
Location, Registration to come
Find more CME opportunities at peacehealth.org/cme.

People
Noteworthy
Dr. Kiya Movassaghi was recently elected to serve on the Board of the American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery. The Aesthetic Society, with nearly 2,600 members, is the leading national organization of board-certified plastic surgeons specializing in cosmetic surgery of the face and body. The election was held April 16, during the ASAPS Annual Meeting in New York.

New Providers
Please welcome these providers to the following practices. For more information on these doctors, click here.

McKenzie Primary Care Associates: Paula Ciesielski, MD, Internal Medicine.
Oregon Lung Specialists: Bart Moulton, MD, Pulmonology.
Pacific Women's Center: Sohee Williams, MD, Obstetrics and Gynecology.
PeaceHealth Medical Group: Theresa Buckley, MD, Sleep Medicine; Nathan Christensen, MD, Otolaryngology; Holly Easton, DO, Urgent Care; Naiman Khan, MD, Family Medicine; Jennifer Schumann, MD, Psychiatry.
**Slocum Orthopedics:** Heather Campion, MD, Orthopedic Surgery.

**Physicians in the News**

Elaine Skalabrin, MD, and Ray Englander, MD, co-medical directors of PeaceHealth Sacred Heart Medical Center's Advanced Primary Stroke Center wrote about stroke month and the stroke program in *The Register-Guard*.

PeaceHealth Medical Group pediatrician Kevin Marks, MD, wrote about the rise in autism diagnoses in *The Register-Guard*.

PHMG pediatrician Serena Black, MD, wrote about getting kids involved in cooking for *The Register-Guard*.

An Associated Press story described how Paul Pearson, MD, a family practice physician at PeaceHealth Peace Harbor Medical Center, cared for the wounded after the Boston Marathon bombings.

Electrophysiologist Ramakota Reddy, MD, of Oregon Heart & Vascular Institute at PeaceHealth Sacred Heart Medical Center wrote an article about balloon cryoablation for *The Register-Guard*.

Katie Vendrasco, director of rehabilitation services at Sacred Heart's Oregon Rehabilitation Center, and Bryan Andresen, MD, the center's medical director, co-authored a column in *The Register-Guard* about a patient's successful recovery from stroke.

Rick Kincade, MD, PHMG Vice President of Medical Affairs for Primary Care, wrote a story in *The Register-Guard* about Trillium Community Health Plan offering incentives for pregnant members to reduce smoking.

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