Physician News Brief

News About Covenant HealthCare From

Medical Staff Services Office - 10/10/2018

Patient Lists – Secure Printers

The medical staff office has received numerous calls recently about patient lists being found on unsecure printers. This is a HIPPA violation. By making sure you are logged into the correct department, you will prevent any potential HIPAA violations from printing to the wrong printer. This will also ensure proper setup in Epic, such as flowsheet tabs for documentation, navigators, etc. You can verify your log in department by referencing the title bar at the top of your EPIC Hyperspace window. A tip sheet is available in Medical Staff 3-4133 if you need printing instructions. Please protect patient information and make sure you are printing to a secure printer!

CMU – Meet the Physicians

Thursday, October 18th 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Saginaw Country Club 4465 Gratiot Road. Drs. Kikano, Shaheen, Blebea and Reddy invite you to join our community of providers to welcome and meet several new providers who have joined the Great Lakes Bay Region team of physicians in 2018. Light hors d'oeuvres and cocktails will be served.

Distinguished Physician Nominations – DUE FRIDAY, 10/19

Nominations are open! Nominees must have been on the Medical Staff for ten (10) years (can include both Saginaw General and St. Luke's Hospital), need not be retired, and can be a deceased physician. As a part of your nomination, include a short narrative as to why you believe the physician you are nominating is deserving of the Distinguished Physician award. Nominations can be submitted via email to: Leigh Ann Gabriel, Manager Medical Staff Services, at <u>leigh.gabriel@chs-mi.com</u>, Fax: 989-583-6071 or by mailing to Covenant Medical Staff Services, 700 Cooper Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48602.

Physician Leadership Development Forum – Last Call

RSVP now for the last few spots for the October 16th/25th Physician Leadership Development Forum – "Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation Skills". RSVP by contacting Jenay Knochel at 583-6253.

Active Staff – Holiday Dinner 12/4

All Active Medical Staff members, please mark your calendars for Tuesday, December 4th for the Active Staff Holiday meeting at Apple Mountain. Formal Invitations will be sent in November.

Palliative Care Staff

Summer Bates, CNP, has accepted the position as Palliative Care Nurse Practitioner lead. Summer will be responsible for continued development of Palliative Care services at Covenant together with Dr. Melodie Knicely, Tracy Bargeron, lead RN and Della Brown, RN. Summer began her role September 24, 2018.





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