Flu Shot Deadline: November 15

All UF Health Shands employees and UF clinical faculty and staff who provide care or work in patient-care areas who haven’t received a flu vaccination by November 15 will be required to wear a surgical mask in patient areas and complete an opt-out process.

Visit bridge.UFHealth.org/flu for more information and click on the “Opt Out” tab for instructions on how to opt out of the flu vaccination.

UF Health Shands Occupational Health Services (OHS) — located on the first floor of UF Health Shands Hospital (Room 1004) — provides free flu vaccinations for:

• UF Health Shands employees and volunteers
• UF Health Physicians employees and volunteers
• UF College of Medicine faculty physicians, residents and fellows
• Credentialed ARNPs
• Credentialed physician assistants
• Credentialed medical staff

If you received your flu shot elsewhere, bring documentation to OHS for your ID badge sticker.

Spotlight on Education

Please note that the LCME (http://www.lcme.org/) accreditation site visit for the College of Medicine will occur February 22-25, 2015. As we update our educational materials there are several documents that those of you who teach medical and other students should familiarize yourselves with:

• Overview of the Medical Curriculum: https://oea.sites.medinfo.ufl.edu/files/2010/10/Medical-Education-Program-06.30.14.pdf
• Medical Student Policies and Procedures:
If you have questions or wish to get more involved please contact your educational contacts within your department (course and clerkship directors and key faculty). Also we are pleased to announce that Drs. Elizabeth DeVos (Emergency Medicine, JAX) and James Grigg (Medicine) have agreed to serve as Director and Assistant Director of the College of Medicine’s Global Health education initiatives. Both individuals have been actively involved in global health programs and with our student activities.

New FEO Awardees

Dr. Frank Bova, Professor of Neurosurgery, and Dr. Calvin Choi, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of Cardiovascular Medicine, will each receive a Faculty Enhancement Opportunity (FEO) ward for Spring 2015. Dr. Bova will be conducting in depth assessments of leading US universities and affiliates to determine best practices for converting faculty intellectual property into startup companies. He will work with UF Offices to establish policies and support mechanisms for UF faculty to be successful in creating startups.

Dr. Choi will use his award to attend a specialty summit meeting on the condition of chronically occluded coronary arteries and then to develop a comprehensive catheter based revascularization program at UF Health.

Congratulations!

Special Professional Development Session: FEOs

Are you interested in finding out how your colleagues were successful in obtaining a Faculty Enhancement Opportunity (FEO) Grant? Plan to attend a special faculty professional development seminar, “FEO Grants: a Faculty Development Boost to your
Opportunities

CTSI Design Studio, Nov. 19 – Using a New Non-invasive Technique Clinically
RSVP for the Nov. 19 CTSI Design Studio, where you can join biostatistics faculty for lunch to discuss new study proposals, ideas for data analysis or a statistical or data analysis topic of interest.

The Nov. 19 studio will feature a brief presentation titled, “Clinical evaluation of a pulse oximetry-based patient empowerment system to reduce hypoventilation and audible alarms,” by Dr. Samsun Lampotang, director of the UF Center For Safety, Simulation & Advanced Learning Technologies. Small group or individual consultations with biostatisticians will follow.

There is no fee to participate and lunch is provided. Any UF investigator is invited to attend, and each session is limited to 12 people.

CTSI Design Studio
Wednesday, Nov. 19, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Second Floor, North Wing, CTSI Conference Room 3256
Clinical and Translational Research Building
Reserve your spot today: http://bit.ly/1wLueb5

The CTSI Design Studio is offered the third Wednesday of each month by the CTSI Research Design and Analysis Program.

2015 MACY Scholars – January 9, 2015 Deadline

The Macy Faculty Scholars Program is designed to identify and nurture the careers of promising educational innovators in medicine and nursing. The program will support the Macy Faculty Scholars in leading new educational innovations at their home institutions and will provide opportunities for further career development through national meetings and participation in other Macy activities.

Under the program, the Foundation will select up to five faculty leaders each year. Each Scholar will receive salary support at $100,000 (plus fringe) per year for two years.
Scholars must be nominated by the Dean of their institutions, who must commit to protecting at least 50% protected time to pursue a mentored educational project at the home institution. The eligible candidate must:

- Be a doctorally prepared faculty member in good standing at the sponsoring school;
- Have served for five or more years as a faculty member, ideally at the sponsoring school of nursing or medicine;
- Have an identified faculty mentor who will provide advice on the candidate’s project and career development;
- Have an educational innovation project with the appropriate institutional support;
- Have an institutional commitment for the protection of at least 50% of the scholars time; and
- Be a citizen or permanent resident of the United States or its territories.

For more information, check: [http://macyfoundation.org/docs/macy_pubs/IMF_FacultyScholars_Brochure_2015_web.pdf](http://macyfoundation.org/docs/macy_pubs/IMF_FacultyScholars_Brochure_2015_web.pdf)

UF may nominate one candidate from the College of Medicine and one candidate from the College of Nursing.

Faculty in the College of Medicine who are interested in applying should contact Dr. Marian Limacher, Senior Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs & Professional Development, COM, by January 9, 2015 for internal college coordination.

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**Did You Know?**

You can view the State of the College Address, presented October 23, 2014 by Dr. Nancy Hardt and Dr. Michael Good at the UF Mediasite:

[Click here to watch (login first with your GatorLink credentials)](http://macyfoundation.org/docs/macy_pubs/IMF_FacultyScholars_Brochure_2015_web.pdf)

Key information and resources presented at this fall’s UF New Faculty Orientation are available at [hr.ufl.edu/working-at-uf/new-employees/nfo/](http://hr.ufl.edu/working-at-uf/new-employees/nfo/). Check it out.

The minutes from the Monthly Executive Committee Meeting are distributed and also posted on the [College of Medicine Faculty Council website](http://macyfoundation.org/docs/macy_pubs/IMF_FacultyScholars_Brochure_2015_web.pdf).

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**Contact**

Let us know about news, awards and activities of our faculty so we can share the good
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Next meeting, Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at 5:00 pm in the Hugh Hall Conference Room

Check the website for information about meetings and activities:
http://facultycouncil.med.ufl.edu/

Upcoming Educational & Professional Development Seminars:

**Incorporating Quality Improvement Education into Your Clinical Teaching**
Eric Rosenberg, MD
November 18, 2014
5:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Communicore Room C2-33

**Work/Life Integration**
Tom Huber, MD and Ana Shaw, MD
December 10, 2014
5:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Communicore Room C2-33

**FEO Grants: a Faculty Development Boost to your Career**
David Quillen, MD
December 17, 2014
5:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Communicore Room C2-33

Register for seminars at the UF Health IT Training website