

OCMS Digital Newsletter November 2021

OCMS Community Partner Engagement

For the past several years, Randa Seifeldin, wife of Raouf Seifeldin, MD, has been coordinating with OCMS an outreach project on behalf of our doctors to observe Make a Difference Day. Make A Difference Day is a national holiday celebrated on the fourth Saturday in October. The kind acts to others on this day make an important difference in the lives of others in our community. Randa has volunteered her time to purchase over \$600 of personal hygiene items in conjunction with OCMS for donation to our community partner, Lighthouse of Oakland County. This year, the OCMS donation was well received due to the economic hardships many individuals and families are facing. Other OCMS community partners include CARE House, Gift of Life and Shades of Pink.



Lighthouse volunteer accepts OCMS personal hygiene donations

OCMS Annual Meeting

This year, the virtual OCMS Annual Meeting welcomed Jason Schairer, MD as the new president for 2021-2022. Dr. Schairer graciously accepted the position, furthering OCMS's mission to empower physicians and advance medicine.

Gratitude was extended to Paul Bozyk, MD for his leadership and expertise as he stepped down from the presidential role. Ashok Gupta, MD, resumed his role as treasurer and secretary. David Lee, MD, was welcomed to his new role on the board of directors. Other members of the board



Jason Schairer, MD, is serving as OCMS 2021-2022 president.

include: Sharon Geimer, MD; Barry Auster, MD; Vashali Bhargava, MD; Anna Di Lorenzo, MD; Sherwin Imlay, MD; Rahul Mehta, MD; Christopher Milback, MD, MBA; Donald Peven, MD; Manveen Salaja, MD; Joseph Skoney, MD; Joann Smith, MD.

Paul DeChant, MD, MBA, guest speaker presented, "Addressing the Root Cause of Burnout in the Age of Covid19," and answered members' questions afterwards.

Can A Court Order Medical Treatment?

Dan Schulte, J.D. addresses if a court can order medical treatment be provided to a patient when the patient's physician deems it unnecessary or potentially harmful.

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Top Tips for Safe Handling of Medical Gas Cylinders

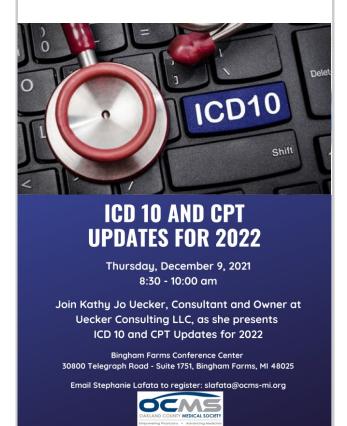
When incorrectly used, handled, or stored, medical gas cylinders can create dangerous physical and chemical hazards for patients and staff. Learn strategies to handle compressed medical gas cylinders safely and stay in compliance with the standards.

OB/GYN OFFICE CLOSING BY MID DECEMBER



All office items for sale including: office equipment, Hon furniture, shelving, laser, instruments, etc.

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Every day, across the country, powerful special interest groups work to undermine the teambased approach to health care all in the interest of making a buck. The policies they promote take physicians, away from their patients and jeopardize the patient care and safety in the process.

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