

IMPORTANT NEWS AND UPDATES FOR

Physicians

AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

AUGUST 2011

Upcoming Events

- **MEDICINE** Grand Rounds

SEPTEMBER - CME 1.00

When: Wednesday, September 7, 2011, 12pm – 1p
 Where: Creation Conference Center, Werner Auditorium
 Topic: *After the Pandemic: What We Can Expect for the 2011-12 Influenza Season*

Speaker: Vincent Hsu, MD
 Florida Hospital Epidemiologist
 Executive Director for Infection Prevention
 Assistant Director, Internal Medicine Residency
 RSVP: Joan Bour 407-303-2858 or joan.bour@flhosp.org

OCTOBER - CME 1.0

When: Wednesday, October 5, 2011, 12p – 1p
 Where: Creation Conference Center, Werner Auditorium
 Topic: *Patient Care, Square Rigger Sailing and Safety*
 Speaker: Steven J. Helkind, MD, Ph.D.

Medical Director for Adventist Health System
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- **Citi-Wide** Endocrinology Conference

When: Mon, August 8, 2011, 5:45 pm
 Where: Translational Research Institute at 2566 Lee Road Winter Park, FL 32789

Topic: *Incretin Hormone Approaches to Treating T2DM: Science and Safety*
 Speaker: Richard Pratley, MD

Director, Florida Hospital Diabetes Institute, Sanford Burnham Medical Research Institute at Lake Nona
 Senior Investigator, Florida Hospital Translational Research Institute for Metabolism and Diabetes
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Announcements

- **NEW H&P Update Requirements:** There is a new H&P requirement for regulatory compliance currently in effect. An H&P completed within 30 days prior to admission can be used but must be updated within 24 hours after admission but prior to procedure, whichever comes first. The NEW requirement is for the following documentation to be included in the update:
 1. "The H&P was reviewed"
 2. "The patient was examined"
 3. "No changes were found to the patient's condition since the H&P was completed" OR any changes must be documented
 4. Authentication to include provider ID#, date, and timeFor additional questions, please contact the HIM department at 407-772-8912. [See attached.](#)
- **Domestic Violence:** Now available online @ www.fhcme.com. **This course meets the 2 hour Florida Licensure CME requirement.** For further information contact Joan Bour @ 407-303-2858 or joan.bour@flhosp.org.

Information

- Winter Park Adult Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) 'Go Live' is **August 14, 2011**.
- Transfusion Medicine: [CRYOPRECIPITATE & PLATELET TRANSFUSIONS](#). Cryoprecipitate (cryo) is the only product available with concentrated fibrinogen. Its primary clinical use is for fibrinogen replacement. Each unit of cryo is prepared from a single blood donation and should contain a minimum 150 mg of fibrinogen. Cryo also contains Factors VIII:C and XIII, vWF, fibronectin and other plasma proteins. For further information see [attached article](#).

Indications for transfusion of **platelets** include:

 - Bleeding caused by thrombocytopenia or platelet dysfunction
 - Prophylaxis in the absence of bleeding and a platelet count < 10,000/ul (range 5-20,000/ul)
 - In the setting of significant hemorrhage <50,000/ul
 - In a patient who is bleeding or at risk for bleeding into a closed space (CNS including spinal cord, eye, lung) <100,000/ul.
- Medical Library Tips ([see attached](#)): Here's another fine MeSH we'll get you into! What is a MeSH? In the context of medical literature, MeSH stands for **Medical Subject Heading**, and it is the National Library of Medicine's controlled vocabulary used for categorizing articles in MEDLINE (PubMed and OVID).

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Action Requested

- Research survey ([MD communication attached](#)): The University of Central Florida has partnered with Florida Hospital to conduct a research study designed to learn more about physician communication. We would like to invite you to take part in this study by clicking on the link below:

<https://spreadsheets.google.com/spreadsheet/viewform?formkey=dGZ0djdRWjNhR0h0M3lxUUFkMFhMMnc6MA>

and complete a 5-6 minute questionnaire. Please be assured that your responses are entirely anonymous. If you have questions concerning this study, contact the study physician, Dr. Stephen Knych at 407-303-4029. [See attached](#).

For questions, concerns or suggestions contact Rose Kite @ rose.kite@flhosp.org or call 407-200-1317.