Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Jacobi Medical Center
The Lewis M. Fraad Department of Pediatrics
Selected Recent Publications and Presentations

2016-2017 Academic Year


2015-2016 Academic Year

Original Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals:

Davidson LL. Diaz, P. Pediatricians Transitioning Practices, Youth With Special Health Care Needs in New York State. Clinical pediatrics. 2015-10;54:1051-1058


**Presentations at national meetings:**

North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition Meeting, Washington, DC, October 8, 2015:


Batsis I, Kota AS, Pereira E, Nelson K, Blumfield E, Gershel JC, Levanon D: Kernicterus Secondary to a Novel Mutation in UGT1A1 Gene Combined with Gilbert Type Promoter Mutation.


APA-SPR-PAS meeting in Baltimore, Maryland ~ April 30 - May 3, 2016:

Anusha Fernando, Kathy Chou: Screening for Violence in an Urban Pediatric Emergency Department (PED)


Noe Romo, Stephen Blumberg: Evaluation of Gun Shot Wound (GSW) Pediatric & Young Adult Patients in an Urban Hospital

Blair Hahn, Joshua Small, Archana S Kota, Katelyn Nelson, Jeffrey C Gershel, and Daniela Levanon: Sedentary Behavior and Fatty Liver: Is There an Association in Children?

Adin Nelson, Jeffrey Gershel: Asthma Admission Rates Decrease During Periods Of Cold Weather

Ololade Okito, Yamini Lad, Daniel Rodriguez, Jeffrey Gershel, K Rivlin: Identifying the Hidden Curriculum in Teaching Patient Family Centered Care

Rodriguez DA, Gershel JC, Burks A, Rivlin K: Using Implementation Research to Assess the Barriers to Reproducing a Successful Model for Resident QI Projects

Eastern SPR meeting in Philadelphia, Friday March 11, 2016:

Khyzer Aziz, Noé D Romo, Kenneth Rivlin, Jeffrey C Gershel, MD: Pediatric Readmissions at an Inner City Safety-Net Hospital

2014-2015 Academic Year

Original Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals:


**Presentations at national meetings:**

**APA-SPR-PAS meeting in San Diego, April 25-28, 2015:**
Kerrin DePeter, James Meltzer, Stephen Blumberg, Sarah Dienstag Becker. Is Ibuprofen Exposure Associated with Bone Healing Complications in Children with Extremity Fractures?

Khyzer Aziz, Noe D. Romo, Jeffrey Gershel. Can an Elevated CRP Predict Which Febrile Young Infants Have a Serious Bacterial Infection?

Noe D. Romo, Khyzer Aziz, Jeffrey Gershel. Does Prior Antibiotic Exposure Affect the Risk of a Serious Bacterial Infection in Young Infants?

Adin Nelson, Juan Remon. Feasibility of Collecting Umbilical Cord Blood in ELBW Neonates


Daniela E. Purice, Adriana E. Groisman-Perelstein, Pamela M. Diamantis, Uri Belkind, Paulo Pina, David H. Rubin. Which Anthropometric Measurements Are the Best Predictors of Metabolic Syndrome in the Pediatric Population?

Lauren R. Richter, Jeffrey Gershel, Kenneth Rivlin. Pediatric Residents' Perspective on Physician Suicide: A System Problem

Lauren R. Richter, J. Auxford Burks, Jeffrey Gershel, Kenneth Rivlin. Resident Consensus Statement on Confronting Depression and Suicide in Residents

Kristen M. Delaney, Srinivas H. Reddy, Anand Dayama, Melvin E. Stone, James A. Meltzer. Risk Factors Associated with Bladder and Urethral Injuries in Female Children with Pelvic Fractures – An Analysis of the National Trauma Data Bank

Suzanne Roberts, Abigail Nixon, James Meltzer, Einat Blumfield. Evaluation of a Focused Abdominal-Pelvic CT Scan To Detect the Appendix in Children

Irini Batsis, Archana S. Kota, Jeffrey C. Gershel, Daniela Levanon. Dairy Exclusion in the Treatment of Chronic Constipation in Children

2013-2014 Academic Year

Original Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals:


**Presentations at national meetings:**

**APA-SPR-PAS meeting in Vancouver, May 2 - 7, 2014:**

Maria Victoria B. Pertubal, Pamela M. Diamantis, Ellen J. Silver, Paulo Pina, David H. Rubin, Adriana E. Groisman-Perelstein.

Are Socio-Demographic Characteristics Associated With Success in an Open Access Family Weight Management Program?
Caitlin Woo-Pierce, Carla Pratt, Rachel J. Katz-Sidlow.
The “Jacobi Kids” Experience: Millennial Students Gain Empathy by Giving Back

Archana Verma, Stephen M. Blumberg.
Parental Preference of Metered Dose Inhaler with Spacer (MDIS) vs Nebulizer for Home Albuterol Administration

Sacha I. Duchicela, Sandra Cunningham.
High-Concentration Nitrous Oxide (HC-N2O) vs Standard Care Alone for Procedural-Induced Pain or Anxiety during Minor Pediatric Procedures

Meital Barzideh, Jeffrey C. Gershel, Kenneth Rivlin.
The Pediatric Prenatal Visit (PPV): A Health Impact Assessment (HIA)

Casey Strier, Kenneth Rivlin, Teresa A. McCann.
Experiential Learning of Family Centered Care: the Effect of Resident-Run Family Centered Rounds on Resident Education