



September 23, 2021

You Won't Want To Miss This!



Department of
Family Medicine

PAVING THE WAY:

DFM and Primary Care Going Forward

October 26, 2021
8:30 am – 11:00 am

Join us for this special virtual event featuring:



Passing the Baton

– Dr. Frank deGruy



Implementing High-Quality
Primary Care in a
Post-COVID World

– Drs. Rebecca Etz and Kurt Stange



On the Horizon

– Dr. Myra Muramoto

If you have yet to accept the calendar invite - get on it!

This is the must-be-there virtual event of the Fall.

October 26, 2021 - 8:30 am to 11:00 am.

Hear from former DFM Chair Frank deGruy and from our new DFM Chair Myra Muramoto.

But, wait, there's more! Enjoy a Levitt Lecture, too!

See below - check your Outlook calendar for the invite - and, accept today.

ANNALS OF FAMILY MEDICINE™



New Paper: Shared Language for Shared Work In Population Health

DFM's Frank deGruy and Larry Green join a host of authors in this important paper recently published in the Annals of Family Medicine.

Dr. Green provides us with the context behind the publication.

"When addressing problems, whether simple or complex, particularly when collaboration and teamwork are essential, people must be able to communicate with each other. For communication to be effective in healthcare, there must be a shared understanding of the words being used. Too often, the fragmented, complicated health care system stumbles and fails to perform as intended because people mistakenly think everyone understands "what is going on" and "what needs to happen." This publication is poised to help us be more competent in working together across disciplines, professions, and sectors—by speaking the same language."

Click the button below to read the paper.

[Read The Paper](#)

Art From CU: Library Exhibit Features Three DFM Artists

We have some artists in the house! And, if you visit the Strauss Health Sciences Library on the Anschutz campus you can take in their works in-person.

Drs. Mark Deutchman and Melissa Beagle - along with rural track medical student, Lukas Ommen - were chosen to display their works in the **"Art from CU"** exhibit running through November 12, 2021.

The library building is open 24/7 for CU Anschutz students, faculty, and staff with an active CU Anschutz campus badge. It is currently closed to the public.

Here are two photographs taken by Lukas Ommen near his family home in Buena Vista, Colorado.



Below, on the left, is a knife and sheath hand-crafted by Mark Deutchman in his home workshop. And, on the right, three paintings by Melissa Beagle.



UPDATES

How To: Book A Landing Zone Space In AO1

To reserve one of the offices (private or shared) for your use, please use the following app: [AO1 Landing Zones](#)

Need more help. Watch this video: [How to use Bookings](#)

Patient Care: Family Medicine Clinics Garner National Honor

Congratulations to our DFM faculty providers who care for patients at the following clinics:

- **AF Williams Family Medicine
- **CU Family Medicine Centennial
- **Boulder Family Medicine
- **CU Family Medicine Depot Hill
- **WISH/Anschutz Women's Integrated Services in Health
- **Lone Tree Primary Care
- **Westminster Family Medicine

These clinics have received **Gold+ Recognition** from the [Target:BP program](#) which is a partnership between Target, the American Heart Association, and the American Medical Association and which helps health care organizations and care teams, at no cost, improve blood pressure (BP) control rates through an evidence-based quality improvement program and recognizes organizations committed to improving BP control.

Gold+ Recognition recognizes the commitment to measurement accuracy and achieving an exceptional 70% or greater blood pressure control rate throughout their adult patient population.

Way to go!

Research And Innovation

Announcing newly funded projects:

August 2021:

CGM in Primary Care-REFER or LEARN: Implementation and Evaluation

DFM PIs: Tamara Oser & Sean Oser (Collaboration with PIP)

Contact: tamara.oser@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU or sean.oser@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU

Sponsor: Helmsley Charitable Trust

Shared Empowerment for Early Device Success (SEED Pathway)

DFM Investigators: Tamara Oser, Sean Oser, Miriam Dickinson

Contact: tamara.oser@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU or sean.oser@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU

Sponsor: Barbara Davis Center/Helmsley Charitable Trust

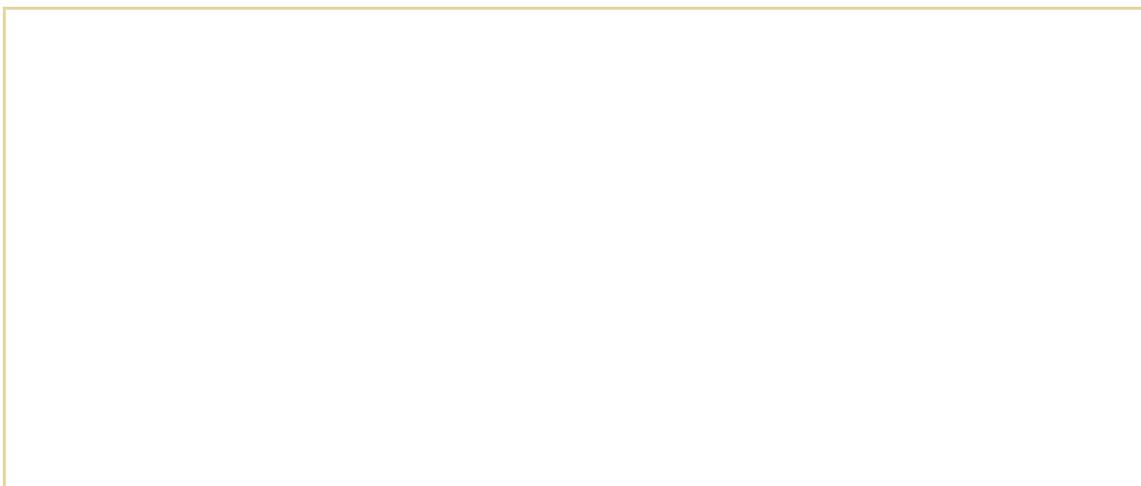
External Evaluation for Boys and Girls Clubs of the San Luis Valley

DFM PI: Farley Health Policy

Contact: shale.wong@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU

Sponsor/Partners: 21st Century Community Learning Center

If you want to learn more about this project or get involved, be sure and reach out to the contact listed.





Professional Development Pro Tip!

LinkedIn Learning – FREE Professional Development Resource

All staff, faculty, and students have a free LinkedIn Learning (formerly known as Lynda.com) account through the university. Do you have yours set up? Get to know [LinkedIn Learning on the Employee Services webpage](#)

Every month, they will send you curated class suggestions based on your interests/background that you outline in your profile. There are classes ranging from every computer program under the sun to problem-solving and decision-making, time management, goal setting, engagement, strategic planning and much MUCH more!

Once you have your profile set up, you can access LinkedIn Learning directly through portal.



More Ways to Give Now

Payroll deduction - One-time gift - Planned giving. Showing your support for DFM is easy.

Visit the Endowment page to learn more about the endowment campaign and how you can become involved.

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