



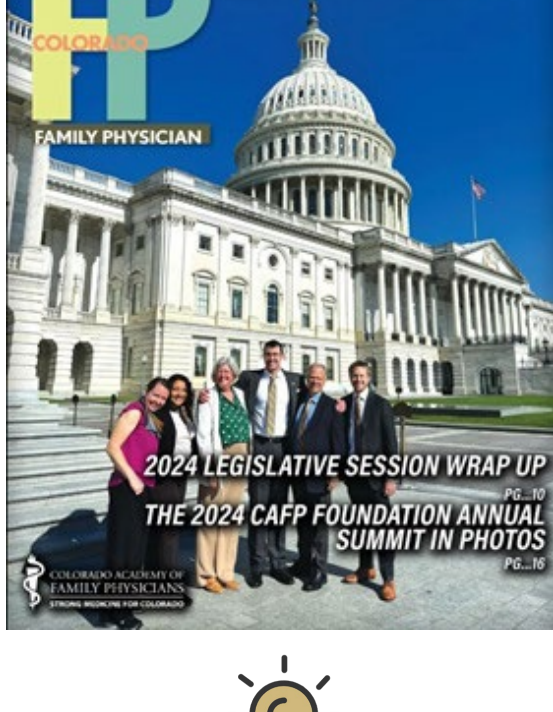
July 26, 2024 - Monthly Newsletter

Check out the latest and greatest from the DFM.

News and Publications



Colorado Family Physician Magazine - Summer 2024



The 2024 summer edition of the *Colorado Family Physician* magazine—which is intended to keep the Family Physicians of Colorado informed on information regarding CMEs, symposiums, legislative news and best practices, peer news, practice management products and services, and employment opportunities—has just been published and the CU Department of Family Medicine not only has a presence on the cover(!) but also, as always, through the prolific work showcased throughout the publication.

[Read the Magazine Online](#)



Academy of Medical Educators (AME)

Under new leadership, the AME has accepted a number of DFM members this year. The Academy serves an important role in supporting the promotion of educational excellence, innovation, and community here at the University of Colorado School of Medicine.

This year, the AME accepted: Megan Lykke, MD; Melissa Johnson, MD; Helen Macfarlane, MA; and Bradford Winslow, MD.

The following existing members were reaccepted as part of the program refresh: Nida Awadallah, MD; Brian Bacak, MD; Colleen Conry, MD; Mark Deutchman, MD; Wendy Madigosky, MD; Linda Montgomery, MD; and Roberto Silva, MD.

Interested in joining the AME? There will be another open application period in the fall so that more great educators can seek membership. Stay tuned for more information!



Recent CGM-Focused Publication



Tristen Hall, PhD, MPH; Miriam Dickinson, PhD; Meredith Warman, MPH; Tamara Oser, MD; and Sean Oser, MD, MPH recently released a publication in the *Journal of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners*.

The publication, entitled "[Continuous glucose monitoring among nurse practitioners in primary care: Characteristics associated with prescribing and resources needed to support use](#)," explores, via cross-sectional survey, behaviors and attitudes related to continuous glucose monitoring (CGM) for diabetes management among Nurse Practitioners in Primary Care.



PCDL at the 'Research Roadshow'



Team members from the Primary Cared Diabetes Lab (PCDL) attended the "Research Roadshow" in Shalom Park, Aurora, Colorado. Pictured above are Ashwin Sarwal, Jessica Oser and Britney Pringne who provided learning and research opportunities for older adults. (Not pictured: Shweta Kumar and Elizabeth Westfeldt also attended the event).

This event is hosted by the Multidisciplinary Center on Aging. This is their second year, with the goal of providing fun, experiential opportunities for older adults to learn about research and specifically get connected to clinical trials actively recruiting older adults.



More PCDL News



Ashwin Sarwal (*also pictured left*), a summer student working in with the PCDL, was recently accepted into medical school and will be starting at Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine in the fall.

Congrats, Ashwin, we look forward to hearing about what's next for you!

Clinical Callouts

Jennifer Hronkin, MD

"Dr. Hronkin has a sensitive caring nature, and I feel comfortable confiding my deepest concerns in her. She listens and also treats me as though I am an intelligent person with a stake in making my own healthcare decisions. I feel safe in her care."

Location: CU Medicine Family Medicine - Centennial

Faculty Bio



Seth Kramer, DO, MPH

"Dr. Kramer is simply fantastic. I was so impressed by how he dealt with my child today. My child has not always been pleasant to deal with and is usually not very communicative. He was a chatter box today with Dr. Kramer. Dr. Kramer listens and has so many resources available. He has a great 'bedside' manner and is wonderful to work with. I am so glad to have him as our family doctor."

Location: Westminster Family Medicine - Westminster

Faculty Bio



Events and Meetings



August DFM Monthly Meeting

August 14 | 11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

M24-110 Shore Family Forum (First Floor of the Nighthorse Campbell Native Health Building) OR on Zoom

For this August meeting, we will welcome speakers from Aurora's Village Exchange Center (VEC) with the DFM's Community Engagement Program (CEP). Hear updates from their recent efforts as well as upcoming opportunities to volunteer with the VEC. [Register to attend in-person](#) by Thursday, August 8. If you are joining us virtually, you can [save the day-of Zoom link](#) (or you can access it on your Outlook calendar).



DFM in the Community with the Village Exchange Center

Multiple Dates and Times
Multiple Locations



CU Anschutz Latine Excellence Symposium

September 16 | 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Elliman Conference Center on the second floor of the Health Sciences Building

DFM in the Community is back again this fall, 2024! For the second year in a row, we are collaborating with the VEC. [Visit the DFM in the Community webpage](#) to learn more about the individual sessions and submit your volunteer registration. Thank you for your interest in giving back to Aurora!

Join the CU Hispanic/Latine Serving Institution Advisory Committee as they aim to elevate the Latine experience on the Anschutz campus. This will be an inspiring and transformative day as the group engages in conversations about excellence in serving Latine students, faculty, staff and community partners. The group will also recognize Latine leaders with the inaugural "Con Ganas" Award for demonstrating excellence in their field, creating collaborative environments, and uplifting communities. [Sign up to get updates on how to register.](#)



SAVE THE DATE!
CU Anschutz Block Party

September 18



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CU Social Justice Summit

October 8

The CU Anschutz Medical Campus Block Party returns on Wednesday, September 18, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Bonfils Circle in front of the Fitzsimmons building. Open to students, staff, clinicians, administrators, and researchers from across the campus, this annual end-of-summer celebration at is a fun-filled opportunity to learn about all the amazing things happening here and within the neighboring Aurora community. Buy lunch from local food trucks, enjoy games and activities, and visit the booths of more than 140 on-campus departments and community non-profits and businesses. **The DFM will have a booth and will be asking for volunteers closer to the event date.**

The Division of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion is delighted to announce that we will be hosting the 2024 CU Social Justice Summit at UCCS! This year's theme is Inclusive Leadership and Belonging, centering each campus's commitment to fostering inclusive learning and work environments. The summit will explore four areas of focus: Social Activism & Community Engagement; Equity in Research, Teaching, and Scholarship; Mental Health, Wellness, and Self-care; and Advocacy, Safety, and Transformative Justice. More information about the full schedule of sessions will become available [on the summit webpage](#) in early August.

Resources

DFM Intranet

CU Celebrates!

The Strategic Plan

Departmental Well-being

Supporting the DFM

Interested in understanding how to promote the department to those who have expressed an interest in providing financial support? Or looking for options for payroll deduction, a one-time gift, or planned giving? Learning about ways to show support for the DFM could not be easier and, more importantly, philanthropic participation helps ensure we can continue to do the good work that we do! [Check out our newly invigorated giving page](#) and feel free to share if anyone asks for more information.

[Learn More About Supporting the DFM](#)

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