

**The Pediatric Subspecialty Workforce and Its Impact on Child Health and Well-Being:
Webinar #2**

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Featured Speakers

Louis M. Bell, MD

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Louis M. Bell is an emeritus Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine and the Associate Chair for Clinical Activities in the Department of Pediatrics at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP). He is the holder of the Patrick S. Pasquariello, Jr., MD Chair in Pediatric Medicine. Dr. Bell attends on the General Pediatric Inpatient Service. He also was an attending on the Inpatient Infectious Diseases services through June 2017. He has held subspecialty board certification in Pediatric Infectious Diseases and Pediatric Emergency Medicine. His clinical focus is pediatric hospital medicine and infectious diseases. Dr. Bell was elected to the Assembly of Master Clinicians of the Perelman School of Medicine in 2014. Over the years, he has won numerous teaching awards, including CHOP's Teacher of the year award in 1990 and again in 2005, the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine's *Dean's award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching*, the School of Medicine *Blockley-Osler Award for Excellence in teaching clinical medicine at the bedside* and the 2009 *Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching*, PENN's most prestigious teaching award. Dr. Bell has published more than 90 peer-reviewed research publications and over 90 chapters, reviews, and books with a focus on understanding the epidemiology and improving the treatment and management of pediatric infectious diseases and general pediatric hospital care. Dr. Bell was the Founder and Director of the Pediatric Research Consortium (PeRC), a Practice-Based Research Network (PBRN) at CHOP with a mission to improve ambulatory care of children through clinical research (2003-2017). Established with a grant from the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), the network continues to thrive and consists of 31 primary care practices with more than 200 providers in Philadelphia and the surrounding areas.

April O. Buchanan, MD

Council on Medical Student Education in Pediatrics

Dr. Buchanan is a Professor of Pediatrics and the Associate Dean for Medical Education at the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Greenville. She is also a Pediatric Hospitalist with Prisma Health. Dr. Buchanan earned her undergraduate degree from the College of Charleston and her M.D. degree from the Medical University of South Carolina. She completed a residency in pediatrics at Vanderbilt University Medical Center. Dr. Buchanan started her pediatric career as a community pediatrician in Oxford, Mississippi, served as a neonatal hospitalist at Duke University Medical Center, and then worked as a pediatric hospitalist with Hasbro Children's Hospital and Brown Medical School. Dr. Buchanan joined Prisma Health formerly Greenville Health System, in 2008. Dr. Buchanan has led multiple national workshops and published on various topics including professionalism, quality and safety, assessment in integrated curricula, survey design, instrument validity, clinical reasoning, and narrative assessment. She was also an author of the AAMC Toolkits for First Generation Students and Advisors. Her book chapters include contributions in Nelson's Essentials of Pediatrics, Step Up to Pediatrics,

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Comprehensive Pediatric Hospital Medicine, and the Pediatric Hospital Medicine Core Competencies. Dr. Buchanan is the current President for the Council on Medical Student Education in Pediatrics (COMSEP).

Clarissa Hoover, MPH Family Voices

Clarissa Hoover started advocating for patients, families, and quality healthcare shortly after her daughter's diagnosis with cystic fibrosis in 2005. She completed her Master of Public Health at the University of New Mexico in 2013, with a focus on patient and family engagement in health-related services. She is currently the Data Coordinator for Family Voices, where her work is mainly focused on family partnerships in pediatric research and on supporting family-to-family organizations in every state and territory of the US.

Robert W. Hostoffer, DO Case Western Reserve University

Robert W. Hostoffer is an AOA board-certified osteopathic allergist, immunologist and pediatrician. Dr. Hostoffer practices at Allergy/Immunology Associates in Mayfield Heights, Ohio. He is a clinical professor at the Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine at Athens and an associate professor at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland. Dr. Hostoffer is the past president of the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians, Cleveland Academy of Osteopathic Medicine, Cleveland Allergy Association and the Ohio Osteopathic Association. He is now a member of the executive board of the American Osteopathic Association. He is the program director of the Allergy/Immunology fellowship that has obtained ACGME, Osteopathic Recognition. Dr. Hostoffer earned his Osteopathic medical degree from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. He completed his pediatric residency training at Doctors Hospital in Columbus, Ohio, and a fellowship in pediatric immunology from the University of Alabama at Birmingham. He has completed a master's in medical education (LECOM, Erie, PA) as well as a master's in business administration (St Joseph University, Philadelphia, PA) and a certificate in Physician Leadership from the University of Chicago. Dr. Hostoffer has authored over 100 peer-reviewed articles, 14 book chapters, 160 abstracts/posters, and given 290 invited presentations.

Joanna Lewis, MD Advocate Children's Hospital – Park Ridge

Dr. Joanna Lewis received her undergraduate degree in Spanish from Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. She later attended medical school at Rosalind Franklin University of Health Sciences, The Chicago Medical School and went on to pediatric residency and chief residency at Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC. She currently serves as the pediatric residency program director at Advocate Children's Hospital in Park Ridge, Illinois, where she has worked in this capacity since 2014. Her clinical interests are general pediatrics and community health and she is the medical director for mobile health services for Advocate Children's Hospital. Dr. Lewis's research interests are in medical education and curriculum innovation. She serves in a volunteer capacity for both the APPD and the ACGME and is heavily involved in ICAN4K, the Illinois Community and Advocacy Network for pediatric residency training programs.

Furman S. McDonald, MD, MPH, FACP

American Board of Internal Medicine

Dr. McDonald, a board-certified internist and Senior Vice President for Academic and Medical Affairs at the American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM), provides physician leadership for the effective functioning of the ABIM Council and Specialty Boards, graduate medical education (GME)–related leadership, and oversight for the consistent quality/integrity of ABIM’s certification programs. In these roles, he supports the development and implementation of integrated policy and standards for the Certification programs of the specialty and subspecialties of Internal Medicine and discipline-specific aspects of Maintenance of Certification (MOC). Prior to joining ABIM, Dr. McDonald held numerous GME-related positions. He was program director of one of the largest internal medicine residencies in the nation at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., where he led the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) Educational Innovations Project. Dr. McDonald was also a member of the Residency Review Committee for Internal Medicine (RRC-IM) during the transition to the Next Accreditation System (NAS) and remains on the RRC-IM ex officio. Dr. McDonald’s career long scholarly passion has been to study the links between graduate medical education and patient relevant outcomes using sound evidence based methods. He has published more than 100 peer-reviewed publications and has won numerous awards for medical education research and teaching, including the 2019 Alliance for Academic Medicine (AAIM) Special Recognition Award “...presented to an individual who has contributed most to helping the Alliance meet its mission which promotes the advancement and professional development of its members who prepare the next generation of internal medicine physicians and leaders through education, research, engagement, and collaboration.” He holds the rank of Adjunct Professor of Medicine at both the Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science, Rochester, Minnesota and the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Dr. McDonald remains clinically active as a supervising physician for resident continuity clinic in the J. Edwin Wood Clinic of the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia PA.

Michael Melfe

American Board of Internal Medicine

Michael Melfe is the Director of ABIM’s Academic Affairs Department, which oversees policy and eligibility requirements for initial certification. Michael also manages various alternative pathways towards initial certification as well being a voting member on ABIM’s Staff Credentials Committee, which reviews requests for exceptional cases.

Suzanne K. Woods, MD

American Board of Pediatrics

Suzanne K. Woods is the Executive Vice President of the American Board of Pediatrics (ABP) and a member of the Board of Directors. Dr. Woods is responsible for the initial certification and credentialing of pediatricians as generalists and subspecialists, examination administration, direction for the development of training standards, and the recognition of new subspecialties. She works closely with program directors and oversees the work of the subspecialty subboards of the ABP. She serves as the ABP’s liaison to the Review Committee (RC) for Pediatrics of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), as well as a liaison to the Committee on Pediatric Education of the

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American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Woods holds an appointment as Consulting Professor of Pediatrics at Duke University Medical Center. She is board certified in general pediatrics and internal medicine, participates in maintenance of certification (MOC), and is meeting MOC requirements. Dr. Woods previously held the position of Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine at Duke University where she also served as Med-Peds Residency Program Director and Chief of the Med-Peds primary care practice. In the past, she has held leadership positions as the Chair of the RC for Pediatrics and as a member of the Executive Committee for the Medicine Pediatrics Program Director Association (MPPDA). Dr. Woods has received numerous awards and most recently received the 2018 Parker J. Palmer "Courage to Teach" Award from the ACGME and the 2018 MPPDA Leadership Award.

Panel Moderator

Frederick P. Rivara, MD, MPH
University of Washington

Frederick P. Rivara is the holder of the Seattle Children's Guild Association Endowed Chair in Pediatric Outcomes Research, Vice Chair and Professor of Pediatrics and adjunct Professor of Epidemiology at the University of Washington. Dr. Rivara earned a bachelor's degree at the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, MA and received his MD from the University of Pennsylvania and an MPH from the University of Washington. He completed residencies at the Children's Hospital Medical Center in Boston and the University of Washington and was a Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar at the University of Washington. He is editor-in-chief of JAMA Network Open after serving for 17 years as editor-in-chief of JAMA Pediatrics. Dr. Rivara has received numerous honors including the Charles C. Shepard Science Award from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the American Public Health Association, Injury Control and Emergency Health Services Section Distinguished Career Award, and the American Academy of Pediatrics, Section on Injury and Poison Prevention, Physician Achievement Award, the UW School of Public Health Distinguished Alumni Award, and the UW Medicine Minority Faculty Mentoring Award. Dr. Rivara was elected to the Institute of Medicine (now National Academy of Medicine) in 2005. He was awarded the Joseph St. Geme, Jr Leadership award from the Federation of Pediatric Organizations in 2021. Dr. Rivara previously was the chair of the Committee on the Biological and Psychosocial Effects of Peer Victimization: Lessons for Bullying Prevention, Institute of Medicine, Chair of the Committee on Oral Health Access to Care, member of the Committee on Adolescent Health Care Services and Models of Care, Institute of Medicine, and Vice-chair of the Committee on Sports Related Concussions in Youth, Institute of Medicine.