

CHEERS TO 100 YEARS!

Doctors' Day Celebration

Celebrating a Century of Medical Excellence



Dr. Anna Darrow

In recognition of Women's History month, we recognize Dr. Anna Darrow. Dr. Darrow took the Florida Medical Examination in 1909 and became the second woman to be licensed as a physician in the State of Florida.

The Doctors' Day Celebration will be held on Saturday, March 30, 2019 at the Historical Society of Palm Beach County, 300 N. Dixie Highway from 4pm to 7pm. We will have historical exhibits, special presentations, family activities and delicious food. Complimentary for PBCMS Members and their families.

A photo of all our Life Honorary members at the Doctors Day party on Saturday, March 30th at 5:30 pm on the steps of the Historical Society. The photo will be on the cover of our On Call journal.

[Click here](#) to register online and for more information.

This event is not sponsored by or affiliated with the government of Palm Beach County



2019 Heroes in Medicine Announced. Click [here](#) to view the list of winners.

The 16th Annual **Heroes in Medicine Awards** to be held at the Kravis Center's Cohen Pavilion in West Palm Beach on Friday, May 17th. Heroes in Medicine is a unique and extremely heartwarming gathering, honors and celebrates men and women as well as companies and organizations from Palm Beach County who are committed to and have provided extraordinary health care services and support. Net proceeds from the awards luncheon support the services of the Medical Society and **Project Access**, a physician-led network of care of physicians and other health care providers

who offer care at no cost to local uninsured residents in need and other services of the PBCMS Services. Call 561-433-3940 for sponsorship information or [click here](#) for sponsorship forms.



Palm Beach County Medical Society Services is Featured in the Palm Beach Post!

Click [here](#) to view the spotlight.



Retired physicians and their spouses enjoyed a special St. Patrick's Day retired physician luncheon at Café Saponi on March 15th. A special thank you to our lunch sponsor and Circle of Friend Coastal Wealth. The next retired physician luncheon will be held on Thursday, June 13th Noon – 1:30 at a location TBD



Call for PBC Delegates for FMA Annual Meeting

Each year, FMA members convene to present, deliberate resolutions and adopt policies that impact the practice of medicine and the health of our communities. With 20 Delegates, Palm Beach County Medical Society has a proud tradition of strong leaders advocating for the practice of medicine. Our impact is stronger through our partnership with Dade and Broward County in the South Florida Caucus.

This year's meeting will be held Aug 9-11, 2019 at the Hilton Bonnet Creek in Orlando, Florida. [Click here](#) for more information about the meeting and participation as a delegate. Please contact Tenna Wiles CEO at tennaw@pbcms.org to indicate your interest in participating or to answer any questions.

Resolutions from PBCMS members are encouraged. If you have an issue that you would addressed, please contact Tenna Wiles, CEO at tennaw@pbcms.org.

PBCMS Events

Health Care Connection Luncheon – Wednesday, April 10, 2019

Do you Feel Bombarded by Managed Care Audits? Solutions for Risk Adjustments Presented by Christine Hall, CHC, CPMA, CRC, CIC-1, Acevedo Consulting, Inc. West Palm Beach Marriott – 1001 Okeechobee Blvd. WPB. PBCMS & MGMA members & staff \$25 pp - non-members & Staff \$35. Register on line at www.pbcms.org or call 561-433-3940 ext 105.

Attention Women Physician's

Pre Mother's Day Wish List Event. Brunch-by-the-Bite and Beauty and Trend presentation. **April 13th 10:30 am to noon at Saks Fifth Avenue Boca Raton.** More details coming soon!

PBCMS Services Annual Dinner

The PBCMS Services Annual Dinner has been **rescheduled** to Monday, April 15, 2019 at Benvenuto Restaurant, 1730 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach, FL 33435 at 6pm. Please call 561-433-3940 to RSVP.

Attention Physicians and Practice Administrators!

We are offering a panel discussion and luncheon on Billing & Reimbursement on June 12th. In order to have ample time to prepare please email your questions and suggestions to deanna@pbcms.org.

Women Physicians – Save the Date – Thursday, September 12th 2019

Celebrating Women in Medicine Dinner. Benvenuto's Restaurant, Boynton Beach. More details coming soon!

Caduceus hosts weekly meetings on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm at Crossroads (Lake Ida Rd & Congress Avenue). Physicians and all healthcare providers are welcome to attend. The program is based on AA 12 step program. If you have questions please call Deanna Lessard at PBCMS (561) 433-3940 ext. 105.

News

From AMA

The American Medical Association has a new Physician Burnout Tip of the Week service. [Click here](#) to get your tip of the week!

From Health News Florida

[House Passes Bill To Make Opening Hospitals Easier](#)

[Opioid Task Force Proposal Advances](#)

[Smokable Marijuana Available As State Crafts New Rules](#)

[Death By 1,000 Clicks: Where Electronic Health Records Went Wrong](#)

Opioid News**Mandatory Opioid CME Information**

Mandatory consultation of PDMP database went into effect July 1, 2018. The following are opportunities for the Mandatory Opioid CME that are available.

Online**Florida Medical Association**

Controlled Substance Prescribing Course for MD/DO

- <https://flmedical.inreachce.com/Details/Information/c64bbce1-c037-4008-b6bd-1204fd149224>

Baptist Health South Florida CME Portal and Online Learning Program

The Baptist Health Online Learning Program appreciates the opportunity to be able to provide the **Prescribing Controlled Substances** course to Palm Beach County allopathic and osteopathic physicians – **at no charge**. The direct URL to all relicensure courses on the Baptist Health CME Portal is Compliance.BaptistHealth.net. Please contact the Baptist Health CME Department by email CME@BaptistHealth.net or phone 786-596-2398. [Click here](#) for more information.

[Fighting the Opioid Epidemic: Progress Report from Surgeon General](#)

United States Surgeon General, Vice Admiral Jerome M. Adams, MD, MPH, explains several programs that have helped to combat the HIV epidemic, opioid overdose rates, and other addiction epidemic issues in various places across the country as part of his presentation to attendees at The Doctors Company's Executive Advisory Board meeting

Circle of Friends



At First Citizens Bank, we understand that your needs are unique, just like the challenges you face in managing the finances of your medical practice. That's why we work closely with doctors and office managers to tailor business strategies to successfully take on those challenges and help you do more with your resources and maintain your competitive edge.

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Community Events

Camp Good Grief Coming Soon!

Trustbridge is sponsoring Camp Good Grief that provides a support system to children and teens ages 8-17 who are grieving the death of a loved one. Camp will be held Friday-Sunday, March, 22-24, 2019 at the Tanah Keeta Scout Reservation. There is no cost to your family. [Click here](#) to download the application, or call 888.499.8393.

Free Program on MS

Newly diagnosed with MS? You're not alone. Attend a free program focused on you. Discover tips and learn about managing MS. **Tuesday, March 26, 2019 at 6:30pm** at the Farmers Table; 1901 North Military Trail, Boca Raton, FL 33431. RSVP to 877-926-9904. Click [here](#) for more information.

Jupiter Medical Center Free CME Program

Jupiter Medical Center is hosting a free CME Neuroscience Symposium "Brain Talk on the Beach" on March 30, 2019 from 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at Admirals Cove Clubhouse, 200 Admirals Cove Blvd., Jupiter, FL. Attendance is free. 6.0 CME & CEU credits provided. Breakfast and Lunch are provided. Please RSVP by March 27, 2019 to Julia Brown by email Julia.Brown@jupitermed.com or call 561-263-3477.

Jupiter Medical Center April CME Program

Jupiter Medical Center is hosting a "New Directions in the Management of Recurrent Ovarian Cancer: Focus on PARP Inhibitors" CME Program on April 9, 2019 from 5:30-7pm at Admirals Cove, 200 Admirals Cove Blvd, Jupiter, FL 33477. Please RSVP to Julia Brown by email julia.brown@jupitermed.com or call 561-263-3477. Additional information can be found [here](#).

Florida Clinician's for Climate Action & CLEO Present

Climate Change & Public Health Breakout Workshop & Training on Friday April 26 from 1pm - 4pm at The CLEO Institute FIU Biscayne Bay Campus, 3000 NE 151st St Inside the Wolfe University Center Ballroom, North Miami, FL 33181. [Please click](#) here to register. ***** Use the code: "FCCA" for a 50% discount on admission to attend just the Health breakout on the first day. *****

FAU Healthcare Administration & Medical Business Management Certificate Programs

The healthcare industry is rapidly changing, and Florida Atlantic University's Certified Medical Business Management program provides the educational training for gaining employment opportunities as well as for upgrading your current skills. This program explores the business aspects of medical office environments, covering Anatomy, Terminology, Billing & Coding (ICD10), Healthcare Information Technology, HIPAA, medical records, and Regulatory Compliance. **A \$250.00 discount for PBCMS members and their employees.** [Click here](#) for more information.

The Florida Healthcare Law Firm Free Webinars

- Healthcare Business Sales: Legal Basics, Apr 24th [Register](#)
- Best Practices for Audit Defense, May 22nd [Register](#)

FAU: Compassionate Conversations for Advance Care planning: ACP Made Easy?

FAU invites community healthcare professionals (nurses, social workers, physicians, pharmacists, clergy, and lawyers to Compassionate Conversations for Advance Care Planning. CME's and CE's will be provided. April 16, 2019 from 5pm-8pm at the Marleen & Harold Forkas Alumni Center. RSVP to Dr. Jo Ann Bamdas at jbamdas1@health.fau.edu or 561-297-2235.

2019 Education Conference

Alzheimer's Community Care invites you to their Annual 2019 Education Conference. **May 29, 2019, 8am-4pm at the PGA National Resort and Spa in Palm Beach Gardens.** This one-day event will feature experts in the field of Alzheimer's disease and related neurocognitive disorders discussing trends, strategies, and insight into professional and family caregiving. More in-depth learning opportunities will be offered through six (6) breakout sessions. 6.0 CME/CEUs will be

provided to Professional attendees. Seating is limited. **To register for the event, please contact Jonathan Price at 561-683-2700.**

Evaluate First Coast Service Options' services in 10 minutes

First Coast Service Options, your Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) for the traditional Medicare program, would like to request your opinion of our service by taking the MAC Satisfaction Indicator (MSI) survey. Your feedback goes directly to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services and helps us understand how we can better service you. This survey should only take about 10 minutes of your time. To take the survey, click [here](#).

Need a Health Advocate? Let's Work Together...

HCSEF's Community Health Advocates (CHA) support community members living with HIV in Palm Beach County to access services for their care and well-being. CHA's are available to present to community members on how HIV and other STDs can be prevented while offering free HIV testing. Community Health Advocates are mobile and ready to work with all of Palm Beach County. Call (561) 323-0449 or visit Ruth Estrada, CHA at the Palm Beach County Medical Society on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm -4:00 pm for assistance.

Pediatric/Adolescent Physicians Needed

U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants is looking for a Pediatric/Adolescent physicians for our residential/shelter facility in Lake Worth, FL. [Click here](#) to apply for the position.

Primary Care Doctor Wanted

Looking to hire several new Primary care doctors to join existing practices. We have multiple locations in the West Palm Beach area. Some hospital work and on-call one in five. Competitive salary and benefits. Email your resume to beverly.archer@mspbhealth.com.

Physician Wanted

Our Delray Beach office is a private practice designed to give a family feel. We are busy but never too busy to be friendly. Our hope is to find a qualified Internal Medicine candidate that fits well with our 16 staff members. [Click here](#) for full job qualifications. Please email resume to gina@drwiddows.com.

Audiologist Wanted

Full-time, West Palm Beach location along intercoastal. For full job description [click here](#). Email resume to info@cjagrestimdent.com.

Physician Needed - Pediatrician, Family Practice, Internal Medicine

FoundCare is looking for a Physicians to join our team. Be a part of a growing and reputable organization that is making an impact in our community For confidential consideration, please email your CV/resume to mmachonis@foundcare.org or fax 561-868-5652. For more details call Mike Machonis 561-472-9160 ext. 212.

Sublease Opportunity: Delray Beach 4675 Linton Blvd - Delray Medical Offices, Suite 200

Beautiful, private newly renovated office space --- approx. 1,200 SF available for immediate full-time/part-time sublease – separate entrance, reception with check-in/out; patient lobby, physician office, two-exam rooms. Surgery center located in building. Contact Cheryl at 561-758-3360.

Medical Office Suite

Newly Renovated Beautifully built out 1500 sq. ft. medical office space available for lease beginning September 2018. Conveniently located off from 95 and Forest Hill Blvd. Call Candy Steiding 561-968-7111 for further details.

For Rent

TURNKEY office immediately available in Central Palm Beach County. Fully furnished office space for rent with medical equipment near Okeechobee and I-95. Plenty of parking in well maintained professional office building. All utilities included in rent with housekeeping. Reasonable monthly rental rate. See patients immediately! Please contact 561-434-6206 for more information or to schedule a viewing.

