

# THE BULLETIN

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Join us at the upcoming GCMS Town Hall Meeting

Live at the Sloan Museum

Featuring the Body Exhibit - details inside!

August 31, 2023 @ 5:45 p.m.

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**Our Vision**

That the Genesee County Medical Society maintain its position as the premier medical society by advocating on behalf of its physician members and patients.

**Our Mission**

The mission of the Genesee County Medical Society is leadership, advocacy, education, and service on behalf of its members and their patients.

**PLEASE NOTE**

The GCMS Nominating Committee seeks input from members for nominations for the GCMS Presidential Citation for Lifetime Community Service. The Committee would like to be made aware of candidates for consideration.

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**Town Hall Meeting**

August 31, 2023

**Practice Managers**

September 14, 2023

**Medical Society Foundation**

September 20, 2023

6:00 p.m.

**Board of Directors**

September 26 2023

6:00 p.m.

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**SloanMuseum.org**

### Dr. Venkat Rao Memorial Scholarship

In June the Genesee County Medical Society established the Dr. Venkat Rao Memorial Scholarship. The memorial scholarship was originated to carry on the memory and legacy of Venkat Rao, MD.

The first memorial scholarship was presented at the Genesee Health Plan awards dinner on August 3, 2023. Attending the dinner were GCMS Board Members Dr. Rama Rao and Dr. Edward Christy. GCMS members in attendance were: Dr. Joseph Varghese, Dr. Anas Moughrabieh, and Dr. Alison Kinning. The Chair of the Michigan State Medical Society Board of Directors, Dr Paul Bozyk, was also in attendance.

The 2023 Dr. Venkat Rao Memorial Scholarship award recipient is Abigail Willyerd. Abigail is a 2023 graduate of Swartz Creek High School. She will be attending Grand Valley State University in the fall.

Dr. Rama Rao, Dr. Edward Christy, and myself presented Abigail Willyerd with a check for \$1500 and an award plaque on behalf of the Genesee County Medical Society. GCMS congratulates Abigail and wishes her the best as she begins her journey into the medical field.

A special thank you to Genesee Health Plan and Sovita Credit Union assisting with the organization of this memorial scholarship award.



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**ATTENTION!**



**9:00 A.M.**  
**Via Zoom**

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**Thursday August 31, 2023**  
**at the Sloan Museum of Discovery 5:45 - 8:00 PM**  
**1221 E. Kearsley St.**  
**Flint, MI. 48503**



## **Agenda:**

- 6:00 pm Venkat Rao, MD  
Special Memorial
- 6:05 pm GCMS Business Meeting
- 6:05 pm Buffet Dinner
- 6:30 pm Presentation - 1
- 7:00 pm Presentation - 2
- 7:30 pm Private Viewing  
Real Bodies Exhibit
- 8:00 Adjourn

## **Presentations:**

- Dr. Mohhamad Jondy on Sports Medicine Injuries.
- Dr. Lafi Khalil on Sports Medicine Hip Injuries.

Tickets \$25 per person.  
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A cash bar will be available

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August 31, 2023 5:45 pm - 8:00 pm

Sloan Museum of Discovery

**Orthopedic & Sports**

**Medicine Injuries:**

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**6:30 pm**

**Mohammad Jondy, MD  
Sports Medicine Injuries**



**7:00 pm**

**Lafi Khalil, MD  
Acute Hip Injury**



**A private viewing of the Real Bodies will begin at 7:30 pm (Included)**



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Dr. Saab finished his medical school training at the American University of Beirut and completed his General Surgery residency and Plastic Surgery fellowship training at Henry Ford Hospital in Michigan. He is passionate about surgical education and he is a clinical instructor in the Department of Surgery at MSU.

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## Wasim Nasir, MD, FAAD

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# WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20, 2023

Hampton Inn & Suites Flint/Grand Blanc  
6060 Rashelle Drive, Flint, MI 48507

### PROGRAM AGENDA:

- 5:30 p.m. Registration & Buffet Dinner
- 6:00 p.m. Wasim Nasir, MD, FAAD
- 7:00 p.m. Adjourn

### REGISTRATION:

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- ◆ GCMS staff helped Genesee County residents with contacts, resources and explanations.
- ◆ GCMS Membership Committee has collaborated and has a plan in place to reach out to and meet with various practices in Genesee County. If you have colleagues that are not yet GCMS members, please connect with them!  
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*2023 President's Ball*

'A Night in Paradise'

*Atlas Valley Country Club*

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Honoring GCMS President

Dr. Paul Kocheril

November 18, 2023

@ 6:00 P.M.

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by November 4, 2023





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Dr. Paul Kocheril  
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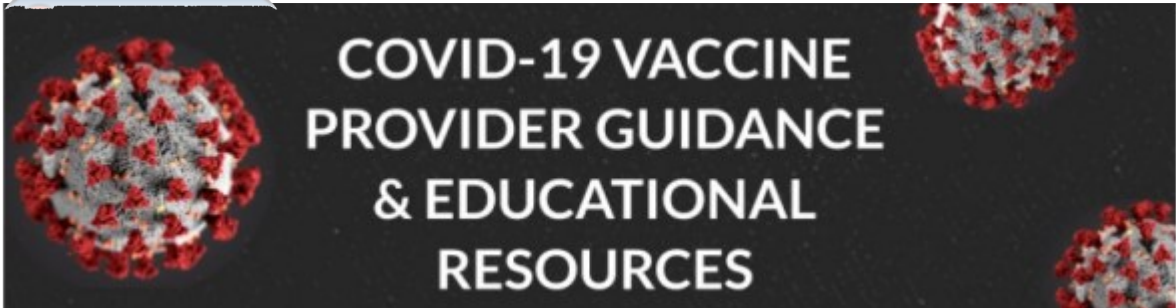
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## Improving Michigan's Health Care Environment

- Maintain legislative intent and enforceability of all medical liability tort reforms
- Ensure patients have timely access to physician-prescribed medication
- Preserve appropriate access to telehealth care
- Advocate for adequate and transparent physician networks
- Reform Michigan's continuing medical education requirements
- Limit insurance company retroactive audit time frames
- Support out of network medical bills appeal process for independent review of disputes

## Advancing Public Health and Health Equity

- Strengthen Michigan's public health infrastructure and vaccine laws
- Address social determinants of health and other systemic inequities
- Support appropriate funding increases to Medicaid reimbursement and the Healthy Michigan Plan
- Ensure equitable access to health care for all Michigan children and adults
- Improve sustainable funding for maternal health
- Advocate for public health solutions to violence and enhanced gun safety
- Discover ways to improve health literacy education for Michigan's K-12 students
- Expand access to mental health and substance use disorder treatment

## Ensuring Access to Physician-Led Care

- Increase graduate medical education funding at state-level
- Minimize burden of medical school debt through state reimbursement
- Increase funding for sustainable staffing levels in hospitals and physician offices
- Support physician-led, team-based health care for Michigan patients
- Oppose independent prescriptive authority by non-physicians
- Support patients' right-to-know through health professional credentials disclosure
- Fund programming to reduce physician burnout and improve well-being

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## THE ALLIANCE FOCUS



Our friendship group was formed in 2006 and chaired by Marilyn Lindman. She began by inviting members and senior members that had not been seen for a while. It has continued to be a successful healthy social get together since then. We meet bi-monthly at noon in a restaurant in Flint, Grand Blanc, Clarkston, Fenton or other places in Genesee County. Presently the group is chaired by Carole Hassan and Cheryl Thoms. We collect items like coats, jackets, clothes, socks and toiletries to donate to the Genesee County Free Medical Clinic.

Director Stacey Doyle expresses gratitude and says that the donated items are gone shortly after she puts them out. We welcome anyone that would like to be a part of this wonderful group. Please send an email to Cheryl Thoms at [psclthoms@comcast.net](mailto:psclthoms@comcast.net). Our next luncheon will be on September 12 at noon at Blondies on the corner of Hill and Torrey Rd.



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**Children & Young Adult**

**Mobile Crisis Services:** 7 days a week - 8am - 7pm



# GHS Intensive Crisis Stabilization Services for Children and Young Adults



The GHS Children's Intensive Crisis Stabilization Team (ICSS) provides mobile crisis stabilization services, 7 days a week between 8:00am and 7:00pm to all children, youth, and young adults (ages 0-21) who reside in Genesee County. Calls during other hours are helped by our Crisis Line mental health professionals.

## Reasons to call GHS:

- If you feel your child/youth is in a crisis
- The child/youth may hurt themselves or others
- The child is experiencing overwhelming confusion, anger, or emotional unresponsiveness

If you aren't sure if ICSS is needed, give us a call and we can help to explore options.

## What happens when the GHS Intensive Crisis Team is called?

The team will provide an on-site intervention with the identified child or youth, and their support system. The team's main focus will be to help assess the crisis, utilize de-escalation techniques, help the child/youth and their family or support system to help with what is needed and to help determine next steps and long-term care.

## Other services include:

- Crisis and Safety Planning
- Referrals to needed services
- Education on resources, diagnosis and services
- Collaboration and problem solving

\* Psychiatric consults, as needed (does not include medication review for prescription)

\*\* Intensive Crisis Stabilization services cannot be provided to individuals who are currently residing in inpatient settings: Jail/detention centers or residential settings (i.e. child caring institutions, crisis residential, etc.).

## GHS Intensive Crisis Stabilization Services for Children

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## Easy Ways to Donate to the Medical Society Foundation:

The Medical Society Foundation is engaged in a Capitol Campaign. The purpose of the Campaign is to grow the corpus to support the charitable activities of the Genesee County Medical Society. Those activities include public and community health, support for the underserved, and wellness initiatives.

To continue its good work, the Medical Society Foundation is asking you to consider leaving a legacy gift to the Foundation. If all, or even a significant portion of our membership left just a small part of our estates to the Foundation, the Foundation could continue helping this community in so many ways, by supporting the Medical Society.

To make a gift, simply use these words:

In your Trust, "Grantor directs Trustee to distribute \_\_\_% of all assets then held in Trust or later added to this Trust to the Medical Society Foundation, to be held in an endowed fund and used in the discretion of its then existing board of directors in furtherance of the purposes of the Foundation."

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While this is not a subject that is comfortable to broach, it is an opportunity to support the Foundation which supports the Medical Society's charitable activities on behalf of the membership. Please give. You can give via a trust or will. You can give from your IRA. You can give appreciated stock, and you can give cash. Please support the organization which does so much on behalf of the medical community and the patients we serve.



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# State and County Medical Society MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Join MSMS and your County Medical Society online at [www.joinmsms.org](http://www.joinmsms.org)



- I am in my first year of practice post-residency.
- I am in my second year of practice post-residency.
- I am in my third year of practice post-residency.
- I have moved into Michigan; this is my first year practicing in the state.
- I work 20 hours or less per week.
- I am currently in active military duty.
- I am in full, active practice.
- I am a resident/fellow.

Male     Female

First (legal) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  MD  DO

Nickname or Preferred Form of Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden Name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address  Preferred Mail  Preferred Bill  Preferred Mail and Bill

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address  Preferred Mail  Preferred Bill  Preferred Mail and Bill

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please base my county medical society membership on the county of my (if addresses are in different counties):  Office Address  Home Address

\*Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Birth Country \_\_\_\_\_ MI Medical License #: \_\_\_\_\_ ME #: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical School \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_ ECFMG # (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Residency Program \_\_\_\_\_ Program Completion Year \_\_\_\_\_

Fellowship Program \_\_\_\_\_ Program Completion Year \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

• Primary Specialty \_\_\_\_\_ Board Certified:  Yes  No

• Secondary Specialty \_\_\_\_\_ Board Certified:  Yes  No

Marital Status:  Single  Married  Divorced Spouse's First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your spouse a physician?:  Yes  No If yes, are they a member of MSMS?:  Yes  No

Within the last five years, have you been convicted of a felony crime?:  Yes  No If "yes," please provide full information: \_\_\_\_\_

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