



CONFERENCES & MEETINGS

Grand Rounds
Thursday, May 7, 12 Noon - 1 p.m.
Clinic Auditorium

Diabetic Treatment in a Post-ACCORD World

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Chief, Division of Endocrinology & Metabolism

FYI/ANNOUNCEMENTS

- First Annual Medicine Housestaff Research Day, Monday, May 18, MBRB atrium. Residents will have their research and scholarly projects on display from 5-7 p.m.
- Starting Wednesday, May 6, you will need both your PID and your email address to access the Health Sciences Library's electronic journals and books resources from off campus. Click [here](#) for more information.
- David Lillicrap, M.D., of Queens University, Canada, will give a lecture titled, "Understanding von Willebrand Factor Pathobiology: Molecules, mice and men," on Friday, May 15, 11 a.m., in Pagano Conference Room of the Lineberger Cancer Center. This talk is sponsored by the Division of

NEWS FROM DIVISIONS

- An interview with **Myron Cohen, M.D.** was published in the most recent edition of the Journal of Clinical Investigation. The article is entitled "Myron Cohen Ponders Path to HIV Prevention." It can be accessed via at the JCI [website](#).
- **Marco Aleman, M.D.**, was interviewed by WRAL on the impact of the swine flu virus on the Hispanic community. He was also interviewed about the virus by the Spanish language radio station, La Ley, 96.9 FM.
- **Charles van der Horst, M.D.**, was quoted by several sources, including the *News & Observer*, regarding his opinion of a North Carolina Supreme Court ruling that the NC Medical Society could not punish doctors for monitoring vital signs at state

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executions. Read more [here](#).

- The 6th Annual Walk for Arthritis, sponsored by the Arthritis Foundation and held on Saturday, April 18, was a great success. The Thurston Arthritis Research Center's official team, the TARC Heels, was 53 members strong and raised more than \$3000. The event generated over \$40,000 for arthritis research. Delesha Carpenter and Yvonne Golightly, TARC doctoral students, served on the event planning committee, and **Joanne Jordan, M.D.**, was one of the medical co-chairs of the event. For more, please visit the TARC [website](#).

FROM THE CHAIR'S OFFICE

On May 18, the Department is hosting a session to highlight research done by residents in this academic year. Sixteen residents have submitted their research and each will have this summarized on a poster in the MBRB atrium. From 4-5 pm there will be a judging session and then at 5 pm the residents will be available to review their work with any faculty and residents who can attend. We hope to have a great turnout and would very much appreciate it if you could take the time to attend.

At 6 pm we are going to induct all of the presenters into a Department of Medicine Research Society and the top two poster presenters will be given awards.

We hope that this will become an annual event in the residency. Your support of this initial program will help in this endeavor.

We hope to see you there.

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