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**Welcome 13 New Physician Members**

Welcome our new members: **Barr, Nancy, MD** (Anatomic & Clinical Pathology, Mira Mesa), **Berg, Samantha, MD** (Obstetrics & Gynecology, Kearny Mesa), **Chang, Dannie, MD** (Dermatology, Encinitas), **Gilles, Louise, DPM** (Podiatric Medicine, Encinitas), **Jackson, Keith, MD** (Otolaryngology, Kearny Mesa), **Lajvardi, Robert, MD** (Family Medicine, La Mesa), **Lee Germayel, MD** (Anesthesiology/Pain Medicine, Kearny Mesa), **Mozayan-Isfahani, Ehsan, MD** (Ophthalmology, Encinitas), **Nguyen, Hung, MD** (Urology, La Jolla), **Patsias, Alexis, MD** (Otolaryngology, La Mesa), **Phan, Tiffani, MD** (Obstetrics & Gynecology, Hillcrest), **Potter, Sarah, DO** (Internal Medicine, Encinitas), **Spitzer, Blake, MD** (Surgery, Chula Vista).

**Education and Networking Events**

**SMPP Annual Member Meeting and SMPP Fall Town Hall Meeting** – Thursday, October 10, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Scripps Mercy Hospital San Diego, West Auditorium, (4077 Fifth Ave, San Diego, CA 92103)

**MIPS Training**

Physician Partners will be providing training for the 2019 MIPS Program (Merit Based Incentive Payment System) which includes those practices who wish to individually submit their 2019 quality payment data to CMS. Training for this program will begin on August 28, 2019 at 1:00 pm. Please visit <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/519701064365913613> to register.

**Scripps Affiliated Medical Groups - Marketing**

The <https://ScrippsAMG.com> digital marketing program, which includes all Physician Partners members, increasingly drives over 2,000 calls to member practices each month! This is a 41% increase in calls placed to practices versus this time last year.

**Would You Like to Share Articles on ScrippsAMG.com?**

As a Physician Partners member, you can submit original patient engagement articles that will be published on the ScrippsAMG.com website, as well as through our social media channels that have over 7,700 followers! Please contact Paige Brown [pbrown@partnersdocs.com](mailto:pbrown@partnersdocs.com) to get started!

**Scripps ACO**

If you are in the Scripps ACO, please make sure to send any practice changes to the Scripps ACO, at [ScrippsACO@scrippshealth.org](mailto:ScrippsACO@scrippshealth.org). If you have any questions regarding the Scripps ACO, or MIPS reporting via the Scripps ACO, please contact Eydie Strouse ([Strouse.Eydie@scrippshealth.org](mailto:Strouse.Eydie@scrippshealth.org)) for practices south of the 52, or Stacy Pevney for practices north of the 52 ([Pevney.Stacy@scrippshealth.org](mailto:Pevney.Stacy@scrippshealth.org)).

**Physician Updates:**

- Dr. Matthew Schultzel has moved to 9834 Genesee Ave., Ste 400, La Jolla, CA 92037. Ph: 858-207-3117.
- Dr. Kofi Sefa-Boakye moved to a new Suite. 340 4<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ste 8, Chula Vista, CA 91910. Ph: 619-422-2121.
- Dr. Andrew Deemer and Dr. Katayoun Toosie with Coastal Surgeons, Encinitas office moved Suites. 351 Santa Fe Drive, Ste 250, Encinitas, CA 92024. Ph: 760-724-5352.
- Drs. Ritvik Mehta, Audrey Calzada, Richard Liu, and Chadwick Donaldson with California Head and Neck Specialists closed their La Jolla Location. Primary Practice location is 2390 Faraday Ave., Carlsbad, CA 92008. Ph: 858-909-0770. Secondary Practice location is 5405 Oberlin Dr., 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, San Diego, CA 92121. Ph: 858-909-0770.
- Dr. Ghada Kassab has moved to 3737 Moraga Ave., Ste A206, San Diego, CA 92117. Ph: 858-273-2726.
- Dr. Sudhir Malik has moved suites. New address is 4033 Third Ave., Ste 420, San Diego, CA 92103. Ph: 619-294-9292.

Make sure to let us know if you have a change of address, phone, etc. We will notify payers for you.

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