# Physician Connection





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## Hurley Medical Center Board of Managers Appoints Melany Gavulic, RN, MBA President and Chief Executive Officer

We are pleased to announce that the Hurley Board of Managers voted unanimously to appoint Melany Gavulic, RN, MBA, to serve as President and Chief Executive Officer at Hurley Medical Center, effective April

23, 2012. The Board's approval of a new, permanent President and CEO was the result of a collaborative discussion process. Before this appointment, Melany served as Interim President and Chief Executive Officer at Hurley.

Prior to serving as Interim President and CEO, Melany was Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at Hurley

Medical Center, where she was responsible for operations, nursing and all patient care services. Melany has taken steps to strengthen our clinical service lines, as well as, collaborating with Dr. Jaggi, our Chief Medical Officer, to increase physician satisfaction.

Melany has also served as Vice President of Procedural and Ambulatory Services at Hurley, with executive level responsibility for Surgical Services, Pediatric, Obstetric and Adult Ambulatory Clinics, along with Trauma Services, Radiology, Bariatric, and Orthopedic service lines, to name just a few. Ms. Gavulic has a wealth of health care

> experience, playing leadership roles within our organization over the last 14 years. As a resultsoriented professional with a proven track record of collaborative working relationships with physicians, staff, colleagues, and external customers, she has been successful in developing and facilitating teams that have positively impacted quality outcomes, demonstrated performance improvement, enhanced

delivery of services and accomplished various departmental goals, day-in and day-out.

Melany is a proven leader with an outstanding management style that helps everyone work together and raise the bar of performance. She is consistently striving to help Hurley bring quality health care to the residents of our community and beyond.

Please welcome Melany into her new role.

#### **CALENDAR**

June 6, 2012

ENDOCRINE UPDATE

Holiday Inn Gateway Center
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Approved for AMA PRA

Category 1 Credit ™

\$25.00 Tuition Fee

To register, call 1.888.611.4462

June 15, 2012

Dr. P.C. Shetty

Pinnacle Award Program

8:30 am - Reception

9:00 am to 10:30 am - Ceremony

Merliss Brown Auditorium

June 22, 2012

Dr. Lawrence Reynolds

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#### **Need Assistance with Epic?**

Please join us weekdays, 7 am to 9 am, in the Physician Lounge for the Epic - Trick of the Day.

Scribes will be present to assist with your Epic needs. You may also set up an appointment with a scribe or to round with you.

### Congratulations! The Recipients of the 2011 Pinnacle Award:

#### Lawrence Reynolds, MD, FAAP

Primary Care Physician

Dr. Reynolds first heard about Hurley Medical Center from Meharry Medical College students while working at the Tuskeegee, VA Hospital in 1975. He came to Flint in 1990 to work as a pediatrician at Mott Children's Health Center (MCHC) and joined the Hurley Medical Center staff. MCHC's commitment to caring for uninsured and underserved children with comprehensive services matched his own personal mission.



"I wanted to work in a hospital that took care of everyone, and would treat my patients as their own, and I wanted to be able to provide the same quality care to anyone who needed it. Dr. Reynolds says, "Hurley Medical Center is an amazing place, and it became the right choice for me. I love the fact that the staff at Hurley is focused on the mission of excellent care for all people."

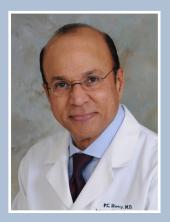
Dr. Lawrence Reynolds is President and CEO of Mott Children's Health Center. He also is completing a term as President of the Michigan American Academy of Pediatrics. He is an active Board Member of the Genesee County Medical Society and a past president. He serves as a Board and Committee Member of the Greater Flint Health Coalition. Dr. Reynolds is a Clinical Assistant Professor for Michigan State University College of Human Medicine. He assisted Dr. Susumu Inoue as Co-Director for the Pediatric Sickle Cell Clinic at Hurley Medical Center for several years. In 2011, he received the Alfred Humanitarian Award from the Community Foundation of Flint.

Dr. Reynolds was a Physician Mentor for the Hurley Physician Hospital Organization (PHO) of Mid-Michigan, and founding board member of the Genesee Health Plan. Dr. Reynolds has been Medical Consultant for the Flint/Genesee Job Corps Center. From 1992-2001, he was Pediatrician/Medical Director for Hamilton Family Health Center and helped open a new Federally qualified health center in Pontiac, Michigan. He has worked with other health professionals in the Genesee County health department's initiatives to reduce black infant mortality rates.

#### P.C. Shetty, MD, FSIR

Specialty Care Physician

Dr. Shetty came to Hurley Medical Center in 2000 to work as an interventional radiologist (IR) as a member of Associated Radiologists of Flint, PC after working at Henry Ford Hospital as a staff radiologist for 25 years. When the time came for a change, Dr. Shetty recognized Hurley's mission of "clinical excellence and service to people" closely matched his own personal philosophy. "I feel lucky to do the



things I love, and make a great living at it," said Dr. Shetty.

Dr. Shetty's contributions to IR and medicine as a whole have encompassed many different areas. He was one of the primary co-investigators of the first Prospective Investigation of Pulmonary Embolism Diagnosis (PIOPED) study. He is a pioneer in utilizing transcatheter embolization of the bronchial arteries to control massive hemoptysis and his work in this area allowed for the invention of the Shetty Bronchial Artery Catheter. He is also a pioneer in the area of enteral feeding and his Shetty Gastrojejunostomy Tube is used by IRs worldwide and is a top selling product for Cook Medical. Dr. Shetty has also been at the forefront of uterine fibroid embolization.

Dr. Shetty has also contributed to medicine and IR with his research and teaching. He has trained about 20 fellows in IR and a few hundred residents and has been the recipient of several academic and teaching awards. Today, many of his former residents and fellows are section chiefs and chairs of their departments across the country.

Dr. Shetty has also been a leader within medical education. While at Henry Ford Hospital, Dr. Shetty served in numerous leadership roles. After arriving in Flint, Dr. Shetty served as the Program Director for the MSU-FAME Diagnostic Radiology Residency from 2002-2008 and continues to serve as the Section Chief for Vascular & Interventional Radiology within the residency program. He now serves an academic role as Clinical Professor of Radiology at Michigan State University.

Please Join Us In Congratulating and Celebrating These Two Physicians as Hurley's 2011 Pinnacle Recipients!

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### Hurley Benefit Ball "Carnival" Enjoyed By All!

The 31st Annual Hurley Foundation Benefit Ball was held on April 21, 2012 at Riverfront Banquet Center in Flint. The amazing event included fine dining, dancing, entertainment, and an "over the top" silent auction. The elegant evening with the "Carnival" theme was a huge success, and over 400 people attended the black tie gala, which raised \$165,000 to benefit Hurley Children's Hospital.

In keeping with the theme, "Carnival", the ballroom was transformed into a funland for kids and adults alike—complete with cotton candy, popcorn, special prizes and many more exciting activities. This year's silent auction included a wide variety of items on which to bid throughout the evening.

The Hurley Foundation thanks our co-chairs Karin & Mike Burnett, as well as our sponsors, in-kind sponsors, guests, volunteers and Hurley staff who made this very special evening possible.







#### **MRI** Update

Exciting things are happening with our MRI Program. We are currently involved in a trial program for prostate MRI and the images are amazing. This exam is noninvasive. If you think you have a patient that may qualify for our trial please call 810.262.9980 and speak with Todd to see if the patient will meet the trial criteria.

We are also able to do MRI chest/heart exams on a case by case basis. Please call for more details!

Remember, Hurley MRI is the ONLY facility in the area that has vendor certification to scan patients with the Medtronic Revo Pacemaker which is MRI safe in certain magnets. And as always, we are open 7 days a week and will accommodate most outpatients within 24 hours of precertification.



#### **Epic** Medical Records Reminder – Delinquent Charts

When accessing MRIS through EPIC, you will not be able to see delinquent charts for patients prior to March 4, when Epic launched. To view these deficiencies, continue to log in using your CISCO username and password. Please do not forget to complete these outstanding records in MRIS. For delinquent charts after March 4, you will receive notices in your Epic INBASKET.

For assistance accessing Medical Records, please contact Wyntis Hall at 810.262.6760.

## Hurley IM Residents Reach Out for "Pilot" Program at Flint Shelters

Hurley's Internal Medicine (IM) Residency Training Program has added an important component to its current requirement – a "Community Function" program at three Flint area homeless shelters, which is now part of the IM residency training curriculum. Thirty residents and their



supervising faculty – comprise "shelter teams" that visit local shelters during the residents' staggered, week-long clinic rotations once every five weeks. That means that each of the three participating shelters is visited by a team of resident physicians 1-2 days per 5-week block. Currently scheduled for Tuesday afternoons, the resident teams provide one-on-one counseling and health education, group health education sessions, and basic health screening for residents of the homeless shelters. They choose health topics based on their observations of needs, plus conversations with shelter staff, shelter residents, and faculty.

"The shelter residents, Hurley's IM residents and the entire Flint community benefit from this experience," says Eyassu Habte-Gabr, MD, Chairman, Community Function Committee. "It's a win-win situation for everyone."



One Hurley Plaza Flint, MI 48503



Initiative

## Late Night Physician Parking

Public Safety has designated four covered parking spaces next a lighted entrance by the old Emergency Department Entrance. This was added to provide an added feeling of comfort and security for physicians visiting the hospital during non-daylight hours.

The four parking spaces are located under the awning at the entrance of the old Emergency Department. There are signs designating the spots as Physician Parking Only. If you have any questions or concerns at any hour, please contact Public Safety at 262.9191.

