

Trauma+EMS News

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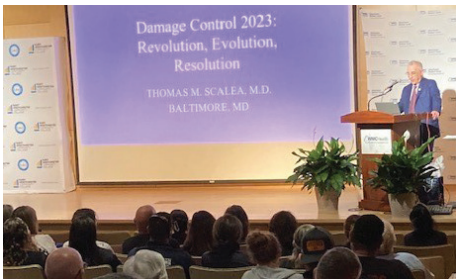
From Your WMCHealth Colleagues in Trauma, Acute Care Surgery, and Emergency Services

Adult – Trauma

Kartik Prabhakaran, MD, Chief, Trauma & Acute Care Surgery is proud to welcome the newest Fellows to the Trauma & Acute Care Surgery Fellowship Program:

Shan Huang, MD, Syeda “Sarosh” Sohail, MD, Tareq AlQasas, MD, and Kevin Louie, DO. Welcome and Congratulations ALL!

WMCHealth’s annual **Roadside to Bedside Trauma Symposium** at SUNY Westchester was host to almost 200 in attendance and featured renowned Trauma Surgeon, **Tom Scalea, MD** as this year’s key note speaker. Former WMC Surgery Chair, **John Savino, MD** was honored at the event which proved to be a great day of Trauma and EMS education for all who attended! Stay Tuned for 2024!



In conjunction with the Trauma Section the Injury Prevention Program will hold a Fall Motorcycle & ATV Safety event in October promoting safety, awareness and education. In May of this year WMC held a smaller event on Campus in conjunction with the Westchester County PD. Stay Tuned for more information on the Fall Event!

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WMCHealth’s Trauma & EMS Newsletter Editorial Review Board:

Kartik Prabhakaran, MD	Kate Maguire, RN
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Emergency Department – EMS

Tina Cocuzza, MD announced The 2nd half of the EMS CME and Symposia schedule for 2023. “The focus will remain on education and continue as a focal point in the region as we continue to roll-out impactful content for the remainder of 2023. Our 2024 schedule will be announced in our year-end November edition.”

Q3-Q4 CME and Symposia Schedule

Valhalla

October 2 Pediatric Emergencies Roadside to Bedside Symposium

October 12 Westchester County (WC) – call audit

October 30 Geriatric CME

November 9 WC – call audit

November 21 Neuro Symposium

December 14 WC – call audit

MHRH

September 13 Exotic Drug Emergencies

November (TBA) EMS Connections

HealthAlliance

September 28 Psych CME – Code Heart

October 8 Renal/Dialysis Failures – Code Heart

November (TBA) Ulster County EMS Day

December 14 Trauma Symposium

GSH

September(TBA): OB-GYN Emergencies

October 26 Cardio Symposium

**Note each campus will be sending separate reg. info on above to the EMS list serv – stay tuned...!*

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Pediatric – Trauma

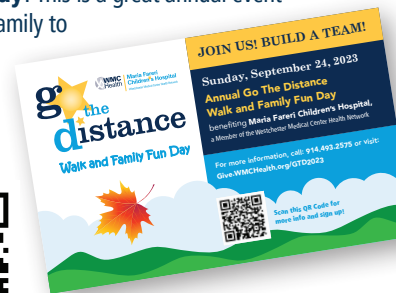
Michael Gewitz, MD, SVP, Clinical Operations, Executive Director & William Russell McCurdy Physician-in-Chief, Maria Fareri Children’s Hospital at WMCHealth and **Dylan Stewart, MD**, Chairman of Pediatric Surgery, Maria Fareri Children’s Hospital announced the annual **Pediatric Emergency Care Symposium** for October 2, Noon – 5 p.m. at Maria Fareri Children’s Hospital (MFCH) If you have not yet registered [click here](#) – This year’s max capacity is 100 (first come-first serve). Contact Marc Musicus for additional info: marc.musicus@wmchealth.org.

Tina Cocuzza, MD stated “MFCH is at the forefront of caring for sick and injured children and this year’s symposium will continue to focus on several key topics and workshops related to pediatric emergencies and pre-hospital care.

MFCH’s Pediatric Injury Prevention team participated in its annual **Bike and Helmet Safety event** at Kensico Dam this July. The event provided dozens of bicycle helmets, safety checks and education to the many visitors on-hand. MFCH will hold a Fall event in early October -*Stay Tuned for further information.*

Go The Distance!

On Sunday, September 24, from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the Macy Oval; Maria Fareri Children’s Hospital will be hosting our annual **Go the Distance Walk and Family Fun Day!** This is a great annual event for the whole family to support the great work happening at MFCH!



Use QR Code or [click here](#) for more Info.