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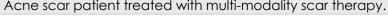
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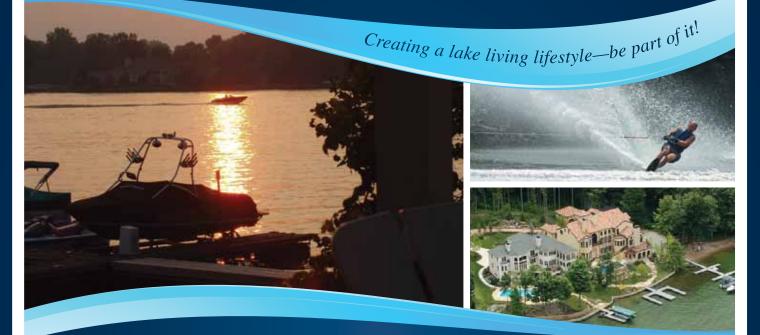
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### President's Page Mark M. Hamilton, MD

**Our Mission:** "The mission of the Indianapolis Medical Society is to promote professional growth, advocacy for all physicians, and quality health care for the community!"

It's a tumultuous time in the health care industry.

Delays in the implementation of the Affordable Care Act<sup>(1)</sup> and political pressure to delay the law's individual mandate<sup>(2)</sup> are fueling uncertainty among medical care providers, insurance companies and patients alike.

Despite these challenges, it remains our duty to continue to provide the best possible care to our patients. That's why this organization is so important. Since 1848, the Indianapolis Medical Society has been helping doctors better serve patients through a number of programs and initiatives designed to foster personal growth and build a sense of community among Central Indiana's health care providers.

As the new president of the IMS, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your involvement, and for the opportunity to serve as your president. I'd also like to encourage you to not only remain an active member, but to talk to your colleagues and peers about joining us as well.

#### Making a Difference in Your Community

One of the programs we're most proud to be involved with is Project Health. Project Health is a community partnership designed to improve access to health care for low-income, uninsured residents of Indianapolis.

It combines donated physician care, hospital services, help finding medication assistance, and case management in a manner that maximizes existing community resources and enhances coordination among service providers. Enabling patients to receive timely and appropriate care, Project Health aims to improve the health and well-being of community members, as well as, to produce cost savings for local medical institutions.

Through Project Health, you can help ensure patients get all of the care they need beyond the doctors' office; such as specialty care, labs, diagnostic tests, surgery, durable medical equipment and help obtaining medications. Right now, funding is critical for Project Health.

The program aims to help patients who fall through the gaps of the system – those who are not poor enough to qualify for other public programs, but who are uninsured and in need of care with nowhere else to go – particularly for specialty care.

In a future article we will spotlight Project Health and highlight the reasons its presence will still be critical even after the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare) is fully implemented.

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### **Developing Leadership**

• Serving on an IMS committee allows you to take an active role in the organization while making a difference in the professional lives of your colleagues, friends, and family in medicine without making a significant time commitment.

• Serving on an IMS committee will offer input about issues like medical and health care of the public, ethics and member benefits. You'll also have the opportunity to help develop the Society's educational and social programs and publications.

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### **Guest Perspective** -

William R. Clark, Jr., MD, Editor,

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### What Did the Doctor Say?

A cartoon from years back depicted a middle aged woman returning home to announce to her obese, unshaven, underwear clad husband sunk in a lounge chair before the TV with bottle of beer in hand: "The doctor said my *gall bladder isn't the problem; you are.*"

How many times each day is that question asked across our land? And how accurate are the answers? The marvels of American medicine are rightfully celebrated. Yet at the same time in the evolution of our health care delivery system, we are caught up in the growing pains.

Innovations in medical education coupled with advances in diagnosis and treatment places patients in an enviable position compared to a generation ago. However, the cautionary message of this brief writing simply put is: In our current state of refinement, communication can be the system's Achilles heel.

What we say to one another, when we say it, and how we say it is the platform upon which rests all of what goes on in the daily practice of medicine.

As pointed out by Medical Society colleague Andy O'Shaughnessy several *Quarterly* issues back, twenty-first century technology opens wide a new door for effective exchange of information in our fast paced, tightly scheduled, multifaceted society; but passing through that door to the other side has proven difficult.

The promise of a better day comes with heavy baggage. The burdens of systems compatibility, system user friendliness, expense, staff education, and record documentation, along with the challenges of ever changing HIPAA regulations, multi-site origins of patient data, the "third person in the room" phenomenon, and the emergence of increasing support for direct patient access to their medical records are well known to readers of the *Quarterly*.

Quotes from recent press reports include: "Study shows patient safety at U.S. hospitals hampered by inadequate teamwork and communication as well as a negative culture," "hospitalized patients too often have no single physician in charge," "EHR systems are not yet optimized to the end users' needs," "the health IT systems that dominate the market are not designed to talk to each other," "the technology to make some *Continued on page 17.* 

### In Memoriam



Anastacio Chan Ng, MD 1933 - 2013

Anastacio Chan Ng, MD, 80, died at home on July 14, 2013. He was born April 15, 1933 in Manila, Philippines.

Dr. Ng graduated cum laude from the University of Santo Tomas in Manila earning both his undergraduate and medical degrees.

Dr. Ng immigrated to the United States to continue his medical training in 1958. He interned at Mercy Hospital, Buffalo, New York, completed his residency in radiology at Cook County Hospital, Chicago, Illinois and completed his training in radiology at the Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology at Washington University in St. Louis.

Dr. Ng joined the medical staff at Regina General Hospital in Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, where he attended 1964 - 1968. He returned to the United States to join the medical faculty at Indiana University Hospital where he was an Assistant Professor of Medicine. He was a member of the American Board of Radiology, Radiological Society of North America, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and the Canadian Association of Radiologists.

Dr. Ng moved on to help establish the Radiologic Specialists of Indiana at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis in 1970, where he enjoyed a long and vibrant career, retiring in 2007.



#### Robert Winston Mouser, MD 1931 - 2013

Dr. Robert W. Mouser 81, passed away on July 22nd, 2013. He was born on October 21, 1931 in Indianapolis. Dr. Mouser lived a remarkable life of service to his country, his patients and his community. He had an undeniable passion for medicine and learning.

Dr. Mouser graduated from Shortridge High School and received degrees from the Seminary of Laval University in Quebec, Wabash College, Indiana University, and Indiana University School of Medicine. He was one of the youngest medical doctors at that time, graduating from medical school at the age of 22.

Dr. Mouser established his private Family Medicine practice in Broad Ripple in 1957, later serving his patients as Broad Ripple Family Physicians and Cornerstone Family Physicians. He was devoted to many generations of patients for over 50 years. He was a fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians, past President of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians and past President of the Indianapolis and Indiana Diabetes Associations. He was a former clinical instructor in Family Practice for Indiana University School of Medicine.

In 2004, Dr. Mouser was appointed 'One of America's Top Doctors.' He was also very proud of his years as a staff physician at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, 1954-1982, where he contributed ideas benefiting safety in auto racing and was a member of the Indianapolis 500 Old Timers Club. He was also a medical investigative researcher in the development of Gatorade for its use prior to marketing.

Dr. Robert Mouser had a distinguished military service, serving as Commanding Officer of Medical Air Evacuation in Japan 1955-57, as well as many years as an Air Force reservist.

Dr. Mouser served the IMS in many capacities over the years. He was Secretary/Treasurer (1988-1989); a member of the Board of Directors (1964-1967, 1988-1995) serving as Vice Chairman 1966-1967; Delegate to the State Convention 1977-1980, 1983-1991; Alternate Delegate 1964-1967, 1976-1979, 1980-1983, 1992-1995; IMS Executive Committee 1988-1989; Articles & By-Laws Committee 1974-1975; and Medical Society Exchange Board from 1989 until 1996.

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**Richard D. Feldman, MD,** received the Lester D. Bibler Award from the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians (IAFP) in July 2013.

Dr. Feldman, director of the Family Medicine Residency Program for Franciscan St. Francis Health, was presented the award at IAFP's annual conference in downtown Indianapolis.

The award recognizes individuals for their contributions and long-time dedication to family medicine. It was established in honor of Lester D. Bibler, MD, who was instrumental in helping found the American Academy of Family Physicians (formerly American Academy of General Practice) and served as the first president of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians.

Dr. Feldman, who directs the medical education program at Franciscan St. Francis, holds several elected appointments with the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians, the Indianapolis Medical Society and Indiana State Medical Association. He has served as president of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians IAFP's Foundation and is past president of the Indiana Medical History Museum.

A South Bend native, Feldman served as Indiana State Health Commissioner from 1997 to 2001, and he's a regularly featured editorial columnist for the *Indianapolis Star*.

Anthony W. Mimms, MD, is now the Medical Director of Acute Rehab at Community Westview Hospital.

Joshua S. Neucks, MD, has joined JWM Neurology.

Dr. Neucks is a neurologist and received his medical degree from Indiana University School of Medicine in Indianapolis where he also completed his Neurology Residency, serving as Chief Resident. He has two master's degrees, including a Master of Science in Cellular and Integrative Physiology from the IU School of Medicine. Dr. Neucks sees patients with all types of neurology conditions.

Vincent P. Mathews, MD, President and CEO of Northwest Radiology Network, PC, presented 'Advances in Imaging of Dementia' at the recent Indiana Academy of Family Physicians Annual Convention held at the Downtown Westin in Indianapolis in July. He discussed Beta-amyloid PET-CT imaging and its role in the diagnosis of Alzheimer disease, and how the newly approved Beta-amyloid PET-CT imaging technology can improve patient care.

Michael L. Boothe, MD, of Southside OBGYN moved his practice from South Emerson Avenue to Franciscan St. Francis Health-Mooresville. He joins Southside OBGYN office at the Mooresville hospital's Women's Center.

A native of El Paso, Texas, Dr. Boothe received his undergraduate degree at the University of Texas and earned his medical degree at Universidad Autonoma de Juarez (Mexico). He completed his residency in obstetrics and gynecology at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis.

Dr. Boothe volunteers annually for medical mission trips to Haiti and Honduras.

Michael H. Fritsch, MD, Professor, practicing Otology-Neurotology, received the top ranking of referenced peer-



Bonaminio, MD



Boothe, MD





Richard D. Feldman, MD

Michael H. Fritsch, MD



Dean D.T. Maglinte, MD





Anthony W. Mimms, MD

Joshua S, Neucks, MD

Kumaresan Sandrasegaran, MD

reviewed journal articles for the last year in otologic cosmetic surgery for his article in German (with English translation) "Anlegen des Cavum conchae ohne Hautschnitt" (Incisionless otoplasty with conchal bowl recession).

#### News from Indiana University School of Medicine, Department of Radiology & Imaging Sciences...

**Dean D.T. Maglinte, MD,** Distinguished Professor of Radiology and Imaging Sciences, moderated a small bowel session and presented "Update on Small Bowel Neoplasms" at the 2013 European Society of Gastrointestinal and Abdominal Radiologists (ESGAR) held in Barcelona, Spain, June 4-7. He also co-presented electronic posters entitled "Functional Pelvic Floor Imaging: How to Do It and Report It" and "CT Enterography and CT Enteroclysis: Is There a Difference?" Dr. Maglinte is ESGAR Honorary Fellow and U.S. National Representative to the society.

Kumararesan Sandrasegaran, MD, Associate Professor of Radiology, was elected Director of Categorical Course for American Roentgen Ray Society Annual Meeting 2014. He was also recently invited to speak at the UCSF Abdominal Course, Breckenridge Educational Symposium on Abdominal Imaging, Indian Radiological and Imaging Association, American Roentgen Ray Society and Society of Abdominal Radiologists.

Dana N. Bonaminio, MD, fourth year resident, won second place for her electronic/poster presentation "Is Morphine Augmented HIDA Scan Still Accurate for Diagnosing Acute Cholecystitis in the Era of CT and Ultrasound?" at the 2013 Campbell-Klatte Annual Oration.

Dr. Bonaminio's breast case was recently selected by American Institute for Radiologic Pathology (case ID #4481; large phylloides tumor) for online publication.

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#### Brentrup, Christine A., MD

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#### David Capes, Cecilia M., MD

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#### Hale, Amy B., MD

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Matthews, David A., MD Resident – IU School of Medicine Diagnostic Radiology University of South Carolina, 2010

#### Mooney, Michael J., MD

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#### Siegel, Zachary T., MD

Resident – IU School of Medicine Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Indiana University, 2010

#### Smith, Kami L., MD

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### Szotek, Paul P., MD

IU Health Physicians General Surgery 1801 N. Senate Blvd., #635 46202-1259 Ofc – 963-1400 Fax – 963-1453 Email – pszotek@iuhealth.org Web – www.iuhealth.org Surgery, 2013 Indiana University, 2002

#### Vardas, Panayotis, MD

Resident – IU School of Medicine Thoracic Surgery General Surgery Sapienza University of Rome, Italy, 2006

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### **Project Health**





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### Thank you, Robert J. Goulet, Jr., MD



Robert J. Goulet, Jr., MD, Medical Director of Community Physician Network Breast Care is Project Health's Doctor of the Month for September. He and his sister were born in New York City and spent their childhood in the Bronx where his father had a carpentry business with help from his mother in running the business. He attended high

school on Long Island and graduated from St. John's University with a Bachelor of Science degree, but he says he knew he wanted to be a doctor in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. "I was always intrigued with medicine and started working as an orderly when I was a sophomore in high school working my way up to ER orderly. As an undergrad I ran dialysis machines and did private duty male nursing."

Dr. Goulet attended the SUNY College of Medicine in Brooklyn, New York and completed his internship and residency in general surgery at Kings County Hospital, as well as a Fellowship in Surgical Research at University Hospital all in Brooklyn. Dr. Goulet is board certified in general surgery from the American College of Surgeons and is a member of the American Medical Association, the Society of Surgical Oncology, National Consortium of Breast Centers, American College of Physician Executives, American Society of Breast Surgeons, American Society of Clinical Oncology, the Hoosier Oncology Group, on the Board of Directors of the Susan G. Komen Foundation of Central Indiana and is State Chairman on the Committee on Cancer for the American Cancer Society. Among his many honors, Dr. Goulet was awarded a Sagamore of the Wabash from Governor Joe Kernan. But the award he reveres the most is the Lawrence Einhorn Award from the Little Red Door Cancer Agency. "I had the privilege of working with Dr. Einhorn when I joined the faculty of the Indiana University

School of Medicine. We worked on patients with metastatic testicular cancer and became good friends. Then when the Simon Cancer Center opened we were office neighbors for over a decade. He was a trusted mentor and is a dear friend." Dr. Goulet adds, "Few have the grace, humility, dignity and intelligence that he has, and to have received the award bearing his name means a great deal to me."

Dr. Goulet says he had the good fortune to always meet the right people at the right time. It was 1986 when Jay Grosfeld, MD, lured him to Indianapolis. "He was a great mentor for me when I was a junior faculty person and Assistant Professor of Surgery. I was leaning toward general oncology of the liver, colon and breast. Then in 1990 George Sledge and Stuart Kleit approached me for the I. U. Breast Care and Research Center and the rest is history."

Dr. Goulet is married to Barbara Wolf, PhD, who just retired as Vice President of Family Learning Assessment at the Children's Museum. He has two daughters and two sons, four grandchildren and another on the way. One son lives in Cincinnati and the others are all here in Indianapolis. He and Barbara share a love for gardening, landscaping, reading, bicycling and hanging out with the grand-kids. They have a cottage in Michigan where they "escape to recharge their batteries, along with kayaking and fishing." He is also an accomplished artist whose works grace the walls of his offices at Community Hospital East.

Dr. Goulet says that volunteering for Project Health is an opportunity for everyone to give back. "You always get much, much more than you give and there is tremendous satisfaction of doing what we all got into this to begin with. There are a lot of folks who really need help that we can so easily give." Johann Wolfgang von Goethe wrote that "kindness is the golden chain by which a community is bound together." Thank you, Dr. Goulet, for being part of that chain.

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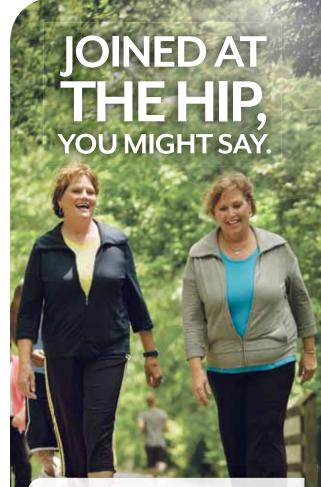
parts of a patient's file visible only to some users and not others isn't widely available." At the same time, malpractice insurers warn of the pitfalls surrounding "hand offs" and lack of real time discharge or transfer summaries.

It appears that getting to the new age of communication in health care delivery will require patience and cooperation on the part of all participants. Advocacy by physicians for quality care and patient safety will be one driver, as is the linkage of IT systems and the EHR to reimbursement by payers.

The take home message: the power of the evolving new capacity for information exchange is an enormous adjunct to the practice of medicine, but not a substitute for health care professionals' inbred commitment to "talk" with one another and their patients.

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Ĩ1	Senior/Inactive Luncheon Meeting, 11:30 AM,
	Society, Speaker James A. Glass, PhD, Principal,
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	Topic: "Historic Preservation in Indianapolis"
17	IMS Board, Society, 6:00 PM, Social; 6:30 PM, Dnr/Mtg.
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	IMS President. NO SPEAKER
20	ISMA BOT, Indianapolis JW Marriott, 10 S. West St.,
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20-22	ISMA CONVENTION, JW Marriott Hotel, 10 S. West St.,
	Indpls., 46204
October	
15	Executive Committee, Society, 6:00 PM, Sandwiches
30	ISMA's Fall Legislative Dinner, Indy Marriott Downtown
November	
10	IMS Advisory Breakfast, 7:30 AM
	prior to ISMA BOT @ 9:00 AM, State Hdqtrs.

16-19 AMA House of Delegates

19 IMS Board, Society, 6:00 PM, Social; 6:30 PM, Dnr/Mtg

December

- Senior/Inactive Luncheon Meeting, 11:30 AM, Society TBD 11
- 17 Executive Committee Holiday Dinner, with Spouses/Guests

### Glick Eye Institute Vision Research

### October 25, 2013

Indianapolis Indiana

The fourth annual Vision Research Symposium held by the Department of Ophthalmology at the Eugene and Marilyn Glick Eye Institute is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 25. The keynote speaker will be Colm O'Brien, M.D., of University

College Dublin in Ireland. Dr. O'Brien is the lead clinician in the Department of Ophthalmology at Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, a teaching hospital in the north inner city of Dublin. He is a member of the Glaucoma Program Committee of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology and has served on multiple boards and committees for ophthalmology and

glaucoma associations. Dr. O'Brien's research interests include matrix (differential gene expression) and vascular (endothelial dysfunction) biology in glaucoma; health services research; retinal ganglion cell apoptosis; phenotyping/genotyping of glaucoma patients; and proteomics of pseudo-exfoliation glaucoma.

All presentations will take place in Spitzberg Hall at the Glick Eye Institute, 1160 W. Michigan St. The day will begin with a continental breakfast and registration at 7:30 a.m. and is expected to conclude by 5 p.m.

The cost to attend is:

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### **Photo Gallery - "Juleps in July"**

The IU Center of Excellence in Women's Health and the Indianapolis Medical Society hosted a delightful evening of Wednesday, July 31, 2013, "Juleps in July." The networking and fund-raising event for women physicians and scientists was held at the home of Drs. Theresa Rohr-Kirchgraber and Paul Kirchgraber. The evening supported two projects that help the underserved in Indiana: Project Health (Indianapolis Medical Society Foundation) and the IU Center of Excellence Wellness on Wheels Bus (IU Foundation – COE). Drs. Richard Rhodes and John Wernert served as Juleps mixologists.

















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"Currently, Medicare only pays for primary care management services as part of a face-to-face visit," the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) stated in an accompanying fact sheet. "In the proposed rule, in order to support primary care, CMS proposes to make a separate payment to physicians for managing select Medicare patients' care needs beginning in 2015."

Under the proposed rule, physicians caring for Medicare patients with two or more significant chronic conditions would be eligible to receive payment for maintaining a plan of care and providing such coordination services as communicating with other treating health professionals and managing medications.

This proposal responds to a care coordination model developed by the CPT® Editorial Panel and the AMA/Specialty Society Relative Value Scale Update Committee. The AMA will continue to work with CMS to ensure that the final model implemented in 2015 allows physicians to provide the maximum benefit to Medicare patients.

CMS also proposes expanding the value-based payment modifier program, which will adjust physician payments based on cost and quality data. Instead of applying to practices with 100 or more eligible providers, the program will apply to practices with just 10 or more eligible providers and will increase the potential penalty to 2 percent.

Another significant proposal is downgrading rates for more than 200 "misvalued" codes so that payments for services provided in a physician's office would be capped at a rate that is equal to the combined payments to the facility and the physician when the same service is provided in a hospital outpatient department or ambulatory surgical center.

This change ignores the fact that hospital outpatient departments are paid a rate that is averaged across a group of services that can vary significantly in costs. For hospitals, payments above and below the cost of the service are assumed to average out over time. But physicians who often don't perform the full range of services in the group cannot offset losses on some services with profits on others.

Other changes set forth in the 600-page proposed rule include revisions to measures and reporting requirements for such Medicare programs as the Physician Quality Reporting System and the electronic health record meaningful use program.

The AMA reviewed the proposed rule and submitted detailed comments by the Sept. 6 deadline. Physicians who would like to submit their own comments to CMS can view instructions for doing so in the first two pages of the proposed rule.

Additional information about the proposed rule is available in CMS fact sheets about the rule's policy and payment changesExternal Link and changes to the quality programsExternal Link. The final rule is expected to be issued in early November. (Courtesy of AMA Wire, July 2013)

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Our Annual 7th District Meeting provides physicians and their families in Hendricks, Johnson, Marion and Morgan Counties the opportunity to meet and elect representatives at a family-oriented event.

I recently attended our 50-year member luncheon – Dr. Goens kicked things off with a short speech on the present state of and upcoming changes in health care. This led to a lively discussion that should have been heard by our health care leaders. These honored members and their spouses' then enjoyed a fantastic Sullivan's lunch. This event serves as an excellent example of the Indianapolis Medical Society's efforts to recognize physicians and promote physician discussion of health care.

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I look forward to serving as president of the Indianapolis Medical Society over the coming year. I am committed to growing the organization while strengthening our commitment to the medical profession and the community as a whole.

I encourage all of you to take an active role within the Indianapolis Medical Society as we look for new ways to educate members about the ever changing landscape of the medical profession. I look forward to building new and exciting partnerships and finding opportunities to generate exposure and recognition for our members.

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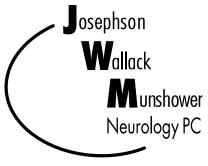
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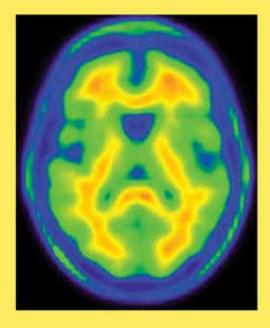
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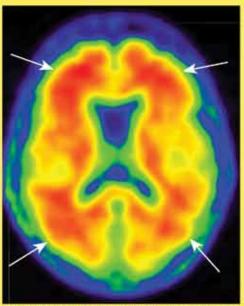
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