



Physician News Brief

News About Covenant HealthCare From

Medical Staff Services Office – 9/26/2018

Flu Clinics

Covenant is offering influenza vaccines at any of the following locations during the designated timeframe. Covenant encourages physician participation for your protection and for Covenant patient safety. Any questions can be directed to the Medical Staff Office at 989-583-4133.

10/9/18 (Tuesday)	2:00pm-3:30pm	Maidlow Educational Center-Cooper
10/10/18 (Wednesday)	10:30am-11:30am	E House Foundation Conference Rm, 1st Floor
10/11/18 (Thursday)	7:00am-9:00am	Michigan, 2 South Conference Rm
	2:00pm-3:30pm	Houghton Conference-2 nd Floor
10/16/18 (Tuesday)	6:00am-8:15am	Maidlow Educational Center-Cooper
	1:30pm-3:30pm	Sideroom C/D-Harrison
10/18/18 (Thursday)	6:30am-8:30am	Sideroom A-Harrison
	1:30pm-3:30pm	Maidlow Educational Center-Cooper
10/23/18 (Tuesday)	9:00am-11:00am	Mackinaw Campus- Lower Conference Room
10/25/18 (Thursday)	9:00am-10:00am	Employee Health/Irving- 2 nd Floor

Surgeon Check-In Policy

EFFECTIVE - Monday September 24, 2018, the Covenant OR's at all campuses updated their Surgeon check-in process to expedite first case, on-time, starts and improve patient safety with starting spinal, performing blocks, etc. The steps below have been initiated for surgeons upon arrival to the OR:

1. Check in at the front desk, and notify the Coordinator/HUC that you are in house
2. Sign the sign-in sheet located at the front desk

Physician Leadership Development Forum

Don't forget to RSVP for the October 16th/25th Physician Leadership Development Forum – “Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation Skills”. Invitations were mailed. For questions or RSVP, contact Jenay Knochel at 583-6253.

Beaker Support

The Beaker command center is now closed. If you encounter an issue, use one of the following options:

- * Utilize super users on your unit
- * Enter a ticket through our new ticketing system
(<https://covenanthealthcare.teamdynamix.com/TDClient/Home/Default.aspx?ToUrl=%2ftdclient>)
- * During regular office hours (M-F 8-4:30) you can Vocera E M R Support for immediate assistance
- * Call the service desk at 3-6014
- * During evenings and weekends, if you have a critical work stoppage, please call the help desk and select “to be connected with an operator” to page on-call staff

Distinguished Physician

A call for nominations for “Distinguished Physician Award” will be emailed the week of 10/1. The email will arrive via your email address on file in the Medical Staff Office.



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