

Passion, Purpose and Professional Identity

Over the past 20 years, my clinical practice has changed from that of a general obstetrician-gynecologist to a specialist, of sorts, caring for patients with chronic pelvic pain. I didn't train specifically for this role, or even purposefully choose it. It evolved. Initially, I felt there was a need to centralize the care of chronic pelvic pain patients. In typical medical communities these patients were being passed between providers who meant well but were unable to provide consistent continuity of care. At the same time, I found the pathophysiology of chronic pain conditions to be intriguing. Physical exams and diagnostic workups often didn't clearly explain the symptoms – but the symptoms are clearly real.



Joseph E. Patruno, MD
President, Medical Staff
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Gynecology/Primary Care OBGYN

On a concrete level, there are many elements of caring for chronic pelvic pain that I enjoy and about which I am passionate. I have the opportunity to perform a variety of procedures in the office and in the operating room that satisfy my technical and surgical passions. As a provider at Lehigh Valley Health Network, I am able to provide exceptional, collaborative, team-based care that is critical to successfully managing this patient population. Specifically, I have access to gifted specialists, leading-edge technology and critical ancillary service lines. Chronic pelvic pain management is also an opportunity for me to care for the patient as a whole as we focus on organic disease processes, which often involve multiple organ systems, and also the pertinent psychological and social aspects of care. Through taking care of my patients, I've learned that validating and caring for patients is often more important than curing and alleviating their pain.

On a more abstract level, there are other aspects of managing patients with chronic pelvic pain that drive me. These facets of care provide me with a true sense of meaning and joy, and inspire me to be the best doctor I can be, day in and day out. Caring for patients with pelvic pain provides me with a sense of purpose.

Purpose is defined as the reason for which something is done or created or for which something exists. It is why we do what we do. We as caregivers have a purpose and commitment to service and we typically find a profound feeling of privilege in our work. When we applied to medical or professional school, and then later when we chose a specialty, we completed a personal statement that was in effect our purpose statement. As was the case with

me, purpose may evolve during our careers. In fact, a new area of exploration in medical training involves a concept called Professional Identity Formation. Curricula on Professional Identity Formation aim to help clinicians really figure out their core values, establish moral principles and master self-awareness.¹ Professional identity formation training has also been shown to promote self-reflection, emphasize the significant role of relationships (patients and peers), nurture mindfulness and enforce the value of creating collaborative learning environments.² Although these programs may be focused upon during medical training, I believe we must continuously take inventory of our purpose – who we are, what we want to be – and recognize what keeps us energized and healthy clinicians.

I am thankful to be a physician who cares for patients with chronic pelvic pain. I feel grateful to have the ability to help them whether it involves curing their pain or simply caring for and supporting them if they are suffering. Although demanding at times, I realize the challenge is also what drives and inspires me to become better at what I do and makes being a chronic pain physician, in effect, my calling. This is my passion, purpose and professional identity.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joseph E. Patruno', with a large, stylized loop at the beginning and a horizontal line extending to the right.

Joseph E. Patruno, MD
Medical Staff President

1. "Professional identity formation in medical education: the convergence of multiple domains." M. Holden et al. HEC Forum. 2012; 24(4): 245-55.
2. "Professional identity formation in medical education for humanistic, resilient physicians: pedagogic strategies for bridging theory to practice." H.S. Wald et al. Academic Medicine. 2015; 90(6): 753-60.

Family Birth and Newborn Center at LVH–Muhlenberg Opens This Summer

The Family Birth and Newborn Center at Lehigh Valley Hospital (LVH)–Muhlenberg is scheduled to open in Summer 2017. This ultramodern obstetrical unit includes eight labor and delivery rooms, five triage rooms and four antepartum rooms on the second floor. A 10-bed neonatal intensive care unit (NICU) and a 20-bed postpartum mother-baby unit occupy the third floor. All rooms are private, including private NICU beds. The professional care team includes maternal fetal medicine (MFM) specialists, obstetricians, midwives, advanced practice clinicians, pediatricians, family medicine physicians, neonatologists, and obstetrical, pediatric and neonatal nurses.

The care team at the Family Birth and Newborn Center has the expertise and technology to provide state-of-the-art personalized, patient-centered care for a wide spectrum of patients who often present with an extensive range of medical needs and personal choices. Mothers who choose to labor naturally will be supported by nurses with expertise in various low interventional techniques including position changes, birthing balls and hot tubs. Mothers with most high-risk conditions will have easy access to the technology and specialty professional support from MFM, neonatology and anesthesia.

The Level II NICU at LVH–Muhlenberg can provide care to neonates born at 32 weeks. Moms with select very high-risk medical/obstetrical conditions and babies with select complex conditions will be cared for and delivered at LVH–Cedar Crest, where they will have immediate round-the-clock access to MFM physicians and all of the pediatric specialists, technology and pediatric operating rooms within the Children's Hospital.

Lehigh Valley Health Network (LVHN) is expecting more than 1,000 deliveries at the Family Birth and Newborn Center in the first year. Many of these patients live in Northampton County. In addition to the Lehigh Valley Physician Group (LVPG) OB/GYN practices at Valley Center Parkway and West Broad Street in Bethlehem, LVHN is opening three new locations in June including a medical office building at Madison Farms in Bethlehem Township, the Health Center at Palmer Township and the Health Center at Easton. Also, LVPG Family Medicine locations across the region are open to new pediatric patients.

For questions or feedback on this article, contact [Thomas Hutchinson](#), Chairman, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, at 484-862-3113.

New HCCs Resource Page Contains Information for Coding Precision

Accurate documentation in our patients' medical records is important for numerous reasons. It ensures we deliver safe, high-quality care. It also ensures we are reimbursed properly for the care we provide.

LVPG's Ambulatory Coding Quality Improvement Initiative is designed to improve the accuracy of the electronic medical record, enhance patient-centered care and educate providers on the Hierarchical Condition Category (HCC) Risk Adjustment Model.

To promote coding with precision, colleagues leading the initiative created the HCCs Resource Page. It contains all the information needed for accurate documentation and coding. The page includes:

- Information about Risk Adjustment and HCC coding and why it's important
- Announcements about events and education related to coding
- Tips for coding in the top five most challenging disease categories
- Links to educational materials
- Frequently asked questions
- A monthly newsletter
- Names of colleagues leading our initiative
- And much more

Visit the page, located on the LVPG Sharepoint site, when you have question or need information about documentation and coding.

For questions or feedback on this article, contact [Marciann Albert](#), Business Analyst, LVPG Operations, at 484-862-3620.

Now Available at All Campuses: MedAbbrev and Lexicomp

With more than more than 47,000 entries, MedAbbrev is the official reference for abbreviations and acronyms not listed on the commonly used abbreviation list. The MedAbbrev program home page has been customized to display the Lehigh Valley Health Network (LVHN) list of Do Not Use abbreviations. Five users can access the resource simultaneously.

Abbreviations in the official reference, MedAbbrev (Neil M. Davis Medical Abbreviations), or included in the facility-specific abbreviation list, may be used when documenting in health care records. For the Lehigh Valley Hospital (LVH)–Cedar Crest and LVH–Muhlenberg campuses, facility-specific abbreviations can be found in Policy Tech in the Medical Abbreviations policy in the Administrative Manual.

Access MedAbbrev at LVH–Cedar Crest and LVH–Muhlenberg through the Library Services home page, which is listed in the WebLinks in Epic and on the intranet home page under the Educational Resources category on the right side of the screen. At LVH–Hazleton, LVH–Schuylkill and LVH–Pocono, there is a link on each site’s Library Services home page via each site’s intranet.

Lexicomp is the LVHN standard point of care pharmacology reference for prescription and OTC drug information, lab and diagnostic procedures, diseases and conditions, and patient education on medications. The program includes formulary monographs, facts and comparisons, Trissel’s IV Check, drug comparisons, Martindale Drug Reference, drug interactions, pediatric drugs, drug identification, IV compatibility, toxicology, and pregnancy and lactation content. On-site access and a mobile app are available to staff at all campuses.

You can find Lexicomp at each site.

- LVH–Cedar Crest and LVH–Muhlenberg:
 - Integrated in Epic
 - Through the Library Services home page, which is listed in the WebLinks in Epic
 - From the LVHN intranet home page, click on Find Fast/Library Services/Lexicomp
 - Mobile app
- LVH–Hazleton:
 - On the Library Services homepage from the LVH–Hazleton intranet
 - Mobile app
- LVH–Schuylkill:
 - On the Library Services home page from the LVH–Schuylkill intranet

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- Mobile app
- LVH–Pocono:
 - Integrated in McKesson
 - On the Library Services home page from the LVH–Pocono intranet
 - Mobile app

For questions or feedback on this article, contact [Linda Matula Schwartz](#), Director, Department of Education, Educational Infrastructure, at 610-402-5290.

May 2017 Papers, Publications and Presentations

- Sigrid Blome-Eberwein, MD, of the Burn Recovery Center, presented two sessions at the 39th Annual John A. Boswick, M.D. Burn and Wound Care Symposium, held Feb. 12-16 in Maui, Hawaii: ““Use of negative pressure wound therapy with instillation in burn wounds-first experiences” and “Patterns and impact of e-cigarette/vape related burns treated in a burn center.” She also presented a poster, “Epidermal grafting use in a Moh’s surgery nose defect.”
- Kathleen Kane, MD, and Andrew Koons, DO, of the Department of Emergency Medicine, co-authored an article, “The aortomesenteric angle as an aid in diagnosing superior mesenteric artery syndrome.” It was published March 16, 2017, online ahead of print in Clinical Practice and Cases in Emergency Medicine.
- Hamed Amani, MD, of the Burn Recovery Center, presented three sessions at Trauma, Critical Care & Acute Care Surgery 2017, held March 20-22 in Las Vegas, Nev.: “Multiple burn patients in a rural hospital,” “Big bad burn; no burn center” and “Necrotizing soft tissue infections: ICU challenges.”
- Alexander Guillaume, BA, a class of 2017 graduating USF SELECT student, and Andrew Miller, DO, and Michael Nguyen, MD, of the Department of Emergency Medicine, co-authored an article, “Enterocolitis in a child with Hirschsprung disease.” It was published March 21, 2017, online ahead of print in Pediatric Emergency Care.
- Indru Khubchandani, MD, was an invited professor at the XLII Annual Meeting of the Mexican Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons at Queretaro, Mexico, held March 29-April 1. He delivered two lectures, including “Ten commandments about hemorrhoids: gospel or myth,” moderated a panel and participated with registrants at a “meet the professor” session.
- Ronald Freudenberger, MD, MBA, Chief, Division of Cardiology, co-authored two articles. “On-X valve: the next generation aortic valve” was published in Cardiology in Review, Volume 25, Number 2, March/April 2017. “Resting heart rate and ischemic stroke in patients with heart failure” was published April 19, 2017, online ahead of print in Cerebrovascular Diseases.

May 2017 Seminars, Conferences and Meetings

Department of Education Conferences

- May 5 – Stroke Symposium: Targets of Care; Lehigh Valley Hospital–Cedar Crest Kasych Family Pavilion, 7:15 a.m.-3:15 p.m. CE credits offered for physicians, nurses, pharmacists, physical therapists, occupational therapists, and radiology technicians. To register, visit https://go.activecalendar.com/lvhn_doe/event/stroke_symposium_targets_for_care/
- May 11 – LVH–Schuylkill–Cardiology for the Primary Care Physician; Schuylkill Country Club, Orwigsburg, Pa., 5-8:30 p.m. For information, contact [Anne Marie Crown](#).
- May 17 – Child Maltreatment Hurts Us All; LVH–Cedar Crest Auditorium, 8:30-10:30 a.m. CE credits offered for physicians and nurses. (This is the education required by the state for any licensed healthcare provider.) To register, visit https://go.activecalendar.com/lvhn_doe/event/child_maltreatment_hurts_us_all_5/
- May 17 – LVH–Hazleton–Cardiology for the Primary Care Physician; Valley Country Club, Sugarloaf, Pa., 5-8:30 p.m. For information, contact [Anne Marie Crown](#).

For more information, call 610 402 2277, option 1, or visit LVHN.org/ce-calendar.

OB/GYN Grand Rounds

- May 19 – Jeff Boyd, PhD, Director of Translational Research and Genomic Medicine, Miami Cancer Institute; Kasych Family Pavilion ECC Rooms 7-8 at LVH–Cedar Crest, 7 a.m.

Pediatric Grand Rounds

- May 9 – Pediatric Sepsis, Sepsis Pathway, BPA, with Scott Wheatley, MD, of the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit; LVH–Cedar Crest Auditorium, 8-9 a.m.
- May 16 – Pulmonary topic, with Dharmesh Suratwala, MD, pediatric pulmonologist; Kasych Family Pavilion ECC Room 6 at LVH–Cedar Crest, 8-9 a.m.
- May 23 – NICU Topic, with Nachu Chinnakaruppan, MD, of the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit; Kasych Family Pavilion ECC Room 6 at LVH–Cedar Crest, 8-9 a.m.
- May 30 – Topic TBD, with Amy Dooley, DO, pediatric resident, PGY III; Kasych Family Pavilion ECC Room 6 at LVH–Cedar Crest, 8-9 a.m.

The Department of Pediatrics holds Grand Rounds on Tuesdays at the locations noted.

For more information, contact [Cari Cleffi](#) in the Department of Pediatrics at 484-862-3131.

Who's New—May 2017

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MEDICAL STAFF

New Appointments

Effective April 25, 2017

Richard E. Arnold, MD

(Weatherby Healthcare – Angela Zawisza, DO)

Pediatrics

General Pediatrics

Lehigh Valley Hospital–Schuylkill Department of Pediatrics

Lehigh Valley Hospital–Schuylkill S. Jackson Street

420 S. Jackson St.

Pottsville, PA 17901-3625

Phone: 570-621-5493 Fax: 570-621-5605

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/14/2017

LVH–S

Naga S. Chigurupati, MD

(Weatherby Healthcare – Harwinder Ahluwalia, MD)

Medicine

Pulmonary/Critical Care Medicine

Lehigh Valley Hospital–Schuylkill E. Norwegian Street

700 E. Norwegian St.

Pottsville, PA 17901-2710

Phone: 570-621-1040 Fax: 570-874-1228

Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 06/19/2017

LVH–S

Smita R. Desai, MD

(LVPG Hospital Medicine at Cedar Crest – Anthony P. Buonanno, MD)

Emergency and Hospital Medicine

Hospital Medicine

LVPG Hospital Medicine at Cedar Crest

Lehigh Valley Physician Group
Lehigh Valley Hospital
Cedar Crest and I-78, PO Box 689
Third Floor Anderson Wing
Allentown, PA 18105-1556
Phone: 610-402-5369 Fax: 610-402-5959
Provisional Active
Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017
LVH LVH-M

Jeffrey P. Gordon, MD

(LVPG Cardiology—1250 Cedar Crest – Ronald S. Freudenberger, MD)
Medicine
Cardiology
LVPG Cardiology—1250 Cedar Crest
Lehigh Valley Physician Group
Center for Advanced Health Care
1250 S. Cedar Crest Blvd., Suite 300
Allentown, PA 18103-6381
Phone: 610-402-3110 Fax: 610-402-3112
Provisional Active
Appointment Date: 07/31/2017
LVH LVH-M

Wendy J. Hanafee, MD

(Medical Imaging of Lehigh Valley, PC – Robert Kricun, MD)
Radiology-Diagnostic Medical Imaging
Diagnostic Radiology
Medical Imaging of Lehigh Valley, PC
Lehigh Valley Hospital
Cedar Crest and I-78, PO Box 689
Allentown, PA 18105-1556
Phone: 610-402-8088 Fax: 610-402-1023
Fellowship
Provisional Active
Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017
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Kathryn A. Henry, DO

(LVH-M Emergency Medicine – David B. Burmeister, DO)
Emergency and Hospital Medicine
Emergency Medicine
LVH-M Emergency Medicine
Lehigh Valley Physician Group
Lehigh Valley Hospital—Muhlenberg
2545 Schoenersville Road, Fifth Floor

Bethlehem, PA 18017-7300

Phone: 484-884-2888 Fax: 484-884-2885

Provisional Limited Duty

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017

LVH LVH-M

Andy I. Iriza, DO

(LVH Department of Medicine – Matthew J. Sullivan, DO)

Medicine

General Internal Medicine

LVH Department of Medicine

Lehigh Valley Health Network

Lehigh Valley Physician Practice

Cedar Crest and I-78, PO Box 689

Allentown, PA 18105-1556

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Provisional Limited Duty

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017

LVH LVH-M

Natia Potter, MD

(LVPG Endocrinology – Health & Wellness Center)

Medicine

Endocrinology

LVPG Endocrinology – Health & Wellness Center

Lehigh Valley Physician Group–Hazleton

Health & Wellness Center

50 Moisey Drive, Suite 103

Hazle Township, PA 18202-9297

Phone: 570-501-6580 Fax: 570-501-6598

Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017

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Tuhina Raman, MD

(Weatherby Healthcare – Harwinder Ahluwalia, MD)

Medicine

Pulmonary/Critical Care Medicine

Tuhina Raman, MD

Lehigh Valley Hospital–Schuylkill E. Norwegian Street

700 E. Norwegian St.

Pottsville, PA 17901-2710

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Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 07/10/2017

LVH-S

Jason R. Saunders, MD

(EmCare – Lori A. Lawson, MD)

Emergency and Hospital Medicine

Emergency Medicine

EmCare

700 E. Norwegian St.

Pottsville, PA 17901-2710

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Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 05/08/2017

LVH-S

Edward J. Silverman, MD

(Integrated Medical Group – Nimesh Vesuwala, MD)

Emergency and Hospital Medicine

Hospital Medicine

Integrated Medical Group, PC

82 Tunnel Road

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Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017

LVH-S

Peter J. Spohn, MD

(LVPG Orthopedics and Sports Medicine – Health & Wellness Center – Peter W. Kozicky, MD)

Surgery

Orthopedic Surgery

LVPG Orthopedics and Sports Medicine – Health & Wellness Center

Lehigh Valley Physician Group–Hazleton

Health & Wellness Center

50 Moisey Drive, Suite 202

Hazle Township, PA 18202-9297

Phone: 570-501-6730 Fax: 570-501-3837

Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 07/01/2017

LVH-H

Beth C. Stepanczuk, MD

(LVPG Physiatry–Muhlenberg – Jeffrey Radecki, MD)

Medicine

Physical Medicine-Rehabilitation

LVPG Physiatry–Muhlenberg

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2597 Schoenersville Road, Suite 402

Bethlehem, PA 18017-7334

Phone: 610-402-3560 Fax: 610-402-3355

Provisional Active

Appointment Date: 05/08/2017

LVH LVH-M

Priya D. Vijapura, DMD

(Miles of Smiles)

Dental Medicine

General Dentistry

Miles of Smiles

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Allentown, PA 18105-7017

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Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/17/2017

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Resignations

Robert Farrar, MD

Anesthesiology

(Hazleton Anesthesia Services/Somnia, Inc.)

Active

LVH-H

04/11/2017

Vikram J. Khasat, DO

Radiology-Diagnostic Medical Imaging

Diagnostic Radiology

(Medical Imaging of Lehigh Valley, PC)

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Provisional Active

03/31/2017

Lisa H. Medina, MD

Family Medicine

(LVPG Family Medicine-Hellertown)

Active

LVH LVH-M

03/31/2017

Sallie M. Wemple, MD

Emergency and Hospital Medicine

Hospital Medicine
(LVPG Hospital Medicine at Cedar Crest)
Provisional Active
LVH LVH-M
03/15/2017

Status Change to Honorary Status

Michael F. Lentz, DDS

Dental Medicine
General Dentistry
(LVH Department of Dental Medicine)
From: Active
To: Honorary
LVH LVH-M
03/29/2017

ALLIED HEALTH STAFF

New Appointments

Effective April 25, 2017

Melissa M. Babyak, CRNP

Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner
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Bethlehem, PA 18017-7384
Phone: 484-884-9677 Fax: 484-884-9297
Supervising Physician: Nicole L. Grube, DO
Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/17/2017
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Allison Burdulis, CNM

Certified Nurse Midwife
LVPG Obstetrics and Gynecology–Pond Road
Lehigh Valley Physician Group
Paragon Building
1611 Pond Road, Suite 300
Allentown, PA 18104-2258
Phone: 610-398-7700 Fax: 610-398-6917
Supervising Physician: Travis C. Dayon, MD
Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017
LVH LVH-M

Kristan N. Faneck, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

LVPG Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine—1250 Cedar Crest

Lehigh Valley Physician Group

Center for Advanced Health Care

1250 S. Cedar Crest Blvd., Suite 205

Allentown, PA 18103-6271

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Supervising Physician: Lisa Lindauer, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

LVH LVH-M

Katherine Gonzalez

Medical Assistant

LVPG Pediatrics—West Broad

Lehigh Valley Physician Group

325 W. Broad St., Second Floor

Bethlehem, PA 18018-5526

Phone: 484-626-9222 Fax: 484-626-9220

Supervising Physician: Stephen P. Alvarado, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/13/2017

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Debra M. Halupa, CRNP

Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

Lehigh Valley Hospital—Schuylkill Medical Group – Pine Grove

Lehigh Valley Physician Group

121 N. Tulpehocken St.

Pine Grove, PA 17963-1217

Phone: 570-345-2345 Fax: 570-345-2350

Supervising Physician: Richard B. Russell, DO

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017

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Amanda R. Holdridge, CRNP

Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

LVPG Pediatric Surgical Specialties—1210 Cedar Crest

Lehigh Valley Physician Group

1210 S. Cedar Crest Blvd., Suite 1100

Allentown, PA 18103-6241

Phone: 610-402-7999 Fax: 610-402-7995

Supervising Physician: Michele R. Clement, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

LVH LVH-M

Meredith L. Jennings, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

LVPG—Neonatology

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Lehigh Valley Hospital

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Allentown, PA 18105-1556

Phone: 610-402-7632 Fax: 610-402-7600

Supervising Physician: Wendy J. Kowalski, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

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Amelia B. Kuhns, CRNP

Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

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Allentown, PA 18103-6241

Phone: 610-402-7999 Fax: 610-402-7995

Supervising Physician: Sri K. Chennupati, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

LVH LVH—M

Andrea J. Majczan, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

LVPG Family Medicine—Nazareth

Lehigh Valley Physician Group

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Supervising Physician: Kate H. Agresti, DO

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

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Lorita S. Moussa

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Supervising Physician: David M. Richardson, MD

Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017

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Salliann Schippers, LCSW

Licensed Clinical Social Worker

LVPG Bariatric Medicine—Palmer Township
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Easton, PA 18045-7991
Phone: 484-591-7140 Fax: 484-591-7141
Supervising Physicians: Susan D. Wiley, MD
Appointment Date: 04/25/2017 Temporary Privileges: 04/24/2017
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Zainab L. Soonasra, RN

Registered Nurse
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Lehigh Valley Physician Group
Health Center at Fogelsville
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Fogelsville, PA 18051-1612
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Supervising Physician: Scott A. Rice, MD
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Resignations

Liza J. Alvarado, LPC

Licensed Professional Counselor
(LVPG Adolescent Medicine—17th Street)
Allied Health
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03/24/2017

Eileen Evanina, CRNA

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
(Hazleton Anesthesia Services/Somnia, Inc.)
Provisional Allied Health
LVH—H
03/28/2017

Shannon C. Husebo, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified
(LVPG—Emergency Medicine)
Allied Health
LVH LVH—M
03/30/2017

Patricia L. LaSalle, RD

Registered Dietitian
(Sodexo Dietitians)

Provisional Allied Health

LVH LVH-M

03/17/2017

Devon L. Olsson

Graduate Genetic Counselor

(Cancer Risk and Genetic Assessment Program)

Provisional Allied Health

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02/28/2017

Brianna S. Reilly, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

(LVPg Hospital Medicine at Cedar Crest)

Allied Health

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04/09/2017

Change of Supervising Physician

William S. Harriman, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

(LVPg Family and Internal Medicine—Bethlehem Township)

From: Gnanaprakash Gopal, MD

To: Raji G. Mathew, MD

Allied Health

LVH LVH-M

04/25/2017

Change of Supervising Physician and Group

Kimberly C. Olving, PA-C

Physician Assistant-Certified

From: LVPg Family Medicine—Lehighton – Chin-Chan Chu, MD

To: EmCare – Timothy A. Henninger, DO

Allied Health

From: LVH LVH-M

To: LVH-S

04/25/2017

LVPg Bariatric Medicine—Palmer Township

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Change of Supervising Physician

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Change of Supervising Physician and Group

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04/25/2017