

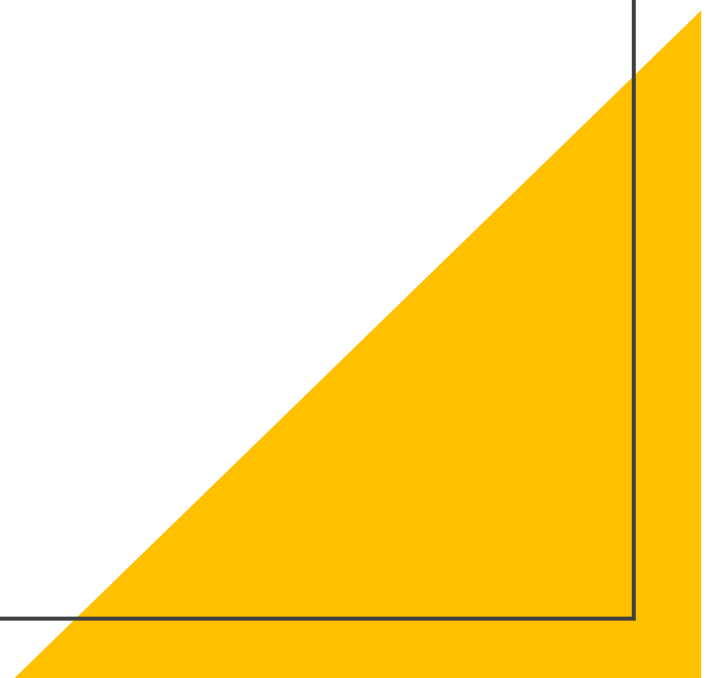
American Academy of Pediatrics Section of Hospital Medicine

Surgical Care Subcommittee “SCSC”

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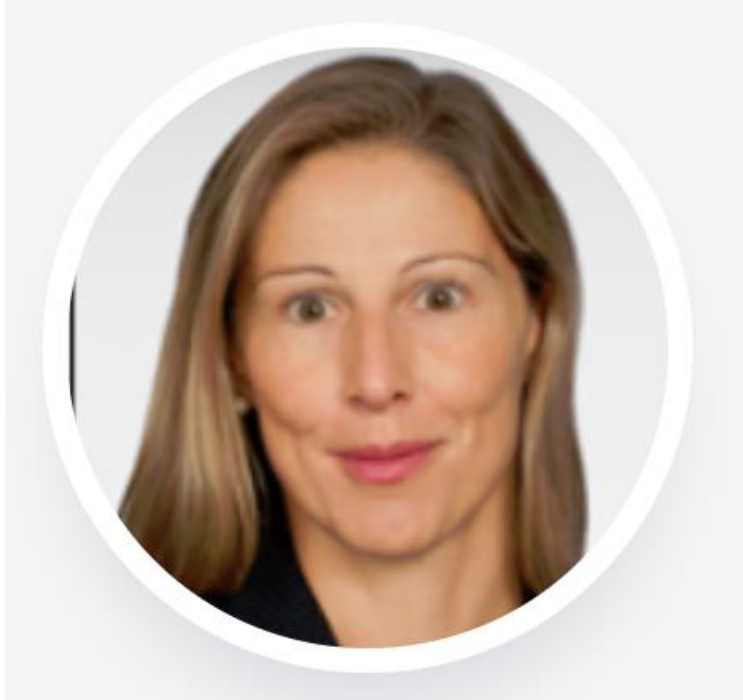


Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- Review SCSC Mission & Goals
- Comments from the Chair of the AAP's Section of Hospital Medicine (SOHM)
- Shape SCSC's Goals & Future Direction
 - 1-2 years
 - 3-5 years

Welcome New
& Experienced
Members!

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Welcome, Mirna Giordano, M.D.

- Associate Professor, Columbia University Medical Center
- Comanaged pediatric surgical patients her entire career
- Research focus: Opioid-sparing multimodal analgesia for postoperative patients

Mission

- To advocate for high quality care, outcomes, and research for surgical patients cared for by pediatric hospitalists

Goals

- Maintain a **supportive network** of Pediatric Hospitalists (PH) caring for surgical patients
- **Advance collaboration** with our hospitalist, surgical, and other partners to inform the care of surgical patients
- Develop and Share:
 - **Best practices** in medical care of surgical patients
 - **Training and educational materials** for PH and trainees in the medical care of surgical patients
 - **Standard outcome measures** to evaluate quality and value for programs with PH caring for surgical patients



- The Importance of Subcommittee Work
- SOHM opportunities

SOHM Chair-elect: Geeta Singhal

Supportive Network / Collaboration

Possible Ideas

- AAP SCSC listerv → coming soon, stay tuned!
- Increase meeting / group participation and involvement
 - APP's, Fellows, Residents
 - AAP Section on Surgery?
- Individual expertise groups: billing, comanagement agreement, leveraging subspecialists, outcome reporting / sharing, APPs
- Increase meeting frequency? (break out rooms)
- Website – what's helpful? What's not?

Best Practices

Possible Ideas

- Increase scholarly productivity?
 - PHM, PAS, SHM, AAP Annual Conferences
- Literature search every 4-6 months to share with group / add to website?
- Journal Club?
 - Project ECHO® educational format (<https://www.ahrq.gov/patient-safety/resources/project-echo/index.html>)
- CME Webinars?
- Complex patients and use of complexity scores
- Possibly edit / re-submit updated clinical comanagement policy to AAP??

Training & Educational Materials

Possible Ideas

- Curriculum building?
 - Pain / Irritability
 - PHM Core Competencies
 - Most common surgeries clinical care expectations
- Postop Medical Education Module [next slide]
- 2023 Pre-PHM Course

Module for Postop Hip / Spine Management

Jay Berry

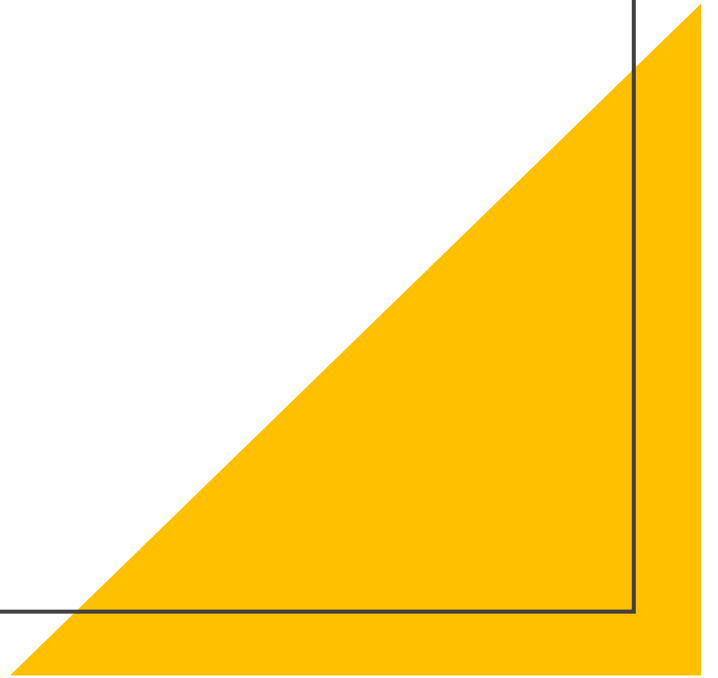
- Chief, Complex Care, Boston Children's Hospital
- International Committee on Perioperative Care for Children with Medical Complexity
- Lead Author, Deciding on and preparing for major musculoskeletal surgery in children with medical complexity, OPENPediatrics online module

Standard Outcome Measures

Possible Ideas

- Build microcosms of collaboration
- Collaborate with ACS (Amer College of Surgeons) CSV (Children's Surgery Verification)?
 - Opioid stewardship?
 - Antibiotic stewardship?
 - Other surgical outcomes?

Other Ideas / Goals for
SCSC?



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THANK YOU!

