

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION

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| UNDERGRADUATE | University of North Dakota Grand Forks, ND | 1986-1987 |
| | Luther College Decorah, IA Degree: B.A. Music, May 1990 | 1987-1990 |
| GRADUATE | University of Minnesota Minneapolis, MN Graduate Teaching Assistant, Music | 1990-1991 |
| POST-GRADUATE | Mayo Medical School Rochester, MN Degree: MD, May 1995 | 1991-1995 |

POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING

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| RESIDENCY | University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA Affiliated Residency in Emergency Medicine | 1995-1998 |
| FELLOWSHIP | Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI | 1998-2000 |
| GRADUATE: | University of Michigan School of Public Health Department of Health Management and Policy Degree: MPH, December 1999 | 1999 |
| POST-GRADUATE: | America's Health Insurance Plans | 2005-2006 |

Executive Leadership Program
 Certified Health Plan Executive 2006

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| Department of Emergency Medicine Regions Hospital and HealthPartners, Inc. St. Paul, MN | Medical Director 2003-Present Department Head 2003-Present Associate Department Head for Research 2002-2003 Research Director 2001-2003 Senior Staff Physician 2000-Present |
| Department of Emergency Medicine University of Minnesota Medical School Minneapolis, MN | Vice Chairman 2004-Present Associate Professor 2006-Present Assistant Professor 2000-2006 |
| HealthPartners Research Foundation Minneapolis, MN | Clinical Investigator 2000-Present |
| Department of Emergency Medicine University of Michigan Medical School Ann Arbor, MI | Lecturer 1998-2000 |
| Department of Internal Medicine Veterans Administration Medical Center Ann Arbor, MI | Lecturer 1998-2000 |

CLINICAL HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

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| Senior Staff Physician Emergency Medicine Department Regions Hospital St. Paul, MN | 2000-Present |
| Emergency Physician Foote Hospital Jackson, MS | 1998-2000 |

Other Work Experience

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| The United States Senate Congressional Fellow for The Honorable Max Baucus | 1999 |
| STAT MedEvac, Flight Physician Pittsburgh, PA | 1996-1998 |

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| Gold Cross Ambulance Rochester, MN Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic | 1992-1995 |
| Hennepin County Medical Center Department of Emergency Medicine Minneapolis, MN Research Assistant | 1991 |
| St. Paul Ramsey Medical Center St. Paul, MN Nursing Assistant | 1990-1991 |
| University of Minnesota School of Music Minneapolis, MN Graduate Teaching Assistant | 1990-1991 |
| Walt Disney World Orlando, FL Musician | 1990 |

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY AND BOARDS

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| Ramsey Medical Society Foundation Board of Directors | 2001-2007 |
| Board of Directors, Minnesota Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians | 2001-Present |
| President-Elect | 2008-Present |
| American Heart Association Advocacy Committee, Minnesota Affiliate | 2003-2006 |
| Board of Directors, HealthPartners Research Foundation | 2004-Present |

LECTURES AND SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS

International

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| 2008 | Best Practices for Optimizing Patient Flow International Conference on Emergency Medicine San Francisco, CA |
| 2006 | Panel on health care operations Institute of Operations Research and Management Science International Meeting, Hong Kong, China |
| 2006 | <i>“Improving Patient Flow in Hospitals: Strategies to Overcome measurement and Implementation Barriers”</i> McGill Research Workshop on |

Emergency Department Operations, Montreal,
Canada

- 2006 *“Stop Measuring Crowding and Start Measuring Patient Flow: Optimizing Patient Throughput”*
McGill Research Workshop on Emergency
Department Operations, Montreal, Canada
- 2004 *“Self-Assessment of the Management Gaps at U.S. Emergency Departments”*
The McGill Integrative E-Health Challenge,
Montreal, QC
- 2003 *“Emergency Department Crowding: Background and Impact on Patients”*
McGill Crowding Symposium, McGill University,
Montreal, Canada

National

- 2007 *“The Institute of Medicine’s Reports on Emergency care: What’s Next?”/“Improving Patient Flow in the ED”*
Guest Speaker, 14th Annual Hot Topics in
Emergency Medicine, Duck Key, FL
- 2007 *“Faculty Are From Venus, Chairs Are From Mars: Perfecting the ‘Ask’”*
2007 CORD Academic Assembly, Orlando, FL
- 2006 *“State of Research in Daily Surge”*
Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting,
San Francisco, CA
- 2006 *“The Future of Throughput: Dynamics of Change in a Complex Organization to Facilitate Patient Flow”*
World Research Group
Las Vegas, NV
- 2005 *“Epidemic of Care: Facing the Future Demand for Health Care”*
Association of American Medical Colleges
Washington D.C.
- 2005 *“Saving the Safety Net: Dealing with Uncompensated Care and Ensuring Emergency Department Access”*
American College of Emergency Physicians
Scientific Assembly, Washington D.C.

- 2005 *Expert Panel Roundtable Discussion: The Challenge of Emergency Department Overcrowding*
American College of Emergency Physicians,
Washington D.C.
- 2005 *“Defining the Research Agenda for ED Crowding and Patient Flow – Lessons from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation’s Urgent Matters Project”*
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2005 *“Closing the Quality Chasm: Research and Educational Initiatives for Emergency Medicine”*
(Moderator)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2005 Moderator, ED Overcrowding Oral Paper Session
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2004 *“The Future of Throughput: Dynamics of Change in Complex Organizations to Facilitate Patient Flow”*
Strategies to Optimize Patient Throughput
Conference, Chicago, IL
- 2004 Moderator, Research Forum
American College of Emergency Physicians, San Francisco, CA
- 2004 *“Influencing the Debate: ACEP’s School of Political Advocacy”*
American College of Emergency Physicians,
Scientific Assembly, San Francisco, CA
- 2004 *“Is this Emergency Department Crowded? A Multicenter Derivation and Evaluation of an Emergency Department Crowding Scale (EDCS)”*
(Abstract Presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL
- 2004 *“Overview of Emergency Department Overcrowding: Sources of the Problem and Contributing Factors”*
Joint Commission Resources ED Overcrowding: Managing Patient Flow, Long Term Successes,
Dallas, TX
- 2004 *“Throughput and Congestion in the Modern Hospital”*

- Society of Hospital Medicine 6th Annual Meeting,
New Orleans, LA
- 2004 *"Measuring and Improving the Safety Net"*
Urgent Matters Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2004 *"Overcrowding and Delays in the ED: Getting Past the Blame Game"*
Florida Emergency Medicine Foundation ED Benchmarks Conference, Orlando, FL
- 2004 *"A Room with a View: Health Care Policy Meets the ER"*
25th Anniversary Grand Rounds, University of Pittsburgh Affiliated Residency in Emergency Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2004 *"Patient Flow and Emergency Department Crowding"*
The Future of Emergency Care Meeting and Workshop, Institute of Medicine, Washington, D.C.
- 2003 *"Influencing the Debate: ACEP's School of Political Advocacy"*
American College of Emergency Physicians, Scientific Assembly, Boston, MA
- 2003 *"Surviving the Collision of Health Policy and Academic Medicine"*
"The Emergency Department and Crowding: Research agenda and recent solutions"
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, Boston, MA
- 2003 *"The Quality Chasm in Emergency Medicine: What It Means to the Everyday Practitioner"*
"Overcrowding and Staff Shortages in the ED: What Can Be Done?"
The 10th Annual Hot Topics in Emergency Medicine, Duck Key, FL
- 2003 *"The Crowding Dilemma: Survival Tactics for the Overwhelmed ED"*
Leadership/Legislative Conference, American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP), Washington D.C.
- 2003 *"Emergency Department Crowding: Measuring and Managing Capacity"*

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO), Boston, MA

- 2003 *“Measures and Strategies to Alleviate Emergency Department Crowding”*
American Academy of Emergency Medicine
Scientific Assembly, New Orleans, LA
- 2003 *“Insurance Without Care, Unreliable Access to Emergency Department Follow-up Care”* (Abstract Presentation)
AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting,
Nashville, TN
- 2003 *“Insurance Without Care, Unreliable Access to Emergency Department Follow-up Care”* (Abstract Presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, Boston, MA
- 2003 *“Developing Measurement Sets to Monitor Emergency Department Crowding”*
9th Annual HMO Research Network Conference,
Denver, CO
- 2003 *“Developing Data to Monitor and Reduce Emergency Department Overcrowding”*
Second Annual Meeting of the IDSRN (Integrated Delivery System Research Network), Rockville, MD
- 2002 *“Measuring Emergency Department Crowding and Hospital Capacity”* (Abstract Presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO
- 2002 *“Emergencies Passing By: A National Study of Ambulance Diversion Trends”* (Abstract Presentation)
ACEP Research Forum, Seattle, WA
- 2002 *“Inside the Emergency Department; Under Stress: Challenges Facing the ED”*
HealthLeaders Roundtable Discussion, Nashville, TN
HealthLeaders. 2003 March: RT3-RT19.
- 2002 *“The Effects of Overcrowding on Resident and Medical Student Education”*

Association of American Medical Colleges, San Francisco, CA

- 2002 *"Why Vote? How This Election Will Affect the Way You Care for Your Patients"*
"Saving the Safety Net: Dealing with Uncompensated Care and Emergency Department Access"
- "Tackling Emergency Department "Over" Crowding - From the Inside Out"*
American College of Emergency Physicians, Scientific Assembly, Seattle, WA
- 2002 *"Crowding and Diversion: Strategies and Resources for Chapters"*
ACEP Leadership and Legislative Issues Conference, Washington D.C.
- 2002 *"Crossing the Quality Chasm: Building the 21st Century Emergency Care System"*
"Life After Residency" (Panel Discussion)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO
- 2002 *"ED Overcrowding: Is Volume Undermining Quality?"*
HMO Research Network, Long Beach, CA
- 2001 *Convenience or Medical Severity? Understanding Disparities in Layperson and Physician Opinions about Appropriate Emergency Department Use* (Poster)
Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy Meeting, Atlanta, GA
- 2001 *Appropriateness and Payment Decisions about Emergency Department Use: Who Decides?* (Poster presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA
HMO Research Network Conference, Seattle, WA
- 2000 *Emergency Medicine and the Uninsured: Dilemmas of the Past and Challenges for the Future* (moderator)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, San Francisco, CA

- 2000 *Defining the Safety Net* (moderator)
National Congress on Preserving America's Health
Care Safety Net , National Press Club, Washington,
D.C., September 2000
- 2000 *Layperson Disagreement about Appropriate use of
the Emergency Department* (abstract presentation)
Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Annual
Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
- 2000 *Layperson Attitudes about using the Emergency
Department: Who is a "Prudent Layperson"?*
(abstract presentation)
American College of Emergency Physicians
Research Forum. Philadelphia, PA
- 2000 *Layperson Perceptions of the Appropriateness of
Emergency Department Utilization* (abstract
presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, San
Francisco, CA
- 1999 *Reforming Medicare: Pitfalls and Politics*
Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Annual
Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
- 1998 *Evaluation of Layperson Competency and Skill
Retention in the Use of Automated External
Defibrillators* (abstract presentation)
Pennsylvania Chapter, American College of
Emergency Physicians
- 1997 *Chief Residents' Forum* (moderator)
Scientific Assembly, American College of
Emergency Physicians, San Francisco, CA
- 1994 *Prognostic Value of End-Tidal Carbon Dioxide
Pressure During Out-of-Hospital Cardiac Arrest*
(abstract presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine,
Washington DC

Regional

- 2006 *"Overcrowding in the ED"*
Emergency Nurses Association National
Conference
Vadnais Heights, MN

- 2005 *"The Future of Emergency Medicine"*
Hot Topics in Emergency Medicine
Minnesota Chapter, American College of
Emergency Physicians, Minneapolis, MN
- 2005 *"What's New with Trauma Systems"*
Emergency Medicine and Trauma Update 2005
Minneapolis, MN
- 2005 *"A Room with a View: Health Care Policy Meets the
ER"* Leadership Twin Cities Healthy Communities
Day, Minneapolis, MN
- 2004 *"Trauma Systems: An Essential Public Service?"*
Emergency Medicine and Trauma Update,
Minneapolis, MN
- 2004 *"Health Care Policy and the ER"*
Leadership Twin Cities Healthy Communities Day,
Minneapolis, MN
- 2003 *"A Room with a View: Health Care Policy Meets the
ER"*
North Central Medical Conference, Bloomington, MN
- 2003 *"Emergency Department Overcrowding and
Trauma Systems: Where Does Minnesota Fit?"*
Emergency Medicine and Trauma Update
Conference, Regions Hospital, St. Paul, MN
- 2003 *"A Room with a View: Health Care Policy Meets the
ER"*
A Celebration of Research, HealthPartners
Research Foundation, Minneapolis, MN
- 2003 *"The Impact of State Budget Cuts on Healthcare"*
Ramsey Medical Society Council, St. Paul, MN
- 2003 *"Can you find a bed for your patient? A national
perspective on hospital capacity"*
Ramsey Medical Society Council, St. Paul, MN
- 2003 *"Tackling Emergency Department "Over" Crowding
- From the Inside Out"*
Fourth Annual Emergency Medicine Risk
Management Symposium, Kalamazoo, MI

- 2002 *“Convenience or Medical Severity? Understanding Disparities in Layperson and Physician Opinions about Appropriate Emergency Department Use”*
Minnesota Health Services Research Conference, Minneapolis, MN
- 2002 *“Emergency Department Crowding: Is the Health Care System Failing the Community?”*
A Ramsey Celebration Honoring Dr. John F. Perry, Jr., St. Paul, MN
- 2002 *“Ambulance Diversions and Crowded Hospitals: A National Perspective”*
Minnesota EMS Medical Directors Retreat
- 2002 *“Emergency and Acute Care System Dialogue: Introduction”*
National Institute of Health Policy, Minneapolis, MN
- 2002 *“Why Can’t I Just See Patients? Health Care Policy and the Future of Emergency Medicine”*
Illinois College of Emergency Physician’s 2002 Annual Meeting, Oak Brook, IL
- 2002 *“Can You Find a Bed for Your Patient? Update on Hospital Capacity, 2002”*
“HIPAA & Your Practice”
Ramsey Medical Society/Hennepin Medical Society Winter Medical Conference
- 2001 *“Health Services Research: What’s the Emergency?”*
A Celebration of Research, HealthPartners Research Foundation, Minneapolis, MN
- 2001 *“Why Can’t I Just See Patients? Emergency Medicine and the Health Care Safety Net”*
Guest Speaker, Minnesota Emergency Medicine Forum, Minneapolis, MN
- 2001 Ambulance Diversions Panel, Minnesota EMS Medical Directors Retreat
- 2001 *Emergency Department Crowding and Patient Safety: Mission Impossible?*
Guest Speaker, Hot Topics in Emergency Medicine Minnesota Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians

1998 *Evaluation of Layperson Competency and Skill Retention in the Use of Automated External Defibrillators* (oral presentation)
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, Chicago, IL

Scientific Presentations

2005

Moderator, Oral Paper Session
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, New York, NY

2004

Moderator, Research Forum
American College of Emergency Physicians, San Francisco, CA

Is This Emergency Department Crowded? A Multicenter Derivation and Evaluation of an ED Crowding Scale (EDCS) Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, Orlando FL

2003

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Measuring Emergency Department Crowding and Hospital Capacity Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO

Convenience of Medical Severity? Understanding Disparities in Layperson and Physician Opinions about Appropriate Emergency Department Use Minnesota Health Services Research Conference, Minneapolis, MN

2001

Convenience or Medical Severity? Understanding Disparities in Layperson and Physician Opinions about Appropriate Emergency Department Use Academy for Health Services Research and Health Policy Meeting, Atlanta, GA

Appropriateness and Payment Decisions about Emergency Department Use: Who Decides? Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA
HMO Research Network Conference, Seattle, WA

2000

Layperson Disagreement about Appropriate use of the Emergency Department Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Annual Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

Layperson Attitudes about using the Emergency Department: Who is a "Prudent Layperson?" American College of Emergency Physicians Research Forum. Philadelphia, PA

Layperson Perceptions of the Appropriateness of Emergency Department Utilization Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, San Francisco, CA

1998

Evaluation of Layperson Competency and Skill Retention in the Use of Automated External Defibrillators Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, Chicago, IL

Evaluation of Layperson Competency and Skill Retention in the Use of Automated External Defibrillators Pennsylvania Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians, Philadelphia, PA

1994

Prognostic Value of End-Tidal Carbon Dioxide Pressure During Out-of-Hospital Cardiac Arrest Society for Academic Emergency Medicine, Washington DC

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

2002 – 2007 Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
K-08 Research Career Development Award (K08-HS13007)
Emergency Department Crowding: Causes and Consequences (\$616,950 over 5 years) (PI, Mentor: Nicki Lurie, MD, MSPH)

2002 Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
Task Order Contract through the HMO Research Network
Developing Data to Monitor and Reduce Emergency Department Overcrowding (\$250,000 over 8 months) (Site PI)

- 2001 Kaiser Family Foundation (2)
A Multicenter Study of Emergency Department Crowding (\$80,000) (PI)
The Emergency Department Access Study: Insurance Status As A Barrier To Acute Outpatient Follow-Up Care (\$95,000) (PI)
- 2000 HealthPartners Research Foundation Internal Grant (2)
Layperson and Provider Priorities for Seeking Care in the Emergency Department (\$25,000) (PI)
Facilitated Emergency Department Follow-Up (\$25,000) (Co-I)
- 1997 Resident Research Grant, Emergency Medicine Foundation
Capnographic Trend Analysis as an Early Predictor of Outcome from Out-of-Hospital Cardiac Arrest (PI)
- 1993 Helen N. and Harold B. Shapira Scholarship
American Heart Association, Minnesota Affiliate

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

Board Certification

Diplomat, American Board of Emergency Medicine 1999

Other Certifications

Emergency Medical Technician-Intermediate (EMT-1)
Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Provider
Advanced Pediatric Life Support (APLS) Provider
Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic (EMT-P)
Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Instructor
Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Provider
Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Provider

Licensure

Minnesota Medical License 42477
Wisconsin Medical License 43317-020
Pennsylvania Medical License MD-063257-L (inactive)
Michigan Medical License 4301071654 (inactive)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Named an "Emerging Leader" by Twin Cities Business 2007

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| Named to the "40 Under 40" Business Leaders List Twin Cities Business Journal, May 13, 2005 | 2005 |
| 100 Most Influential Healthcare Leaders in Minnesota August 2004 edition of MN Physician (volume XVIII, No. 5) Fellow American College of Emergency Physicians | 2004 |
| Foundation Leadership Award American Medical Association | 2000 |
| Leadership Award Emergency Medicine Residents' Association | 1998 |
| Ronald D. Stewart Award for Excellence in Teaching University of Pittsburgh Affiliated Residency in Emergency Medicine | 1998 |
| Best Oral Presentation William H. Spivey Research Competition Pennsylvania ACEP Annual Meeting, April 1998 | 1998 |
| First Resident Member, Editorial Board <i>Annals of Emergency Medicine</i> | 1997 |
| Outstanding Medical Student in Emergency Medicine Mayo Medical School | 1995 |
| Phi Beta Kappa, Summa Cum Laude graduate Luther College | 1990 |

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American College of Emergency Physicians
Society for Academic Emergency Medicine
American College of Physician Executives
American Medical Association
AcademyHealth
American Public Health Association
Minnesota Medical Association
Ramsey County Medical Society

APPOINTMENTS AND COMMITTEES

Committee on the Future of Emergency Care in the United States Health System
Institute of Medicine (2003 – 2006)

- Subcommittee on Hospital Based Emergency Care (2003 – 2006)
- National Advisory Committee, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation – *Urgent Matters* (2002-2004)
- Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality - *New York University Emergency Department Algorithm Working Group* (2003)
- Research Committee -- HealthPartners Research Foundation (2002-2006)
- Integration Subcommittee – HealthPartners Research Foundation (2002-2005)
- Senior Leader, Access and Flow Project -- Regions Hospital (2005-Present)
- Faculty Development Committee – Regions Hospital Emergency Medicine Department (2002-Present)
- Emergency Medicine Department Executive Committee, Regions Hospital (2001- Present)
- Planning Committee for the Emergency and Acute Care System Project
 - National Institute of Health Policy, Minneapolis, MN (2001-2002)
- Institutional Review Board, Regions Hospital and HealthPartners Research Foundation
 - Member (2000-2004)
 - Interim Vice-Chairman (January - July, 2001)
- Task Force on Coverage and Access, American Hospital Association (2001)
- National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians
 - Task Force on Continued Competency (1998)
 - NHTSA Curriculum Exam Item Project (1998)
- National EMT-Paramedic Curriculum, Subject Matter Expert (1996-1998)
- Emergency Medicine Foundation Board of Trustees (1997)
- Emergency Medicine Residents' Association
 - Board of Directors (1996-1997)
 - Alternate Councilor to the American College of Emergency Physicians (1997)

American College of Emergency Physicians

- Quality and Performance Committee (2006-Present)
- Task Force on Quality and Performance Measurement (2004-2006)
- Federal Government Affairs Committee (1997-2006)
- National Emergency Medicine Political Action Committee Board of Trustees (1997-2006)
- Councilor, Minnesota Chapter (2001-Present)
- Emergency Department Crowding Resources Task Force (2002-2003)
- Board Nominating Committee (2001-2002)
- Young Physicians Section:
 - Immediate Past-Chair (2002-2003)
 - Chair (2001-2002)
 - Chair-Elect (2000-2001)
 - Councilor (1998-2000)
- Task Force on Health Care and the Uninsured (2000-2001)
- Legislative Affairs Committee, Michigan Chapter (1998-2000)
- Research Forum Planning Task Force (1998-1999)
- Safety Net Task Force (1998-1999)

Minnesota Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians

President-Elect (2008-Present)
Board of Directors (2001-Present)
Legislative Affairs Committee, Co-Chair (2000-2006)
Councilor (2001-Present)
Emergency Department Crowding and EMS Working Group, Chair (2001-2003)

Society for Academic Emergency Medicine

Chair, Emergency Department Crowding Task Force (2007-Present)
Leadership Development Course Subgroup (2005)
Healthy People 2010 Task Force Co-Chair (2003 - 2004), Member (2004-2005)
National Affairs Committee (2002-Present)
Public Health and Education Task Force (2000-2002)
Annual Meeting Task Force (1997-1998)
Board of Directors (EMRA Liaison, 1996-1997)

Annals of Emergency Medicine

Associate Editor (2003-2007)
Editorial Board (2002-2003)
Consulting Editor (2000-2002)
Section Editor, *Annals Health Policy Report* (2000-2007)
Resident Member, Editorial Board (1997-1998)

American Medical Association

Council on Public Policy, Ramsey Medical Society (2003-2004)
Ex-officio Member, Ramsey Medical Society Board of Directors (2001-2002)
Alternate Delegate, Young Physicians Section Assembly (for the American College of Emergency Physicians) (2000-2002)
Ramsey Medical Society Foundation Board of Directors (2001-2007)

Peer Reviewer

A Shared Destiny: Community Effects of Uninsurance
Committee on the Consequences of Uninsurance
Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences
Annals of Emergency Medicine
Academic Emergency Medicine
JAMA
Health Services Research
Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law
American Journal of Medicine
The Joint Commission Journal on Quality and Safety

BIBLIOGRAPHY

ORIGINAL ARTICLES:

Gordon BD, Flottemesch TJ, **Asplin BR**. Accuracy of Staff-Initiated Emergency Department Tracking System Timestamps in Identifying Actual Event Times. *Ann Emerg Med* DOI: 10.1016/j.annemergmed.2007.11.036.

McBeth BD, Ankel FK, Ling, LJ, **Asplin BR**, et al. Substance use in emergency medicine training programs. *Acad Emerg Med* (In Press).

Handel DA, Sklar DP, Hollander JE, **Asplin BR**, Hedges JR. Executive summary: the Institute of Medicine report and the future of academic emergency medicine: the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine and Association of Academic Chairs in Emergency Medicine Panel: Association of American Medical Colleges annual meeting, October 28, 2006. *Acad Emerg Med* 2007 Mar;14(3):261-7.

Asplin BR, Flottemesch TJ, Gordon BD. Developing models for patient flow and daily surge capacity research. *Acad Emerg Med*. 2006 Nov;13(11):1109-13.

Bernstein SL, **Asplin BR**. Emergency department crowding: old problem, new solutions. *Emerg Med Clin North Am*. 2006 Nov;24(4):821-37.

Asplin BR, Rhodes KV, Levy H, Lurie N, Crain AL, Carlin BP, Kellermann AL. Insurance Status and Access to Urgent Ambulatory Care Follow-Up Appointments. *JAMA* 2005;294(10):1248-1254.

Gordon BD, **Asplin BR**. Using online analytical processing to manage emergency department operations. *Acad Emerg Med*. 2004; 11: 1206-1212.

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Solberg LI, **Asplin BR**, Weinick RM, Magid DJ. Emergency department Crowding:Consensus development of potential measures. *Ann Emerg Med*. 2003 Dec;42(6):824-34.

Asplin BR, Magid DJ, Rhodes KV, Solberg LI, Lurie N, Camargo CA. A Conceptual model of emergency department crowding. *Ann Emerg Med*. 2003 Aug;42(2):173-180.

Schafermeyer RW, **Asplin BR**. Hospital and emergency department crowding in the United States. *Emerg Med*. 2003 Feb;15(1):22-27.

Magid DJ, Rhodes KV, **Asplin BR**, Steiner JF, Rumsfeld JS. Designing a research agenda to improve the quality of emergency care. *Acad Emerg Med* 2002 Nov;9(11):1124-1130.

Richardson LD, **Asplin BR**, Lowe RA. Emergency Department crowding as a health policy issue; past development, future direction. *Ann Emerg Med* 2002 Oct;40(4):388-93

Gordon JA, Billings J, **Asplin BR**, Rhodes KV. Safety net reseach in emergency medicine: *Proceedings of the SAEM Consensus Conference on "The Unraveling Safety Net"* *Acad Emerg Med*. 2001 Nov; 8(11):1024-9

Asplin BR: Tying a knot in the unraveling health care safety net. *Acad Emerg Med*. 2001 Nov;8(11):1075-9.

Fields WW, **Asplin BR**, Larkin GL, Marco CA, Johnson LA, Yeh CS, Ghezzi KT, Rapp M. The emergency medical treatment and labor act as a federal health care safety net program. *Acad Emerg Med*. 2001 Nov;8(11):1064-9.

Cetta MG, **Asplin BR**, Fields WW, Yeh CS. Emergency medicine and the debate over the uninsured: a report from the Task Force on Health Care and the Uninsured. *Ann Emerg Med*. 2000;36:243-246.

Asplin BR. Controversial Company: The prudent layperson standard and the patients' bill of rights. *Ann Emerg Med*. 2000;35:304-307.

Moorhead JC, **Asplin BR**. Distribution of emergency medicine residency graduates. *Ann Emerg Med*. 1998;32:509-510.

Asplin BR, Schafermeyer RW: Graduate medical education reform. implications for emergency medicine residency training. *Ann Emerg Med*. 1998;32:253-255.

White RD, **Asplin BR**, Bugliosi TF, Hankins DG. High discharge survival rate after out-of-hospital ventricular fibrillation with rapid defibrillation by police and paramedics. *Ann Emerg Med*. 1996;28:480-485.

Asplin BR, White RD: Prognostic value of end-tidal carbon dioxide pressures during out-of-hospital cardiac arrest. *Ann Emerg Med*. 1995;25:756-761.

White RD, **Asplin BR**. Out-of-hospital quantitative monitoring of end-tidal carbon dioxide pressure during CPR. *Ann Emerg Med*. 1994;23:25-30.

INVITED ARTICLES, EDITORIALS, and CASE REPORTS:

- Asplin BR**, Magid DJ. If you want to fix crowding, start by fixing your hospital. *Ann Emerg Med.* 2007 Mar;49(3):273-4.
- Asplin BR.** Hospital-based emergency care: A future without boarding? *Ann Emerg Med.* 2006 Aug;48(2):121-5.
- Asplin BR.** Measuring crowding: Time for a paradigm shift. *Acad Emerg Med.* 2006 Apr;13(4):459-61.
- Magid DJ, **Asplin BR**, Wears RL. The quality gap: Searching for the consequences of emergency department crowding. *Ann Emerg Med.* 2004 Dec; 44(6):586-8.
- Kealey BT, **Asplin BR.** Throughput and congestion in the modern hospital. *The Hospitalist.* 2004 Sept/Oct; 14-17.
- Asplin BR.** Show me the money! Managing access, outcomes, and cost in high-risk populations. *Ann Emerg Med.* 2004 Feb;43(2):174-7.
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