ISOBS Newsletter

July 2024



Dear [NAME],

Happy Summer 2024! As this year is speeding past, we thought it is timely to update you with ISOBS's latest advancements and achievements. We'd like to share our latest faces, places, POP, pictures, and another OBA story...

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POP People Places Patient Safety

POP:

Amidst our research and publications, we decided to step back and focus on the next generation!

News Flash!

To educate HMS students about patient safety and quality, Dr. Shapiro created an **HMS Post core patient safety elective (PCE) at MEE** to expose students to adult and pediatric patients presenting for a variety of ambulatory surgical procedures and to understand the role of the anesthesiologist and the



ambulatory surgery center, and clinical office based settings.

The course is available to any medical student across the USA in addition to those at Harvard. Further information can be accessed through the HMS Registrar @ https://meded.hms.harvard.edu/exchange-clerkship-apply. (ref: AE510M.J)

The OBA Medical Student Experience:

Recently, three medical students from various medical schools (**Patrick Connell**, **Devon Evanovich**, and **Leah Beight**) participated in the first unique one-week OBA experience for 3rd and 4th-year medical students. They are under the **mentorship of Dr. Shapiro and his OBA colleagues around the USA**. Each student is paired with a vetted, experienced, and safe physician or dental anesthesiologist in a clinical office-based anesthesia setting for adult and pediatric patients. For further information, please contact frednopain.isobs@gmail.com.

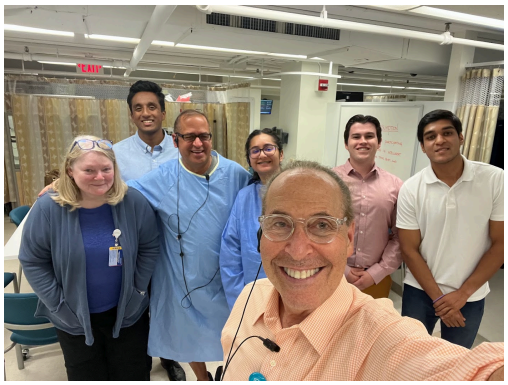
The OBA Resident Rotation Curriculum:

Boris Anyama, MD and Dr. Shapiro spearheaded the development of an ACGME accredited 4-week OBA elective at the University of Pittsburgh Department of Anesthesia residency program. The objective is to learn how to provide safe anesthesia care in various office-based patients, procedures, and settings. For further information, please contact frednopain.isobs@gmail.com.

Thinking Ahead:

In our next newsletter, we will highlight **OBA: State of the Art 2025**, 5 high impact articles that will be featured in **Anesthesia and Analgesia!**

Innovative Research:







And we are actively working on the Monitored Anesthesia Care (MAC) Decision Aid!

People:

ISOBS's new projects come with new team members! We'd like to introduce our exciting new and growing team.



Dr. Boris Anyama, MD

Dr. Anyama is a 4th-year resident physician at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine with interests in pain, pediatric, and cardiac anesthesiology. He is from Houston, TX, and attended the University of Louisiana at Lafayette for undergraduate studies & St. George's University for medical school. His hobbies include playing sports, listening to music, and traveling.



Leah is a 4th-year medical student at Georgetown University School of Medicine. She is passionate about patient safety and improving perioperative care. She completed the Office Based Anesthesia with Dr. Lee Dorsch in Virginia. Outside of the hospital she enjoys hiking, biking, and baking with friends.



Patrick Connell

Patrick is currently a 4th-year medical student in Kansas City and serves as Co-Chair of the Resident Committee for the Society for Ambulatory Anesthesia. He is passionate about patient safety, increasing opportunities for mentorship, and improving the healthcare and medical education systems.



Nicolette Duong

Nicolette is a third-year medical student at Kansas City University. She completed her degrees in microbiology, international business, and community health management at the University of Florida. She is passionate about exploring critical care initiatives and has currently accepted a yearlong research fellowship in Boston to explore optimal ventilator settings in clinical trials at Massachusetts General Hospital, ambulatory anesthesia access at Massachusetts Ear And Eye Hospital, and case reports in the medical field. In her free time, she enjoys yoga, hiking trails, and open water dives.



at Tufts University School of Medicine. He first became interested in anesthesiology during his thesis coursework as part of his master's degree at Boston Children's Hospital. He is the 2022-2024 Medical Student Liaison for Massachusetts to the American Society of Anesthesiology and is passionate about engaging medical students in their education and exposure to safety in anesthesiology.



Austin Skinner

Austin is a 4th-year medical student at Kansas City University College of Osteopathic Medicine. He is originally from Parker, Colorado, and completed his undergraduate education at the University of Colorado at Denver and spent his gap years conducting clinical research at Children's Hospital Colorado. He aspires to complete his medical training in orthopedic surgery. When he is not at the hospital he loves weightlifting, hiking, archery, and reading.

We wish them well! Team members are advancing:



Dr. Shapiro became the **Vice President** of SAMBA!

Dr. Urman became the **Secretary** of SAMBA!

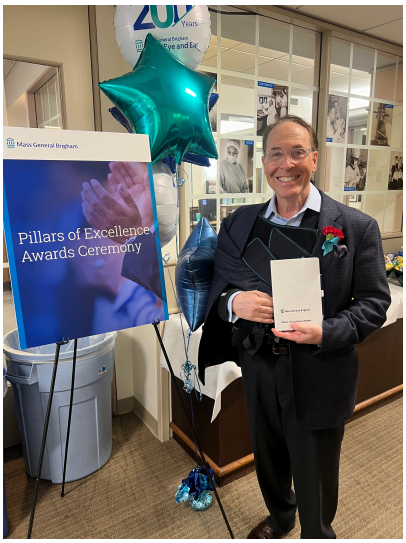


Places: ISOBS Team Around The World!

March 2024

Amongst colleagues, **Dr. Shapiro** was recognized at the **Pillars of Excellence Award Ceremony** hosted by Mass General Brigham!













March 2024

Dr. Steven Young became the **Vice-President** of the **Massachusetts Medical Society**, Suffolk District.







April 2024

Dr. Shapiro was the keynote speaker at the **2024 Annual Meeting** by the **American Society of Dentist Anesthesiologists** in Austin, Texas!




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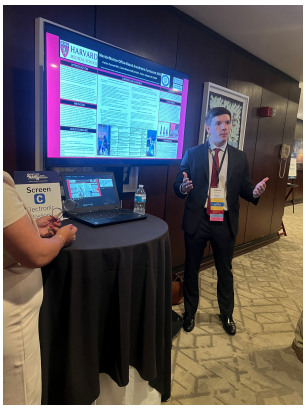


May 2024

Meeting in Savannah, Georgia. Congratulations to all!



Vikranth Chintharedd



Patrick Connell



Dr. Boris Anyama, MD







Austin Skinner






Another Tragic Event:

An **unfortunate** death of a **35-year-old woman** who had a questionable liposuction procedure at a home in Somerville, Massachusetts.

Read the full article here**!**

It's stories like this that continue to propel our mission to improve office-based anesthesia and surgical safety.

Wishing you and your family a Happy Summer! Stay tuned for our next fall/winter issue!
Fred, Rich, & the ISOBS Team