



CPTI Monthly Newsletter

CPTI Mission: To advance the field of community pediatrics through promotion and support of residency training activities that empower future pediatricians to become leaders in improving the health of all children in their communities.

Beginning with this issue, the Community Pediatrics Training Initiative will be sending you monthly newsletters by e-mail with updates on the initiative both on a national and local level, pertinent information from the AAP, and recommendations regarding tools, resources, and publications. In the future, you will be able to reference archived newsletters at: <http://www.aap.org/commpeps/CPTI/>.

- **New CPTI Principal Investigator:** As of October 1, Jeff Kaczorowski, MD began working with the AAP as the interim Principal Investigator for the CPTI. As co-founder of the Pediatric Links with the Community / Child Advocacy Resident Education (PLC/CARE) Program and Associate Professor at the University of Rochester, Dr. Kaczorowski comes to this position with a great deal of experience and is excited about the opportunity to continue moving this initiative forward. Dr. Kaczorowski and the CPTI staff are supported in these efforts by three senior advisors including Tom Tonniges, MD, Phil Nader, MD, and Cal Sia, MD.
- **CPTI PI attends Federation of Pediatric Organizations (FOPO) meeting:** On September 26, Dr. Kaczorowski presented on the CPTI at the FOPO meeting. This meeting provided a venue for communicating information on the initiative to representatives from the pediatric education arena and an opportunity to connect with key partners. In attendance were representatives from the American Board of Pediatrics and the Association for Pediatric Program Directors, who expressed interest in collaborating with the CPTI during the next phase of the initiative.
- **APA and CPTI to co-sponsor Advocacy Training Conference at PAS:** The APA Advocacy Training Special Interest Group and the CPTI were approved to co-sponsor an advocacy training conference on Saturday, April 29, 2006 in San Francisco, CA. Stay tuned for more details.
- **[Anne E. Dyson Child Advocacy Award:](#)** The 2005 Anne E. Dyson Child Advocacy Awards were given to Jonathan Lee-Melk, MD from Maricopa Medical Center Pediatric Residency Program and Paul Mullan, MD from Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Pediatric Residency Program.
- **[Recent Publication on Child Advocacy Training:](#)** Chamberlain LJ, Sanders LM, Takayama JI. Child Advocacy Training: Curriculum Outcomes and Resident Satisfaction. Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine. 2005;159:842:847.
- **2006 CATCH Resident Funds - Call For Proposals Released:** To find out more, please visit: <http://www.aap.org/catch/residentgrants.htm>
- **Call for Resident Stories:** The CPTI is looking for a few residents from your programs that are doing exciting work with community partners and are willing to share their stories. These stories will be featured in the CPTI monthly newsletter and web site, AAP news, a compendium of stories, and/or other venues. For more information or to recommend a resident, please contact: cpti@aap.org.

To find out more information on any of the above, **request a brief submission be included in our newsletter**, or to be removed from this email list, please e-mail cpti@aap.org. We will also be featuring pictures of residents in action in the community and welcome your digital photographs! Please feel free to forward this e-mail to others who might be interested and encourage them to contact us if they would like to receive the monthly newsletter. Thanks!