FACULTY

Jennifer Maniscalco, MD, MPH, FAAP (Conference Director)
Jennifer Maniscalco is a Pediatric Hospitalist at Children’s Hospital Los Angeles (CHLA), and Associate Professor of Clinical Pediatrics at the University of Southern California Keck School of Medicine (USC KSOM). She is the Director of the Pediatric Hospital Medicine Fellowship at CHLA, and the Vice Chair for Education in the Department of Pediatrics at USC KSOM. She received her undergraduate and medical degrees from Georgetown University, as well as a Masters in Public Health from The George Washington University, in Washington, D.C. She completed a general pediatrics residency and pediatric hospital medicine fellowship at Children’s National Medical Center in Washington, D.C. Her primary interest is in medical education, primarily for pediatric residents, pediatric hospital medicine fellows, and practicing pediatric hospitalists. She was the co-editor of the Pediatric Hospital Medicine Core Competencies and is the Immediate Past Chair of the Pediatric Hospital Medicine Education Task Force.

Barrett Fromme, MD, MHPE, FAAP
Barrett Fromme, MD, MHPE, FAAP is an Associate Professor of Pediatrics and a pediatric hospitalist at the University of Chicago, Pritzker School of Medicine, where she is the Director of Pediatric Hospital Medicine. Dr. Fromme has served in undergraduate and graduate medical education roles throughout her career, and she obtained a Master in Health Professions Education in 2009. She is the Director of Faculty Development in Medical Education at the University of Chicago, while also holding numerous leadership roles in the development of medical educators across the UME, GME and CME continuum at the local and national levels. Additionally, she serves as the Associate Program Director for Curriculum in the pediatric residency training program, where she created and leads a resident-as-teachers program both for pediatrics and at the GME level. She has received numerous awards from students and residents for her teaching, and most recently was awarded the PHM Educational Achievement Award. She is currently on the AAP Section on Hospital Medicine Executive Committee.

Matthew Garber, MD, FAAP (SOHM Chairperson-Elect)
Dr. Garber is a Pediatric Hospitalist at Wolfson Children’s Hospital and Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Florida College of Medicine Jacksonville. He is a founding member and medical director of the AAP’s Value in Inpatient Pediatrics (VIP) Network and Chair-Elect of the Section on Hospital Medicine. He received his undergraduate degree from Dartmouth College, his medical degree from the University of South Florida, and completed his pediatric residency training at the University of South Carolina. Dr. Garber’s primary interests include evidence based medicine and decreasing waste and overuse through quality improvement.

Rachel Marek, MD, FAAP
Dr. Marek received her medical degree from the University of Michigan and then completed her residency at Children’s Hospital Los Angeles. For ten years, she worked as a community pediatric hospitalist at Santa Rosa Memorial Hospital acting as medical director for 8 years until she transitioned in July 2016 to Texas Children’s Hospital The Woodlands to become the medical director of the pediatric hospitalist program. Dr. Marek has been very involved with community pediatric hospitalists co-chairing the AAP SOHM Community Hospital Subcommittee with Dr. Jeff Brown from April 2012 – July 2016 and co-organizing the pre-PHM community hospitalist leadership forum for the past three years. She also serves as a member of the leadership team on PHM certification. Dr. Marek currently is an elected member of the AAP SOHM Executive Committee. She has spoken at a number of regional and national conferences and focuses her non-clinical time on advancing community pediatric hospital medicine.

Mary Ottolini, MD, MPH, FAAP
Mary Ottolini, MD, MPH, is the Vice Chair of Education at Children's National. She is the President for the Academic Pediatric Association. Dr. Ottolini is a former Pediatric Hospitalist Medicine Division Chief and works clinically as a Hospitalist. Significant educational achievements include: the Ray Helfer Award for the most
innovative education paper presented at the Pediatric Academic Society meeting in 1997 for developing and evaluating a CD-ROM program to teach residents telephone management; in 2005 for evaluating the effectiveness of a CD-ROM interactive program to teach precepting skills, and in 2013 for a time motion study of pediatric interns. She received the Parker Palmer Courage to Lead Award for her educational leadership role from the ACGME. Dr. Ottolini and the Hospitalist Division have received numerous teaching awards. She has developed a variety of roles for hospitalists in community hospitals, and within the academic medical center. She started the first Hospitalist Medicine Fellowship program nationally. He main academic interests are in educational innovation, especially in linking educational programs to quality outcomes in patients.

Daniel Rauch, MD, FHM, FAAP
Daniel Rauch, MD, is the former chair of the AAP Section on Hospital Medicine and also former chair of the APA Hospital Medicine Special Interest Group (SIG). He is currently the Associate Director of Pediatrics at Elmhurst Hospital Center in Queens, NY and an Associate Professor at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai. He has worked at public hospitals, university hospitals, and a children's hospital. He helped create the national summer PHM conference as well as the PHM Fellows conference. He is the co-editor of "Caring for the Hospitalized Child" and is starting a new book that will be the PHM addition to the AAP "Challenging Cases" series. He is also one of the rotating hosts of 'On Call for Kids' on SiriusXM's Doctor Radio.

Ronald J. Teufel, II, MD, MSCR
Dr. Teufel is currently an Associate Professor of Pediatrics at the Medical University of South Carolina’s Children's Hospital. He is the director of the pediatric hospital medicine section. Dr. Teufel graduated in 2000 from West Virginia University School of Medicine and then completed his internship and residency in internal medicine and pediatrics at MUSC. He subsequently completed an Academic Fellowship in Health Services Research and a Master’s of Science in Clinical Research. He is a health services researcher with experience in the areas of electronic health records, large dataset analysis, pediatric asthma, and evidence based care of hospitalized children. His career goal is to improve care for hospitalized children using his experiences within health services research and quality improvement.

Joel S. Tieder, MD, MPH, FAAP
Joel Tieder is a pediatric hospitalist at Seattle Children’s Hospital and the University of Washington School of Medicine and is recognized as a national leader in quality improvement education and research. He is an Associate Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Washington and the Director of Seattle Children’s Multi-Specialty Maintenance of Certification Program. He is the Vice-Chair of the AAP Committee on Quality Improvement and Patient Safety and the Chair for the AAP Subcommittee on Apparent Life Threatening Events (now called “Brief Resolved Unexplained Events”) which published a new guideline in May 2016. He has led many national research projects aimed to improve the quality of care for children hospitalized with acute gastroenteritis, urinary tract infection, apparent life-threatening events, community-acquired pneumonia, diabetic ketoacidosis, food anaphylaxis, and neonatal sepsis.

Derek Williams, MD, MPH, FAAP
Derek Williams, MD, MPH is an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics in the Division of Hospital Medicine at Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and the Monroe Carell, Jr. Children’s Hospital at Vanderbilt. Dr. Williams completed his pediatric residency training at the University of Virginia in 2008, followed by a fellowship in General Academic Pediatrics and receipt of a Master of Public Health degree from Vanderbilt University School of Medicine in 2010. Dr. Williams has been continuously funded since 2008 with numerous grants and awards from institutional and federal sources, including CDC and NIH. His research program centers on optimizing care delivery and outcomes for children with pneumonia and other acute respiratory illnesses. In recognition of his research achievements and contributions to the field, Dr. Williams was honored with the 2016 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Award for Outstanding Research.

GRADUATED FELLOWS

Megan Cardoso, MD, FAAP
Megan Cardoso is a Pediatric Hospitalist at Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center and an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Tufts School of Medicine in Boston, MA. She completed a 2-year PHM
fellowship at Tufts Medical Center in 2013 and has since pursued a career in hospital administration and leadership. From 2013 – 2016 she was medical director for the Pediatric Inpatient Unit at the tertiary care center which involved leading CPOE implementation, quality improvement and patient safety initiatives, and program development such as the inpatient complex care program. Beginning in May 2016, Megan took on a new position as site director of the hospital medicine division at the largest community site. She has been involved in the PHM fellowship as associate director since 2013, and is now the fellowship program director as of July 2016. Her interests are work-life balance (including her husband and 2 daughters), promoting women in leadership and administration, fellow education, patient safety and QI.

Elizabeth Davis, MD, FAAP
Elizabeth Davis, MD, FAAP is a pediatric hospitalist at The Children's Hospital of San Antonio and an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine. She has been the Associate Fellowship Director of the Pediatric Hospital Medicine Fellowship since 2014. She completed her residency training at the University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio followed by a fellowship in Pediatric Hospital Medicine at Dell Children's Medical Center/UT Southwestern Austin in Austin, TX prior to returning to San Antonio. Her interests are in fellow and resident education and quality improvement projects aimed at reducing variability and overuse.

Norah Emara, MD, FAAP
Norah Emara, MD, FAAP is a pediatric hospitalist at the Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center and an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Tufts University School of Medicine. She completed her 2-year PHM fellowship in June 2016 at The Floating and elected to stay on as the medical director of the expanding complex care program and as an associate fellowship director. Her interests are in resident and fellow education, care of the medically complex patient and population health.

**STAFF**

S. Niccole Alexander, MPP
Niccole Alexander oversees issues related to the hospitalization of children, pediatric hospitalists, orthopaedics/bone health, and transport medicine on behalf of the AAP. Ms. Alexander's professional background includes healthcare strategy consulting and research, health insurance marketing, and adolescent health promotion. She received a Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in Healthcare Administration from the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business and a Master of Public Policy degree with a concentration in Health Policy from the University of Chicago.

Outside of the healthcare arena, Ms. Alexander has published articles on community development in the inner city and directed research projects on behalf of Fortune100 companies.

**FUNDER**

Abbott Nutrition
For more than 85 years, Abbott Nutrition has been developing and marketing science-based nutritional products to support the growth, health and wellness of people of all ages. Internationally recognized brands include the Similac® brand of infant formulas; the Gain® brand of growing-up milks; the PediaSure® brand of complete and balanced nutrition for children; the Ensure® brand of complete and balanced nutrition for adults; and Glucerna® brand of nutrition shakes and bars for people with diabetes.

Abbott Nutrition also offers EAS® specialized products to meet the unique nutritional needs of athletes, as well as ZonePerfect® nutrition bars for busy, active lifestyles.

More information about Abbott Nutrition’s products is available on the web at www.AbbottNutrition.com

Represented by:
Robert Dahms
Manager, Professional Organizations Pediatrics
Abbott Nutrition Health Institute