



By Physicians, For Physicians

To All Shore Quality Partners Members,

We continue to work with Horizon to finalize the Shared Savings we received for 2014. A communication piece with details and the bonus distribution mechanism is be coming soon. You will receive this notification via email and mail, and we will host an event to distribute the checks, date TBD. Below are some of our newest and most exciting updates.

If you would like to feature content in the newsletter regarding services or announcements in your practice please email them to info@shorequalitypartners.com.

Welcome New Physicians to Shore Quality Partners: Please join us in welcoming the newest additions to the Shore Quality Partners Network. SQP currently has 230 participating providers, representing 35 specialties in Atlantic and Cape May counties. This tremendous growth and support proves the value of physician partnership and clinical integration. You can find the current roster at any time on our website, http://shorequalitypartners.com/physicians/.

Primary Care:

Helene Loubeau, Shore Physicians Group, 2015 Pacific Ave, Atlantic City (609) 428-4500

• Board certified in Family Medicine, Dr. Loubeau is also a Geriatric and Aesthetics Fellow. Dr. Loubeau provides care to all ages, with a special passion in caring for people with diabetes, high blood pressure, and much more. She is fluent in French, Creole, Spanish, and English. Dr. Loubeau is also an advocate for health and wellness in the South Jersey Haitian population.

Charles Roche, Shore Physicians Group, 1645 Haven Ave, Suite C, Ocean City (609) 399-6263

 Board certified in Internal Medicine, Charles Roche, MD is a graduate of Jefferson Medical College and has served as a hospitalist in several healthcare organizations nationwide, including the Straub Clinic and Hospital in Hawaii and Christiana Medical Group in Delaware. Dr. Roche previously was Medical Director of Shore's Hospitalist Program, and is now seeing patients on an outpatient basis in Ocean City, at the former practice of Dr. Charles Dunn.

Neurosurgery:

Francis Kralick, Shore Physicians Group, 2605 Shore Road, Northfield (609) 365-5300

• Francis Kralick, D.O., F.A.C.O.S, comes to Shore Physicians Group from Hahnemann University Hospital in Philadelphia, where he has practiced since 2002 and served as chief of the Department of Neurosurgery and Director of Complex Spinal Surgery. Dr. Kralick is an expert in performing complex, minimally invasive brain and spine surgery with endoscopic and microsurgery techniques. Conditions he treats include degenerative disease of the spine, spine and brain tumors, cerebrospinal fluid anomalies, hydrocephalus, normal pressure hydrocephalus, Chiari malformations and neurosurgical oncology.

OB/GYN:

Salvatore Carfagno, Advanced Care OB GYN, 2106 New Rd Ste D10, Linwood (609) 927-2244

Dr. Carfagno, DO, FACOOG has been practicing for over 20 years specializing in high risk Obstetrics & Gynecology. His practice, Advanced Care OB GYN, has offices in Absecon, Linwood and Marmora.

Pulmonology:

Manuel Cunanan, Shore Physicians Group, 18 West New York Ave, Somers Point (609) 926-1450

Shore Physicians Group's Pulmonary and Sleep Medicine division recently welcomed Manual S. Cunanan, M.D., to its team of specialists. Dr. Cunanan completed his residency in Internal Medicine at Brown University/Alpert School of Medicine at the Memorial Hospital of Rhode Island in Pawtucket. He completed his Fellowship in Pulmonary Critical Care at Temple University in Philadelphia, PA. He is Board Certified in Internal Medicine, and board eligible with the American Board of Internal Medicine in Pulmonary Disease and Critical Care.

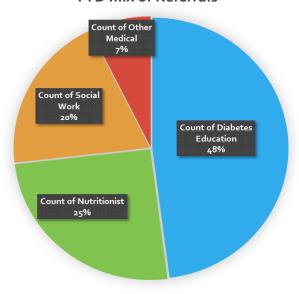
Sports Medicine:

Brian Sokalsky, Jersey Shore Sports Medicine, 801-A Central Ave, Ocean City (609) 545-8533

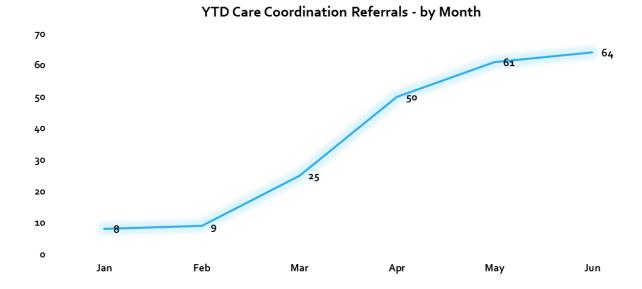
Dr. Brian Sokalsky is a Primary Care Sports Medicine physician and owner of Jersey Shore Sports Medicine in Ocean City. He treats the full spectrum of musculoskeletal injuries with a variety of nonsurgical treatment options, including corticosteroid injections, viscosupplement injections, platelet rich plasma therapy and acupuncture. He also has a medical weight loss program. He is a local product, graduating from Atlantic City High School, Rutgers University and Rowan School of Osteopathic Medicine before returning home permanently after fellowship.

Care Coordination Team Update:

YTD Mix of Referrals



The Care Coordination Team continues to provide exceptional care to your SQP referred patients. Referrals to the team have been steadily increasing over the months. Thank you for utilizing these value added SQP resources to improve quality and cost-effectiveness of patient care. Services to your SQP patients include: Diabetes Education, Nutrition Consults, Social Work Services, and Expedited Patient Scheduling. To refer an SQP patient to the Care Coordination Team, please fax the referral form located on our website, and make sure to include the patient's medical history, medication list, and most recent blood work results. http://shorequalitypartners.com/



Free Training Available to Staff: Through a grant with Atlantic Cape Community College, SQP is able to provide free training classes to SQP providers and staff members. To register for any of the below classes, please call Laura Mateer, Provider Relations, at (609) 653-3500 x 2405.

- ICD-10: 9/15 or 9/17 from 5-8pm at Shore Medical Center, DiOrio Hall
 This program will provide a brief review and of the ICD-10 system and will compare it to previous coding procedures.
- Pharmacology: 10/6 or 10/8 from 5-8pm at Shore Medical Center, DiOrio Hall
 This basic pharmacology course for customer service representatives provides the foundation
 for understanding major categories of drugs and differentiating among various major types.
 Instruction will cover generic and trade names, indications, common adverse effects, and typical
 adult and pediatric dosages.
- Understanding Insurance: 10/13 or 10/15 5-8pm at Shore Medical Center, DiOrio Hall
 The Understanding Insurance portion has been customized primarily for those who need to
 better understand the various types of health insurance. In their daily interactions with patients,
 employees must have a basic knowledge of types of coverage, understand the difference
 between inside and outside of plan's network of doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, and understand
 the Healthcare Reform Law.

Featured Clinical Service, Shore Osteoporosis Center: If you would like to feature content in the newsletter regarding services or announcements in your practice please email them to info@shorequalitypartners.com.

Dear Colleagues,

It is with great excitement that we plan to embark on a new service line for our local medical community,

The Shore Osteoporosis Center. We will begin seeing patients at the center in August. We would welcome you to make referrals to the center. Through your referral, we hope to identify and provide treatment recommendations for patients over age 50 years who have sustained a fracture or who are at risk for fracture due to low bone density. You can be assured that we will provide communication to the referring and primary physician regarding the care and advice provided to these patients.

How can we help you and your patients? We:

- Respond to your patients' first fracture and help prevent a second one
- Work with patients who are at risk for compromised bone quality or increased risk of fractures to help prevent fractures
- Provide early intervention to improve your patients' quality of life and clinical outcomes
- Work with acute care, urgent care and other health care providers to offer secondary fracture prevention and screening

Who should you refer? Your patient should:

- Be 50 years of age or older and have a low-trauma fracture
- Have a history of medical conditions affecting bone quality
- Have a history of fracture-contributing medical conditions compromising bone quality

For more information or to refer a patient, call (609) 365-6212

Sincerely,

Linda Brecher, DO Marybeth Beaver, ANPC

Urgent Care: To reduce high cost unnecessary ER visits, please educate your patients to utilize SQP Urgent Care Centers vs the ER for non-life threatening conditions. Locations and hours are as follows:

Medical One Urgent Care

Brigantine: 4248 Harbour Beach Blvd

Monday-Friday 9am-7pm Saturday & Sunday 9am-5pm

Shore Urgent Care

Northfield: 2605 Shore Road Monday-Friday 10am–8pm Saturday & Sunday 9am–5pm **Shore Urgent Care**

Mays Landing: 5401 Harding Highway

Monday-Friday 12pm-8pm Saturday & Sunday 9am-5pm

Shore Urgent Care

Atlantic City: 2015 Pacific Ave Monday-Friday 9am–8pm Saturday & Sunday 9am–5pm

With Best Regards,

Steven P. Nachtigall, M.D.

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Chairperson on behalf of the Board of Directors of SQP