

Beaumont Physician Partners

Engaging and supporting Beaumont doctors



Dear colleagues,

Happy Valentine's Day! I hope this bulletin finds you safe and warm after the weather we have been having.

Last week, the Physician Pulse Survey went live. This is a shortened questionnaire to gauge the progress we have made in the last year since the 2017 Physician Engagement Survey. If you haven't already completed it, please find the link from surveys@advisoryboard.com in your beaumont.org email box. The link was sent on Feb. 4 and 11 and will be resent on Feb. 18 and 25 to all physicians who have not yet completed the survey. We appreciate your anonymous feedback.

This week, there are a few items I want to tell you about:

- Beaumont's 2019-21 strategic framework plan
- BPLA class of 2019 underway
- spring mindfulness opportunities for physicians
- LGBTQ health issues area of interest on your physician profile
- update your Nuance Critical Results Imaging Communication preferences

With the help of physicians, patients, families and our communities, Beaumont has developed a **Three-Year Strategic Plan** with the goal of growing the number of people who look to Beaumont for care by 10 percent. We will achieve this by embracing patient and family-centered care and continuing our commitment to quality and patient safety. At the December CEO Forum, the plan was rolled out. There are six pillars to this plan that are paramount to achieving our goal. Please familiarize yourself with [the strategic framework](#). In upcoming issues of this bulletin, I will cover each pillar and role of physicians in furthering each one as part of the plan

The **Beaumont Physician Leadership Academy class of 2019** is underway! This year's class features 26 talented physicians from a wide range of specialties. Take a look at [class of 2019](#). For more information on the amazing program, visit the [BPLA page](#) on the [provider website](#).



Beginning in April, the **Beaumont Center for Mindfulness** is hosting a variety of classes, workshops and retreats for physicians. Topics include stress reduction, meditation, self-compassion and more. Please review the [Spring Mindfulness flyer](#) for all necessary information. As busy physicians, we can all benefit from taking some time to learn how to better handle our stress.

Would you like the **LGBTQ community to know you have an interest in helping its patients' needs**? If so, please complete [this form](#) with your information. If you do, your Find a Doctor profile on beaumont.org will be updated to include this area of interest.

It can be referenced by Physician Referral Services upon LGBTQ patient requests, as well as by LGBTQ individuals seeking such physicians who call into the referral line or who input the search term "LGBTQ."

On a final note, if you are a physician from Dearborn, Taylor, Trenton or Wayne, you can ensure that significant Diagnostic Imaging exam results are delivered efficiently for the tests you order. Update your imaging **communication preferences** for the **Nuance application Critical Results**, which was rebranded as Actionable Findings. For more information, please visit the [IT News & Updates website](#) and review this [IT bulletin](#). You can also fill out [this form](#) and fax or email it back to change your preferences.

I'm happy to hear so many of you are finding this communication useful. As always, please let me know if you have any questions or suggestions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David P. Walters MHA". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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