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Dr. Sneed's Blog

Dr. Peter Sneed, current Northern Michigan HealthCare Network (NMHN) President, is now writing a regular blog for you and your providers regarding the changing world of healthcare. This blog is available on the home page of the NPO website at <http://www.npoinc.org/2015/03/dr-sneeds-blog-2/>. Please take a minute to read the blog and please ask your physicians to do so too. There is a spot for comments so please feel free to

share your thoughts, including what you would like to see covered in future blogs!



I'm so hoppy!

And we bet that

MICHELLE ANDERSON

**of Grand Traverse Internists will be too, when she receives her \$50
Downtown Gift Certificate for correctly answering our last Movie
Trivia Question!**

**Don't be left out in the field... there are still *THREE MORE
CHANCES!***



Eh...what's up, Doc?

A movie destined to be a classic, with this ensemble cast:

**Jessica Paquette, DO
Jill Volbrecht, MD
and Kevin DeBruyn, LMSW**

"Population Management: Using a Registry"

This epic trilogy explores utilizing a registry in 3 vital areas of patient care.

The next few Trivia Questions will be based on the separate parts of the trilogy. We will share the times that the individual performances begin within the video.

Today's Question is relative to Dr. Paquette's performance in the film, which is the first 17 minutes of the trilogy.

[CLICK HERE](#)

After watching Dr. Paquette's role in the film, please send an email to Bryanna at bpataky@npoinc.org with your answer to this question:

"How does Dr. Paquette use the data from The Registry?"

All correct answers received before April 7th will be entered in a drawing for a \$50 downtown gift certificate good for the winner's choice of Traverse City, Manistee, or Petoskey!



Hello "Spill the Beans!"

We want to let you all know about some important dates coming up within the next month. April 16th, 2015 is National Healthcare Decisions Day and the Advance Care Planning Department at Munson has some "Spill the Beans" sessions in honor of this important

day. Please share this with all our friends, family members, neighbors, co-workers and strangers. This is a great opportunity to remove future burdens when "life" happens. [Click here for the flyer](#), and the events are listed below.

The following events are scheduled:

Tuesday April 14th, 5:30-7pm at MMC basement conference room 1-3 (pre-register for this event at 935-9265)

Thursday April 16th, 4-5:30pm at the Traverse Area District Library Thirlby Room on the 2nd floor

Thursday April 30th, 9-10am at the Crawford County Senior Center, Grayling

Thursday, April 30th, 12:20-1:30pm at the Roscommon Senior Center, Roscommon



Member Connections

EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Closure of Sleep Specialists office has left the following available:

Veterinary Scale . 400lbs flat	\$175.00
Adult BP Cuff	\$ 10.00
File Cabinets - 72" x 35" 7 beige, 2 black	\$ 20.00 each
72" x 46" 1 beige	\$ 25.00
Exam Gloves Medium - 7-7.5 6 boxes of 200	\$ 40.00
ThinkCentre computer processor w/keyboard & monitor	\$180.00

If interested, please email moenrabish@gmail.com

Medical Assistant needed: Small, friendly, growing Family Medicine office looking for Medical Assistant. Must be good with computers and willing to help in all areas of the practice. Starting at 20-24 hrs/wk, developing to 35-40 later in the year. If you enjoy interacting with patients, are creative in getting around obstacles, love working with coworkers on; increasing quality and efficiency of care and patient satisfaction, then Send resume to YourHealth Family Medicine 6176 US Hwy 31S, Grawn, MI 49637.

For more information email: yourhealth@yourhealthmed.com

The Walk-In Clinic is currently seeking an energetic and enthusiastic part-time Physician Assistant. Must have exceptional bedside manner and clinical skills. Qualified candidates will have 1-3 years experience as a PA with demonstration of quality care in an urgent care and/or family practice. Experience using an EHR (eClinicalworks preferred) and MS office expected. Formal Physician Assistant training from an accredited program with NCCPA certification. Please send letter of interest and CV to resumesfortwicorp@h@gmail.com.

Mid-level provider (PA or NP) wanted for small Family Practice office. Part-time, 24 hours/week. 2 days/week of patient care including acute visits and Medicare Annual Wellness visits plus 1 day/week Pay for Performance Program and Patient Centered Medical Home Initiatives. eClinical Works EMR experience preferred but will train the right person. Our patients appreciate quality care provided in a small office. Benefits include paid

vacation, holidays and CME allowance as well as 401K IRA. Please see our website for practice information cherrybendfamilycare.com. Email letter of interest and resume to madiganl@msu.edu or fax to 231.929.7934.

PART TIME MEDICAL ASSISTANT JOB OPPORTUNITY Northern Pines Health Center, P.C. is currently seeking a part-time Medical Office Assistant. Familiarity with medical terminology preferred. Excellent computer skills are a must. Qualified candidates will possess strong organizational and communication skills.

Qualified applicants should email their resume to:

keishasexton@northernpineshealthcenter.com

(Visit Our Website: www.northernpineshealthcenter.com)

Northern Vision Eye Care is seeking an experienced medical biller to work up to 32 hours a week (Monday through Thursday) to assist our part time medical biller. Candidate must possess current medical billing knowledge, and an extensive working knowledge of insurance companies. Duties will include medical and optical coding, billing, posting, and working insurance rejections. Must possess good customer service skills to deal with patient insurance and billing questions.

* We are also seeking a full time ophthalmic technician. Prior experience preferred, but will train the right person. Strong science/medical background a plus.

All cover letters and resumes may be faxed, emailed or mailed to:

Office Manager

Northern Vision Eye Care

4033 Eastern Sky Drive

Traverse City, MI 49684

Fax: 231-932-9156

Email: kerri@nvec.biz

Medical Assistant Back with some Front Office Duties as well.

Northshore Rehab PLLC

PART TIME (2-4 days per week) medical office position available for an individual who is able to multi-task between the front office clerical duties as well as back office clinical duties. Responsibilities to include the following: rooming patients, taking vitals, entering pertinent patient medical history/medications into the EMR. Check patients in/out, scanning documents into the EMR, answering the phones, making appointments. This position requires knowledge of the medical office and medical terminology. Previous medical office experience a plus.

Please send resume to jobapplicant901@gmail.com or fax to 231-947-5094

Bay View Obstetrics & Gynecology -

Position available for a Medical Assistant:

Medical Assistant/Nurse

30-40 hours per week, full time benefits, working with a physician in 5 physician OB/GYN practice.

Please submit resume' and cover letter to:

Julie Hopkins, Practice Manager

Bay View Obstetrics & Gynecology, P.C.

560 West Mitchell St., Suite 210

Petoskey, MI. 49770

Office Phone: 231-487-2340

Fax: 231-487-2115

Email: jhopkins@bayviewob.com

Internal Medicine of Northern Michigan is looking for full and part time MAs to join our clinical team! CMA, RMA or LPN required, EMR experience preferred. Also seeking part time Medical Technologist. Requires ASCP or equivalent certification, completion of an accredited MT/MLT program and 1-3 years clinical laboratory experience. Must have excellent communication, problem solving and phlebotomy skills. Professional environment, competitive salary, M-F, no weekends or holidays. Inquiries can be sent to rfarrell@imnm.net.

MEDICAL ASSISTANT OPPORTUNITY - Family Physician Office expanding medical team. [Click here for info.](#)

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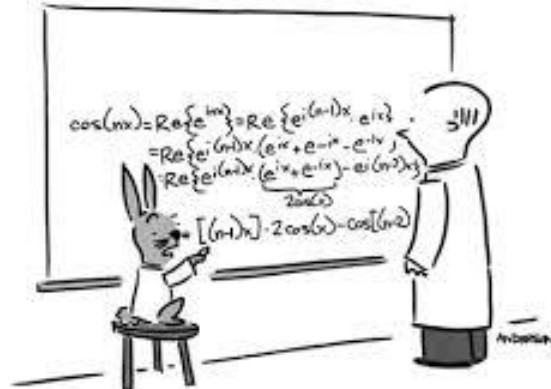
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"What, you thought I could only multiply?"



**Weird Bunny Facts**

The average heart rate of a rabbit ranges between 130-325 beats per minute.

Rabbits have 28 teeth and they never stop growing.

Rabbits can jump up to 36 inches or higher.

Rabbits can reach speeds up to 40 mph.

The World's Largest Rabbit named "Darius" weighs approximately 50 pounds and is currently 4 feet, 3 inches. Although this might sound unbelievable, "Darius" is indeed a real rabbit that currently lives with its owner Annette Edwards from the UK, It has been reported that Darius thinks he is a dog. Darius is currently insured for around \$1.6/million and has his own personal caretaker aka body guard. (Who wants to mess with a 50 pound rabbit, anyway?)

***"I like dead end signs. They have the decency to tell you that yer goin' nowhere."***  
**- Bugs Bunny**

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