



# Center for Clinical Management Research Quarterly Accomplishments Newsletter

Accomplishments and Impacts

October-December 2016

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Awards and Honors



## Congratulations to John Piette

Recipient of the Daniel Deykin Outstanding Mentor Award by the national VA HSR&D office for outstanding dedication and skill in mentoring the next generation of VA HSR&D researchers.





## Congratulations to Hallie Prescott

Recipient of the 2017 Joe Rae Wright for Outstanding Science which recognizes demonstrated potential for significant achievement and contributions. Hallie was also named the first Lowry-Fink Fellow for the International Sepsis Forum (ISF). ISF is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving sepsis diagnosis and treatment.



- Vineet Chopra received IHPI's Impact Accelerator Award for early career researchers, and Sanjay Saint received one of two IHPI Impact Accelerator Awards for senior faculty.
- Ken Langa and John Piette have joined the IHPI Leadership Team.



### In the News

**JAMA Internal Medicine**

## Why doctors order scans for lower back pain when they probably won't help

Authors: Erika D. Sears, Tanner J. Caverly, Jeffrey T. Kullgren, Angie Fagerlin, Brian J. Zikmund-Fisher, Katherine Prenovost, Eve A. Kerr

UMHS Press Release and 8 other outlets  
October 28, 2016





## Can opioid overdose prevention take a lesson from stroke prevention?

Authors: Pooja Lagisetty, Michele Heisler, Amy Bohnert

UMHS Press Release  
October 28, 2016



## Caring for Veterans: a privilege and a duty

Author: Sanjay Saint

UMHS Press Release  
November 11, 2016



### • Additional News Items

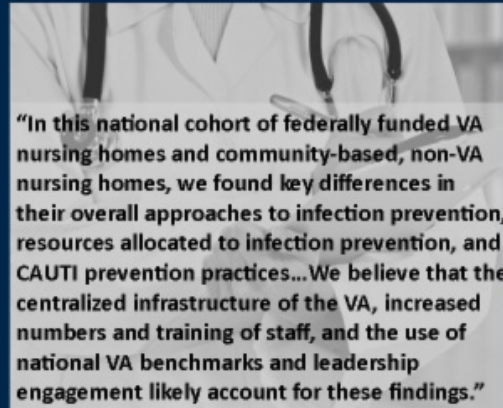
- Vineet Chopra, Sarah Krein, Sanjay Saint, Lillian Min. October 2016. [CDC taps Mody and other U-M researchers for major effort to fight "superbug" bacteria](#) in UMHS press release.
- Lauren P. Wallner, Paul Abrahamse, Jaspreet K. Uppal, Christopher R. Friese, Ann S. Hamilton, Kevin C. Ward, Steven J. Katz, Sarah T. Hawley. October 2016. [One-third of breast cancer patients consult PCPs about treatment options](#). Later cited in [The ASCO Post](#), [Physician's Briefing](#), [Doctors Lounge](#), [Physician's Weekly](#), [Health Medicinet](#), [MedicalXpress](#), [EurekAlert!](#), [Medscape](#), [FOX News](#), Channel NewsAsia, [Business Insider](#), [Yahoo! News](#), [Yahoo! News India](#), and [Philly.com](#).
- Shashank S. Sinha, Devraj Sukul, John J. Lazarus, Vivek Polavarapu, Paul S. Chan, Robert W. Neumar, Brahmajee K. Nallamothu. October 2016. [Stopped hearts need more research to start: U-M team highlights lack of cardiac arrest studies](#). Later cited in [Health Medicinet](#), [Medindia](#), [MedicalXpress](#), [EurekAlert!](#), and [MedPage Today](#).

- Christopher M. Petrilli, Lauren Heidemann, Megan Mack, Paul Durance, **Vineet Chopra**. November 2016. [A lot of blood, for no reason? U-M team concludes that common, costly clot test has few benefits](#). Later cited in [Infection Control Today](#), [Healthcare IT News](#), [Doctors Lounge](#), [Physician's Briefing](#), [M 3 Medical](#), [Technology.org](#), [Genomeweb](#), [Managed Care Magazine](#), [Stat News](#), [Science Daily](#), [MedicalXpress](#), [Health Medicinet](#), [Newswise](#), and [EurekAlert!](#).
- **Anne Sales**. November 2016. [Getting stroke treatments to people earlier to prevent debilitating outcomes](#) in UMHS press release.
- John M. Hollingsworth, Russell J. Funk, Spencer A. Garrison, Jason Owen-Smith, Samuel A. Kaufman, Francis D. Pagani, **Brahmajee K. Nallamothu**. November 2016. [Social networking by doctors may save patients' lives, U-M study suggests](#). Later cited in [Becker's Hospital Review](#), [Insurance News Net](#), [Medscape](#), [MedIndia](#), [Futurity](#), [Physician's Briefing](#), [Health Medicinet](#), [The Medical News](#), [MedPage Today](#), [MedicalXpress](#), [Science Daily](#), [Newswise](#), and [EurekAlert!](#).
- **Michele Heisler**. November 2016. [Patients with a 'medical home' more likely to take their meds](#). Later cited in [Doctors Lounge](#), [Physician's Briefing](#), [Health Medicinet](#), [Channel NewsAsia](#), [Business Insider](#), [Yahoo! News](#), [Philly.com](#), [FOX News](#), and [Medscape](#).
- **Kenneth M. Langa**, Eric B. Larson, Eileen M. Crimmins, Jessica D. Faul, **Deborah A. Levine**, Mohammed U. Kabeto, David R. Weir. November 2016. [U.S. dementia rates are dropping even as population ages](#). Later cited in [MSN](#), [Huffington Post](#), [Becker's Hospital Review](#), [BBC News](#), [Interlochen Public Radio](#), [NPR](#), [Scientific American](#), [CNN News](#), [International Business Times \(UK\)](#), [PBS NewsHour](#), [Washington Post](#), [Kaiser Health News](#), [USA Today](#), [New York Times](#), [Forbes](#), and [106 other outlets](#).
- Elizabeth Scruggs, Timothy C. Guetterman, Anna C. Meyer, Jamie VanArtsdalen, **Michele Heisler**. November 2016. [For refugees seeking asylum, medical exams are in short supply](#). Later cited in [Futurity](#), [MedicalXpress](#), [Health Medicinet](#), [Newswise](#) and [EurekAlert!](#).
- **Donovan Maust, Helen Kales**. December 2016. [Medicating Distress](#). Later cited in [Medscape](#) and [Pharmacy News](#).
- **Jeremy Sussman**. December 2016. [You're 'prediabetic'? Join the club](#) in The New York Times.
- **Akbar Waljee**. December 2016. [A step closer to precision treatments for chronic liver disease](#) in UMHS press release.



## Featured Publications

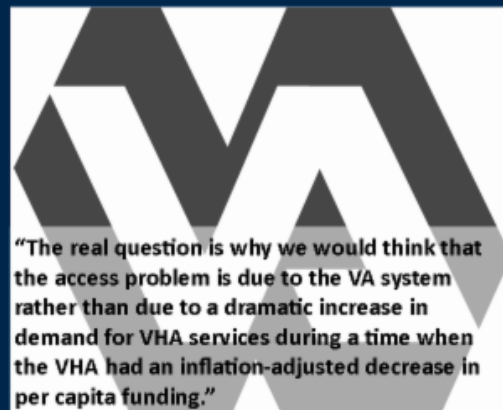
## Comparing catheter-associated urinary tract infection prevention programs between Veterans Affairs nursing homes and non-Veterans Affairs nursing homes



Mody L, Greene MT, Saint S, Meddings J, Trautner BW, Wald HL, Crnich C, Banaszak-Holl J, McNamara SE, King BJ, Hogikyan R, Edson BS, Krein SL. Comparing catheter-associated urinary tract infection prevention programs between Veterans Affairs nursing homes and non-Veterans Affairs nursing homes. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol.* 2016 Dec 5.



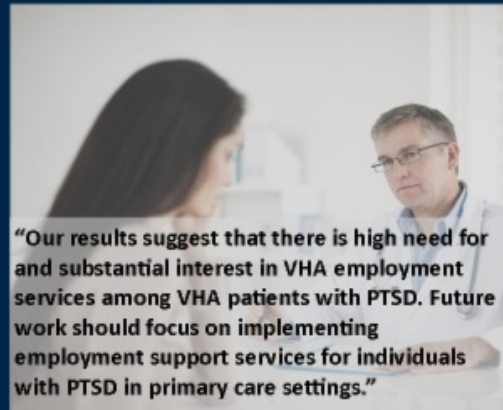
## Lessons from the rise –and fall?– of VA healthcare



Hayward RA. Lessons from the rise –and fall?– of VA healthcare. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2016 Dec 13.



## Occupational functioning and employment services use among VA primary care patients with posttraumatic stress disorder

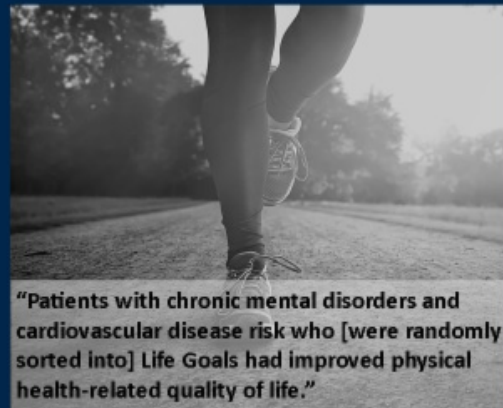


**“Our results suggest that there is high need for and substantial interest in VHA employment services among VHA patients with PTSD. Future work should focus on implementing employment support services for individuals with PTSD in primary care settings.”**

Sripada RK, Henry J, Yosef M, Levine DS, Bohnert KM, Miller E, Zivin K. Occupational functioning and employment services use among VA primary care patients with posttraumatic stress disorder. *Psychol Trauma*. 2016 Dec 12.



## Improving physical health in patients with chronic mental disorders: twelve-month results from a randomized controlled collaborative care trial



**“Patients with chronic mental disorders and cardiovascular disease risk who [were randomly sorted into] Life Goals had improved physical health-related quality of life.”**

Kilbourne AM, Barbaresso MM, Lai Z, Nord KM, Bramlet M, Goodrich DE, Post EP, Almirall D, Bauer MS. Improving physical health in patients with chronic mental disorders: twelve-month results from a randomized controlled collaborative care trial. 2016 Oct 25.



## CCMR Publications

See the complete list of publications from [January to December 2016](#).

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