Tim Baker, PhD presented key findings from the Clinical Practice Guideline 2008 Update during a symposium at the 20th Annual Association for Psychological Science Convention in Chicago, IL, on May 25, 2008.

Mike Fiore, MD presented at the national release of the United States PHS Clinical Practice Guideline 2008 Update-Treating Tobacco Use and Dependence at the AMA National Headquarters in Chicago, IL on May 7, 2008.

Mae Hla, MD presented a poster “Long term Effects of a Primary Care Faculty Development Program on Professional and Academic Outcomes of Graduates” at the Society of General Internal Medicine 31st Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, April, 2008.

Mae Hla, MD presented a poster “Stuck on U: An Unusual Case of Ureteric Obstruction” at the Society of General Internal Medicine 31st Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, April, 2008.


Mike Fiore, MD presented “We can Move the Mountain” at Meriter Hospital Grand Rounds in Madison, WI, on April 25, 2008.

The UW-CTRI held five “Days of Learning” in Wisconsin based on the US PHS Clinical Practice Guideline 2008 Update-Treating Tobacco Use and Dependence. These half day conferences were held in Middleton (May 21st), Wausau (May 28th), Appleton (June 3rd), Eau Claire (June 10th), and Milwaukee (June 18th). UW-CTRI speakers included: Mike Fiore, Bruce Christiansen, and Kate Kobinsky. Fifty to one hundred clinicians attended each of the five events.

Mae Hla, MD presented “EBM-Diagnostic Tests” at the Primary Care Faculty Development Program Fellowship Workshop, UW School of Medicine and Public Health, The Pyle Center, Madison, WI, February 2008.

Mae Hla, MD presented “Longitudinal Association of Sleep-Disordered Breathing and Systolic BP Non-dipping in the Wisconsin Sleep Cohort Study” at the Department of Population Health Sciences Poster Day, Madison, WI, March 31, 2008.

Norman Jensen, MD presented “Malpractice and doctor-patient communication” at Moundview Memorial Hospital, in Adams, WI, January 14, 2008.

Linda Baier Manwell, MS presented an educational poster entitled, “Mini Residencies on Women’s Health Care for Veterans Health Administration Primary Care Providers” at the UW School of Medicine and Public Health’s Academic Staff Poster Showcase, April 23, 2008.
Linda Baier Manwell, MS presented two research posters entitled, “Effects of Caring for Difficult Patients: Data from the MEMO (Minimizing Error, Maximizing Outcome) Study” and “Open Access Scheduling: Impact on Physicians and Patients” at the Academic Staff Poster Showcase, April 23, 2008.

Laura Thibodeau, RN, MSN presented two research posters entitled, “Construct Validity of a Simple Telephone-Administered 30-Day Adherence Item” and “ART Adherence and Service Utilization among HIV+ Patients Recently Released from Prison” at the Academic Staff Poster Showcase, April 23, 2008.

The Academic Staff Poster Showcase was sponsored by the Committee on Academic Staff Issues (CASI) and funded by the Dean’s Leadership Team. Linda Baier Manwell, M.S., is the CASI Chair.

Elaine Rosenblatt, MSN, FNP-BC, CTH presented “The Adventure of Travel Medicine” at the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin’s Educational Conference on April 23, 2008.

Elaine Rosenblatt, MSN, FNP-BC, CTH presented “The Art of Travel Medicine” at the University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN, on May 8, 2008.

Stevens Smith, PhD presented “Tobacco Dependence Treatment” at the Wisconsin Psychological Association 2008 Convention, Middleton, WI, on April 18, 2008.


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**Book Chapters**


**Workshops**

Khin Mae Hla, MD facilitated “Introduction to Evidence-Based Medicine.” Primary Care Faculty Development Program Fellowship Workshop, UW School of Medicine and Public Health, The Pyle Center, Madison, WI, November 2007.

Khin Mae Hla, MD facilitated “Asking Answerable Clinical Questions.” Primary Care Faculty Development Program Fellowship Workshop, UW School of Medicine and Public Health, The Pyle Center, Madison, WI, November 2007.

Khin Mae Hla, MD was a facilitator for “EBM-Diagnostic Tests,” at the Primary Care Faculty Development Program Fellowship Workshop, School of Medicine and Public Health, The Pyle Center, Madison, WI, February 2008.

**Grants**


**DO:It Research Day, May 28, 2008**

Megan Piper, PhD won First Prize for her poster “Mediators of Bupropion Treatment Effects for Smoking Cessation.” (Tim Baker, PhD, Mentor/Senior Author)

James Sosman, MD won Second Prize for his poster entitled, “Physician Barriers to Implementing Routine HIV Testing in Primary Care Settings: A Qualitative Analysis.”

Khin Mae Hla, MD won Third Prize for her poster “Longitudinal Association of Sleep-Disordered Breathing and Non-dipping of Nocturnal Blood Pressure in the Wisconsin Sleep Cohort Study.”

**Way to go everyone!!!!**

**Media Interview**

Dr. Mark Linzer was quoted in the June 17, 2008 New York Times article by Sandeep Jauhar, M.D., “Eyes Bloodshot, Doctors Vent Their Discontent.”

“It will take real structural change in the work environment for physician satisfaction to improve,” Dr. Mark Linzer, an internist at the University of Wisconsin who has done extensive research on physician unhappiness, told me. “Fortunately the data show that physicians are willing to put up with a lot before giving up.”
Khin Mae Hla, MD has had three manuscripts published this year…


Winning poster, Megan Piper, PhD, et al.
Winning poster, Jim Sosman, MD, et al.

Winning poster, Khin Mae Hla, MD, et al.
Also presenting: David Feldstein, MD, et al.

Mae Hla, MD, et al.
Betsy Trowbridge, MD & Joan Addington-White, MD, et al.
Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, April 9-12, 2008

Linda Baier Manwell

Andy Warhol Bridge

Jim Sosman

Briar Duffy and Shobhina Chheda