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**Actions:** None this week!

## CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE HOT TOPICS

**San Francisco Center of Excellence Primary Care Education**  
*Program Trainees One of 3 Award Winners in the*  
**2011-12 UCSF Quality and Safety Innovation Challenges at**  
**UC San Francisco, Department of Medicine Quality and Safety Symposium**

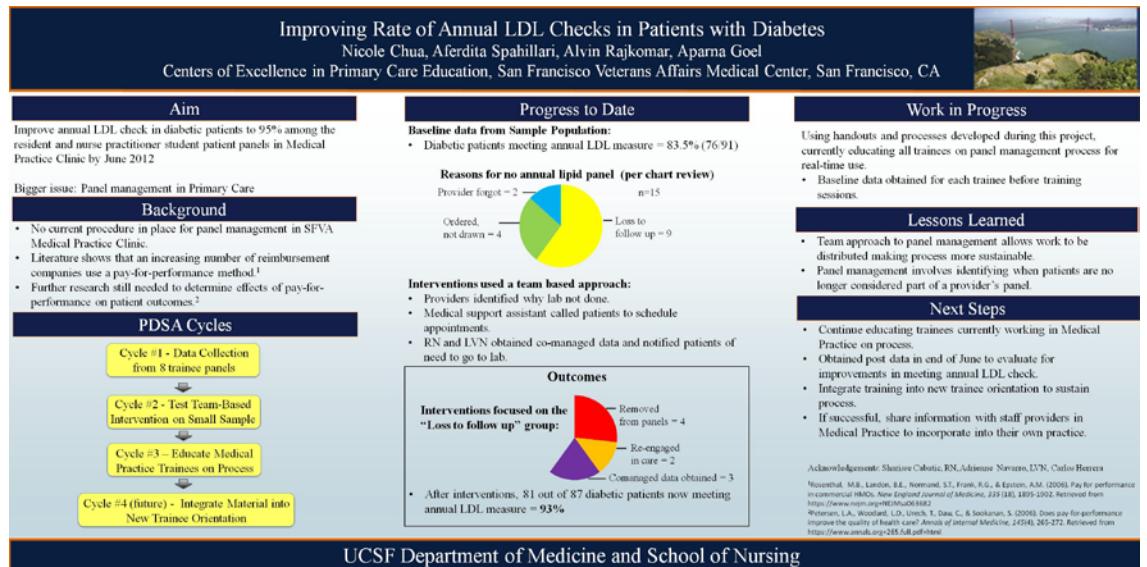
**Congratulations to:**

**Nicole Chua, Aferdita Spahillari, Alvin Rajkomar, Aparna Goel from**  
**UCSF Department of Medicine and School of Nursing**

**for:**

**“Improving Rate of Annual LDL Checks In Patients with Diabetes”**

Poster Available on the [CoEPCE Sharepoint Drive](#) (Quality Improvement-San Francisco)  
2012 information not yet posted but you can view information about the June 2011 Quality & Safety Symposium Information [here](#).



## VA Puget Sound and Boise Lessons Learned

The Seattle and Boise VA Centers of Excellence Primary Care Education: Lessons Learned from the **AAMC GRA Meeting** in April are now available on the CoePCE Sharepoint Drive in the [Scholarly Activities/Cross-Site Presentations folder](#).

## VA Centers of Excellence in Primary Care Education: Lessons Learned Year 1 VA Puget Sound and Boise

**AAMC GRA Meeting**  
**April 30, 2012**

Joyce Wipf, MD, VA PS COE Director  
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## Tools You Can Use!

[Patient Centered Medical Home Resource Center AHRQ](#)

## News You Can Use!

Direct Primary Care: A New Option for the Uninsured, May 2012 [NPR](#)

## Articles of Interest

The Year in Federal Medicine – Outlook 2012 is now available at [U.S. Medicine](#)

The [May 2012 VA Health Economics Bulletin](#) is available from VA Health Services Research & Development Resource Center

Serving Those Who Have Served: Educational Needs of HealthCare Providers Working with Military Members, Veterans and Their Families [Web Based Survey Report](#) through Office of Rural Health

## Call for Papers

[Call for Papers](#) for Health Services Research Special Issue on Mixed Methods in Healthcare Delivery Systems Research Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality Deadline October 15

Patient Centered Care Evaluation Centers: [Call for Concept Papers](#) due June 8

**Funding Opportunities Course:** How PCORI hopes to help address challenges in bringing the patient's voice of comparative effectiveness research. [Academy Health, Advancing Research, Policy and Practice](#)

## Upcoming Conferences and Training 2012

### May

2012 Interprofessional Education Institute: Interprofessional Education Collaborative. [Details](#) May 21-23, 2012, Herndon, VA. AAMC.

### June

2012 Integrating Quality Meeting: Collaborating for Care. [Details](#). June 7-8, Chicago, IL. AAMC.

The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual International Nursing Simulation/Learning Conference. [Details](#), June 20-23, San Antonio Texas. International Nursing Association and University of Texas.

### July

The VA 2012 HSR&D/QUERI National Conference. [Details](#), July 16-19, Washington DC. Department of Veterans Affairs.

The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Qualitative Research Seminar [Details](#)  
July 30-August 3, 2012, Chapel Hill NC



# Coordinating Center **BLAST**

## **September**

AHRQ 2012 Annual Conference. [Details](#)  
September 9-12, Rockville, MD.

## **October**

All Together Better Health Interprofessional Education and Collaborative Practice.  
[Details.](#)  
Oct 5-8. Kobe, Japan.

## Upcoming Conferences 2013

Applying the Science of Psychology in Academic Health Centers: Implications for Practice, Teaching, Research and Policy. [Details.](#)  
Jan 31- Feb 1, Nashville, Tn. Association of Psychologists in Academic Health Centers

Collaborating Across Borders IV. No details yet!  
Summer 2013, Vancouver.

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