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EDUCATION

Aug 1992 – May 1996 State University of New York at Buffalo, Honors Program
B.A. Biology

Jul 1996 – Jun 2000 State University of New York at Buffalo: School of Medicine

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

Jul 2000- Jun 2004 State University of New York at Buffalo, Department of Internal Medicine
& Pediatrics Residency

Jul 2004 – Jun 2006 Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Department of Infectious Diseases.
Cleveland OH. Clinical Fellow Infectious Disease

Aug 2006 - Jun 2007 University of Bern, Institute of Infectious Disease, Bern Switzerland
Post - Doctoral

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Aug 2007- Jun 2008 Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Department of Infectious Diseases.
Cleveland Ohio. Clinical Associate

Sep 2008-Present Wayne State University, Division of Infectious Diseases, Detroit Mi
Assistant Professor

HOSPITAL OR OTHER PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Sep 2008 – Present Director of Infection Prevention & Hospital Epidemiology, Detroit
Receiving Hospital, Detroit MI

- Sep 2008 – Present Director of Infection Prevention & Hospital Epidemiology, Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan, Detroit MI
- Sep 2008 – Present Director of Infection Prevention & Hospital Epidemiology, John D Dingell VA Medical Center, Detroit MI
- Sep 2008 – Present Assistant Director of Infection Prevention & Hospital Epidemiology, Detroit Medical Center, Detroit MI

MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- 2008 – Present Infectious Disease Society of America
- 2008 – Present Society of Healthcare Epidemiology of America

MEDICAL LICENSURE

- Present – 12/2012 State of Michigan. Board of Michigan Medical License
- Present – 4/2009 State of Ohio. Board of Ohio Medical License

BOARD CERTIFICATION

- 2004 – 2014 American Board of Internal Medicine Certification #230579
- 2005 – 2012 American Board of Pediatrics Certification #083379
- 2006 – 2016 Subspecialty Board Certification on Infectious Disease #230579

HONORS/AWARDS

- 2006 IDSA Travel Grant Recipient & Honorary Abstract Citation
- 2006 Prodesse Travel Grant Recipient
- 2005 IDSA Travel Grant Recipient & Honorary Abstract Citation
- 1998 Primary Care Summer Externship
- 1996 Summa Cum Laude Graduate
- 1996 Excellent Scholarly Achievement
- 1995-1996 Phi Eta Sigma Honors Society
- 1992-1996 Golden Key National Honors Society
- 1992-1996 University Honors Scholar with Scholarship
- 1992-1996 Dean's List - State University of New York at Buffalo
- 1994 Grace W. Capen Memorial Award for Academic Achievement

SERVICE

Sept 2009 – Present Member of the John D. Dingell VA Medical Center Leadership Committee

Sept 2009 – Present Member of the John D. Dingell VA Medical Center Clinical Care Committee

Sept 2009 – Present Member of the VA VISN 11 Regional Pandemic Influenza Committee

Sept 2009 – Present Member of the Detroit Medical Center Sentinel Infection Committee

Sept 2009 – Present Member of the Detroit Medical Center Critical Care Committee

Mar 2008 - Present Member of the Detroit Medical Center Pandemic Flu Committee

Mar 2008 – Present Member of the John D. Dingell VAMC Pandemic Influenza Committee

Jan 2009 – Present Member of the regional SE Michigan Infection Control Group

Sept 2008 – Present Chair of Detroit Receiving Hospital Infection Control Committee

Sept 2008 – Present Chair of Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan Infection Control Committee

Sept 2008 – Present Chair of John D. Dingell VA Medical Center Infection Control Committee

Sept 2008 – Present Member of DMC Antimicrobial & Therapeutics Subcommittee

Sept 2008 – Present Member of the DMC Infection Control Committee

Sept 2008 – Present Member of the John D. Dingell VAMC Critical Care Committee

Sept 2008 – Present Member of the Detroit Receiving Hospital Hand Hygiene Committee

Feb 2009 – Present Member of the Detroit Receiving Hospital Keystone Initiative

Professional

Sept 2009-Present Member of the National VA Reusable Medical Equipment Committee

Mar 2009 – Present Member of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America CME Committee

Dec 2008 – Present Member of the International Society of Infectious Diseases

Dec 2008 – Present Member of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America

TEACHING

Years at Wayne State University (dates):

9/08 – Present

Medical Students/residents/fellows: Journal clubs, case reviews, microbiology seminars

Faculty: Journal Clubs, Infection Control definitions and reporting functions

Mentorships:

1. Ala Dababneh MD: IM resident interested in Infectious Disease and Infection Control
2. Teena Chopra MD: Infectious Disease fellow with interests in infection control
3. Dror Marchaim: Infection control fellow

CLINICAL TRIALS ACTIVITIES

12/08 – Present Primary Investigator for Compliance with Healthcare Practices.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- Feb 2010 Observer Bias in Hand Hygiene Compliance Reporting. Sorabh Dhar MD, Ryan Tansek BS, Elizabeth A Toftey CIC, Beth A Dziekan CIC, Thomas C. Chevalier CIC, Connie G Bohlinger M(ASCP), Michelle Fitch BS, Margaret E Flanagan CIC, Teena Chopra MD, Dror Marchaim MD, Keith S Kaye MD. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology – Accepted for publication.
- Feb 2010 Candida kefyr endocarditis in a patient with hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy - A case report and review of literature. Teena Chopra MD, Anita Chopra MD, Sorabh Dhar MD, Jack Sobel MD. Am J Med Sci. 2010 Feb;339(2):188-9
- Jan 2007 Lessons Learned. Moving From a Rapid Immunoassay to a Molecular Platform for Respiratory Viral Testing During Influenza Season. Claire E. Magauran, MD, Belinda Yen-Lieberman, PhD, Sorabh Dhar, MD, Susan Schindler, M(ASCP), Colleen Starkey, MT(ASCP), and Steven M. Gordon, MD. Infectious Disease in Clinical Practice. 2007 Jan; 15 (1): 22-25.
- Sept 2003 Solitary papillary breast carcinoma metastasis to the large bowel presenting as primary colon carcinoma: case report and review of the literature. Dhar S, Kulaylat MN, Gordon K, Lall P, Doerr RJ. American Surgeon. 2003 Sep; 69(9):799-803.

Abstracts (last five years)

- Mar 2010 Contact Isolation Precautions: More is not Necessarily Better. Dror Marchaim MD, Keith S. Kaye, MD, MPH, Teena Chopra, MD, Ryan Tansek, BS, Khawar Chaudry, BS, Adnan Yousuf, BS, Ashish Bhargava, MD, Ting-yi Chen, MD, Al Dababneh, MD, Thientu Trong, MD, Hesham Fakhry, Kathie Wilkenson, Tom Talbot, MD, Laura Johnson, MD, Ameet Hingwe, MD, Bartholomew Bono, MD, Jerry Zuckerman, MD, Emily Shuman, Preeti Malani, MD, Virginia Abell, CIC, Sara Salstrom, Jose Poblette, MD, Grace Kim, MD, Won Chung, MD, Rama Thyagarajan, MD, Vijayalakshmi Nagappan, MD, Carrie Herzke, MD, Trish Perl, MD, Sorabh Dhar, MD. Oral Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America

- Mar 2010 Infection Control Practices for Multi-Drug Resistant Organisms in 10 Hospitals. Sorabh Dhar, MD, Dror Marchaim, MD, Teena Chopra, MD, Ryan Tansek, BS, Elaine Flanagan, MSA, CIC, Thomas R. Talbot, MD, MPH, Laura Johnson, MD, Jerry Zuckerman, MD, Bartholomew R. Bono, Emily K. Shuman, MD, Jose Poblete, MD, Grace Kim, MD, Rama Thyagarajan, MD, Carrie A. Herzke, MD, Trish Perl, MD and Keith S. Kaye, MD, MPH. Poster Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Mar 2010 A Novel Method for Surveillance of Novel H1N1 Influenza Using Automated Hospital Laboratory and Pharmacy Data
Teena Chopra MD, Rushyal Shyamraj MD, Patrick Long PhD, David Bach Pharm D MPH, Cristi Carlton MPH, Susan Peters DVM, Paul Lephart PhD, George Alangaden MD, Sorabh Dhar MD ,Dror Marchaim MD, Michelle Schreiber, MD, Keith S. Kaye MD,MPH. Poster Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Mar 2010 A Regional Survey of the Use of Antibiotics for Mechanical Bowel Preparations Prior to Colorectal Surgery Dror Marchaim, MD, Sorabh Dhar, MD, Elaine Flanagan, MSA, CIC, Teena Chopra, MD, Margo Farber, PharmD, Donald Weaver, MD, Keith S. Kaye, MD, MPH Poster Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Mar 2010 Risk factors and Outcomes Associated with Blood Stream Infections (BSI) due to *Acinetobacter baumannii* Resistant to both Carbapenems and Ampicillin/Sulbactam (MDR-AB). Teena Chopra MD, Jatinder Hothi MD, Dror Marchaim MD, Jessica Slim MD, Khawar Chaudhry MD, Namir Khandker BS, Ryan Tansek BS, Sorabh Dhar MD, Jing Zhao Pharm D, Jason M. Pogue PharmD, Keith S. Kaye MD MPH. Poster Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Mar 2010 Outbreak of Colistin Resistant Enterobacteriaceae at Detroit Medical Center. Dror Marchaim, MD, Jason M. Pogue, PharmD, Jatinder Hothi, MD, Teena Chopra, MD, Sorabh Dhar, MD, Jessica Slim, MD, Christopher Blunden, BS, Deborah Reid, BS-MT, Judy Moshos, BS-MT, Janet L. Benoit, BS-MT, Wasif Hafeez, MD, Elaine Flanagan, MSA CIC, George Alangaden, MD, Keith S. Kaye, MD, MPH. Poster Presentation at the 20th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.

- Oct 2009 Observer Effect on Hand Hygiene (HH) Compliance Reporting
S Dhar MD, B Toftey CIC, B Dziekan RN, MS, CIC, TC Chevalier RN, BSN, CIC, CG Bohlinger MS, M(ASCP), M Fitch BS, E Flanagan RN, CIC, T Chopra MD, KS Kaye MD. Poster Presentation at the 47th Annual Infectious Disease Society of America (IDSA) Meeting
- Sep 2009 Epidemiology and Outcomes Associated with Surgical Site Infections (SSI) following Bariatric Surgery. T. Chopra MD, C. Kosmidis MD, S. Dhar MD, D Turner BS, D. Gulissh, M. Wood, K. Preney RN, G Alangaden MD, K Kaye MD MPH. Poster presentation at the 49th Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (ICAAC) Meeting.
- Mar 2009 Surgical Site Infections following Neurosurgery in Pediatrics
Sorabh Dhar MD, Lynn Semproch CIC, Luann Davis RN CIC, Steven Ham MD, Elaine Flanagan CIC, Basim Asmar MD, Keith S. Kaye MD, MPH. Oral Presentation at the 19th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Mar 2009 Epidemiology of *Acinetobacter baumannii* (AB) at a Community Hospital: Importance of Long-Term Care Facilities (LTCF) as a Reservoir . Keith S. Kaye, Deborah Reid, Susan Johnson, Sorabh Dhar, Wasif Hafeez. Poster Presentation at the 19th Annual meeting of Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America.
- Apr 2008 Characteristics of Transplant Recipients who Developed Influenza in 2007- 08 Despite Influenza Vaccination. Sherif B. Mossad, MD, Robin K. Avery, MD, Dalia M. Mossad, MD, Steven D. Mawhorter, MD, Alan J. Taeye, MD, J. Walton Tomford, MD, Lucileia T. Johnson, MD, Michelle Lard, CNP, Thomas G. Fraser, MD, Sorabh Dhar, MD, David van Duin, MD, PhD, Rabin K. Shrestha, MD, Susan J. Rehm, and Steven M. Gordon, MD . Abstract accepted to 15th International Symposium on Infections in the Immunocompromised Host (Immunocompromised Host Society)
- Oct 2006 The Comparison of Single PCR vs. Multiplex PCR Assay for the Detection of Influenza A/B and Respiratory Syncytial Virus. Sorabh Dhar, Debra J. Kohn, B. Yen-Lieberman, Carlos M. Isada, and Gary W. Procop. Abstract accepted to Infectious Diseases Society of America 44th Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada

- May 2006 Evaluation of the ProFlu-1TM Real Time PCR Assay in the Detection of Influenza A, Influenza B, Respiratory Syncytial Virus in a Clinical Laboratory. Sorabh Dhar, Debra J. Kohn, Colleen Starkey, Susan A. Schindler, B. Yen-Lieberman, Carlos M. Isada, and Gary W. Procop. Poster presentation at the American Society Microbiology 106th General Meeting, Orlando, FL.
- May 2006 Detection of human metapneumovirus infections utilizing the Pro hMPV Real Time PCR Assay from Respiratory Samples. Sorabh Dhar, Colleen Starkey, Gail Williams, Gary W. Procop, Carlos M. Isada, & B. Yen-Lieberman. Abstract presentation at the 22nd Annual Clinical Virology Symposium, Clearwater Beach, FL
- May 2006 Lessons Learned: Moving To a Molecular Platform for Respiratory Viral Testing at the Cleveland Clinic During the 2005-2006 Influenza Season. Claire Magauran, Belinda Yen-Lieberman, Sorabh Dhar, Susan Schindler, Colleen Starkey, Gary Procop, Steve Gordon. Poster presentation at the 22nd Annual Clinical Virology Symposium, Clearwater Beach, FL.
- May 2006 Evaluation of the ProFlu-1TM Real Time PCR Assay in the Detection of Influenza A, Influenza B, Respiratory Syncytial Virus in a Clinical Laboratory. S. Dhar, D. J. Kohn, S. A. Schindler, B. Yen-Lieberman, C. M. Isada, G. W. Procop. Poster Presentation at the American Society Microbiology 106th General Meeting, Orlando, FL.
- Mar 2006 Impact of Rapid Testing and Reporting for Influenza A, B and RSV at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation during the 2004-2005 Influenza Season: Back to the Drawing Board. Claire Magauran, Belinda Yen-Lieberman, Sorabh Dhar, Susan Schindler, Colleen Starkey, Gary Procop, Steve Gordon. Podium Oral Presentation at the 16th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA), Chicago IL.
- Oct 2005 The Evaluation of Two PCR Assays for the Detection of Influenza A and Influenza B. Sorabh Dhar, Debra J. Kohn, Susan Schindler, B. Yen-Lieberman, Carlos M. Isada, and Gary W. Procop. Poster presentation at the Infectious Diseases Society of America 43rd Annual Meeting, San Francisco, Ca.
- Jun 2005 Comparison of Molecular Beacon and Sybr Green Real-Time PCR in the Detection of Influenza A using the Rotor-Gene. Sorabh Dhar, Debra J. Kohn, Susan Schindler, B. Yen-Lieberman, Carlos M. Isada, and Gary W. Procop. Poster presentation at the American Society Microbiology 105th General Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

May 2005

Real-time PCR with SYBR Green Detection and Melt Curve Analysis Alone is Insufficient for the Detection of RSV in a Clinical Laboratory
Sorabh Dhar, Debra J. Kohn, Susan Schindler, B. Yen-Lieberman, Carlos M. Isada, and Gary W. Procop. Poster presentation at the 21st Annual Clinical Virology Symposium, Clearwater Beach, FL