

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

A newsletter for the Maine Medical Center family

## New Policy Requires Green/Teal OR Scrubs Stay Inside MMC



Under a new policy taking effect on July 1, OR staff

can no longer wear scrubs outside of MMC, including parking garages, medical offices, MMC grounds, or in the community.

The purpose of the policy is to reduce the risk of surgical site infections and to respond to concerns raised by staff, patients, families,

and community members about the wearing of scrubs outside the medical center. The policy, which is part of the OR's "Operation-Zero" initiative to reduce surgical site infection rates, only applies to green/teal OR scrubs.

OR staff can continue to

wear their green/teal scrubs in the MMC cafeteria, in the Bramhall courtyard, and other areas contained within the medical center's walls. Staff who violate the policy are subject to enforcement.

Questions? Contact Brad Cushing or Hector Tarraza.

## Dr. Robert Christman Named Pathology Chief

**Robert Christman, M.D.** (pictured), has been selected as MMC's new Chief of Pathology. He will assume his new role on July 15.

Dr. Christman attended

medical school and completed his residency in pathology and fellowship in hematopathology at Temple University School of Medicine.

Over the last 19 years, he has had key leadership roles at MMC in the Department of Pathology and at Spectrum. He replaces Dr. Mike Jones who held the position for 19 years.



## JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

### 40 Years

Janet Beecher,  
Employee Health  
Rita Dorazio,  
Access Pre-Service  
Anh Nguyen, R3

Philip Scavotto,  
Risk Management  
Cheryll St Onge,  
Anesthesiology and  
Pain Management

### 30 Years

Jacqueline Campbell, CCN  
Sharon Ferrante,  
Distribution  
Sarah Gowell, R9  
Cynthia Jesseman, NICU  
Yvonne Lambert,  
Cardiology  
Kelly Patchell, PACU  
Susan Skowronski, BMC  
Bridget Weisser, PICC Line

### 25 Years

Susan Byers,  
Women's Health  
John Hubbard Jr, Finance  
Carolyn Lancia,  
Poison Control  
Nicholas Liberatore, EVS  
Ann-Marie Neal, R3  
Richard O'Toole, Psychiatry  
Amy Robinson,  
Employee Health  
Jennifer Roy, SCU  
James Ruterbories,  
Orthopedics  
Janet Springborn, Gibson  
Cynthia Tack,  
Clinical Initiatives

### 20 Years

Denise Chadbourne,  
Radiology  
Michelle Flanders,  
Radiology  
Brian Lawhead,  
Orthopedics  
Donna Lehan,  
Westbrook Primary  
Care  
Kyle Reed,  
Pulmonary Medicine  
Alison Samitt,  
Family Medicine  
Lori Walker, SSC

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*June Anniversaries'  
from front*

Elizabeth Whitney,  
Cardiology

**15 Years**

Dyan Albano, Med Staff  
Carol Barre, R1  
Peter Bates,  
Chief Academic Officer  
Erich Bohrmann,  
Psychiatry  
Tanya Cadger, Radiology  
Susan Connolly, P4C  
Benjamin Cowan,  
Hospitalist  
Lisa Donahue, R2  
Tricia Foley, Center for  
Clinical and Prof. Dev.  
John Gladu JR, FBC  
Deborah Gregoire, PACU  
Patricia Gullick, Radiology  
Christine Hein, ED  
Kate Herrick,  
Medical Affairs  
Robin Lawson,  
Otolaryngology  
Richard Marino Jr,  
Geriatrics  
Jill Mazer, R1  
Wayne Miller, Security  
Julianne Ontengco,  
Orthopedics  
Denise Owens, SCU  
Eileen Poulin, Clinic Prof.  
Edmund Presby,  
Cardiology  
Maria Reinhard, BBCH  
Laura Schwindt, BBCH  
Leonard Sherwood, OR  
Marianne Turner,  
Care Management  
Steven Woodward, IS  
Mariya Yurkevich,  
Nutrition Services

**10 Years**

Amanda Barbee,  
Cardiology  
Katelyn Beeley, IS  
Georgia Bell, Radiology  
Donald Breton,  
Distribution  
Maya Bulman, Psychiatry  
Jessica Butts, CCN  
Stacy Davis,  
Vocational Services  
Donna Dugal,  
Care Manager  
Amanda Dunlap, Finance  
Elizabeth Eisenhardt,  
Adult Medicine  
Ashley Eldridge, SCU  
Kami Farnum, P6  
Sandra Fritsch, Psychiatry  
Jason Gaudet, Radiology  
Jennifer Johnson, FBC  
Bonnie Jones, SCU  
Elizabeth Kasny, R4  
Urszula Kwiatkowski,  
Dialysis  
Lindsey Lucas, NICU  
Casey MacVane, ED  
Stacey Marzilli, Finance  
Donna Masi, P3CD  
Jamie McNeil, Cardiology  
Debra Michaud, Cardiology  
Gregory Morin, Psychiatry  
Breanna Muehle, IS  
Logan Murray, BBCH  
Christopher Murry Jr, IS  
Katherine Patten, BBCH  
Nebojsa Simatovic, R7  
Samuel Umbriaco,  
Cardiology  
Diana Verrill, R9  
Sarah Ward,  
Gibson Pavilion  
Jennifer Whitling, OR  
Susan Wilson, Ped/BBCH

**5 Years**

Gabriel Belanger,  
Housestaff  
Cameron Bonney,  
Psychiatry  
Jonathan Bourque,  
Pharmacy  
Kathryn Brouillette,  
Hospitalist  
Laurel Brown,  
Nursing Floats  
Kristin Busch, Housestaff  
Jennifer Bussiere, Dialysis  
David Buzanoski,  
Housestaff  
Louise Carpentier,  
Center for Clinical and  
Prof. Dev.  
Alexis Cavic, Hospitalist  
Maura Clarke,  
Family Medicine  
Benjamin Crocker,  
Psychiatry  
Elizabeth DeCesare, OR  
Elizabeth DesJardin,  
Housestaff  
Gary DiPerna, Housestaff  
Kathleen Eaton, IS  
John Glenn, NICU  
Colleen Gore, Radiology  
Jennifer Gregoire, OR  
Benjamin Hagopian,  
Housestaff  
George Herbert, EVS  
Enola Jacobsky,  
Nutrition Services  
Abigail Keenan, Psychiatry  
Tina Kinney,  
Pulmonary Medicine  
Christina Kuchinski,  
Cardiology  
Kristen LaLiberty,  
Radiology  
Nicholas Leslein,  
Housestaff  
Matthew Leveille, SCU

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Abby Markham,  
Falmouth Primary Care  
Jeffrey Marshall, Radiology  
Ingrid Martin,  
Family Medicine  
Elizabeth Matoin, FBC  
Francis McMahan, IS  
Melanie McVety, MMCRI  
Katherine Mullen, MCCP  
Natasha Murphy, OR  
Ann Naughton, CPI  
Jennifer Paradis, BBCH  
Ashlee Parker,  
Access Pre-Service  
Chelsea Paterson, Urology  
Arielle Perez, Housestaff  
Lisa Pivin, FBC  
Brent Rand, Radiology  
Kristin Rowse, BBCH  
Jill Roy, Women's Health  
Lindsay Russell, CCN  
Saidmunib Sana,  
Housestaff  
Kristen Scopaz,  
Scarborough Primary  
Care  
Vivian Seaboyer, Radiology  
Edward Silco, BBCH  
Kent Slauenwhite, ED  
Pamela Smith, Oncology  
Stanislav Spiridonov,  
Housestaff  
Michael Stern, Housestaff  
Katie Stokem, Housestaff  
Sarah Thompson,  
Center for Clinical and  
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Sarah Tozier, NICU  
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