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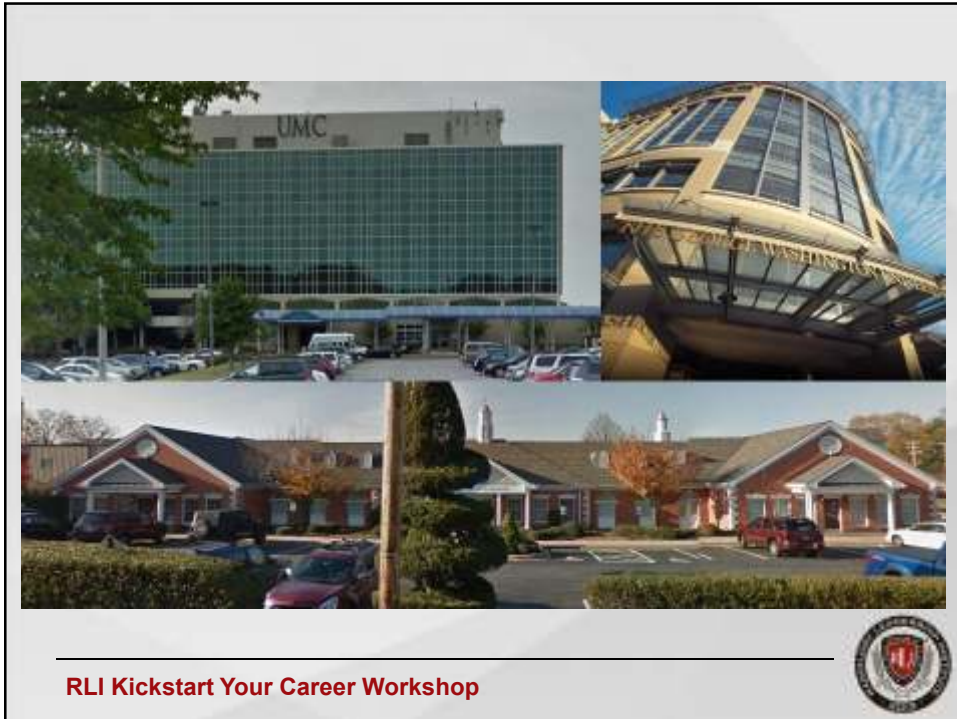


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Raymond K. Tu, M.D., FACR,
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Congratulations to incoming MSDC
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We are inspired by your leadership and
dedication to compassionate, quality
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Sincerely,
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Raymond Tu, MD
President, Medical Society of DC

PROVIDENCE

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THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL
QUARTERLY MEDICAL STAFF MEETING
 Monday, January 28, 2019
 Providence 5:00pm
 Meeting 8:20A-8:30pm
 George Washington University Hospital Auditorium
 900 23rd Street NW, Washington, DC 20037

AGENDA

I. Call to Order - Safety Message	Erica Robinson, MD Chief Medical Officer
II. Approval of Minutes - October 15, 2018	
III. Chief Medical Officer Report	Erica Robinson, MD
IV. Departmental Spotlights - Radiology	Mark Lerner Department Director
V. Medical Society of DC Legislative issues of importance to DC physicians	Raymond Tu, MD President, Medical Society of DC

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Medicaid and the Spine Radiologist

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American Journal of Neuroradiology



CAR T-CELL THERAPY: WHAT THE NEURORADIOLOGIST NEEDS TO KNOW.

Journal:	American Journal of Neuroradiology
Manuscript ID:	AJNR-19-00200
Manuscript Type:	Genetics Vignette
Classifications:	Brain, Leukemia/lymphoma, Brain: tumors < Brain, Molecular imaging: cancer < Molecular imaging

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PRACTICE PERSPECTIVES

Comparison of Advanced Imaging Resources, Radiology Workforce, and Payment Methodologies between the United States and Canada

H.A. Valand, S. Chu, R. Bhalra, R. Foley, J.A. Hirsch, and R.K. Tu

ABSTRACT
SUMMARY: The purpose of this Practice Perspectives was to review the United States and Canadian approaches to health care access and payment for advanced imaging. The historical background, governmental role, workforce, coding, payment, radiologic challenges, cost, resource intensity, and overall outcomes in longevity are reviewed.

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DIVERSITY MATTERS

ALEXANDER NORBASH, MD

Legislative, Payment Policy Milestones of Racial Inequality in Health Care: Medicare and Medicaid as the Final Catalyst

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The more than \$5 trillion Medicare, 71.6 trillion Medicaid, Children's Health Insurance Program, and 25.9 trillion Medicaid Expansion beneficiaries are the progeny of President Harry Truman's message: as Congress 72 years ago President Truman stated that "millions of our citizens do not now have a full measure of opportunity to achieve and enjoy good health. Millions do not now have protection or security against the economic effects of sickness. The time has arrived for action to help them attain that opportunity and that protection. . . . People with low or moderate incomes do not get the same medical attention as those with high incomes. The poor have more sickness, but they get less medical care. People who live in rural areas do not get the same amount or quality of medical

care: key legislative barriers to care" [1].

Discrimination toward black Americans was perpetuated through the lack of black physicians, the vast majority of whom were enrolled in only two medical schools: "During the school year 1935-1936 . . . 369 [black] medical students [were] enrolled in the United States. Of these, 346 were enrolled at Howard and Meharry Medical Colleges." Blacks had to seek care in the few black-only hospitals that existed; 17 of 451 hospitals in the 1950s were black-only hospitals and 431 were white-only hospitals [2]. President Albert W. Stone of Dillard University described in "Hospital Services and Facilities Available to Negroes in the United States," published in *The Journal of Negro Education*, a fundamental "discrimination . . . use hospitals less than white people" [3].

Black physicians faced further barriers in white-only and segregated hospitals. Staff privileges were difficult to obtain and were perpetuated by hospital construction and financial technical loopholes. In 1956 Hubert A. Eaton challenged discrimination against black physicians obtaining courtesy hospital privileges (*Gates et al v Board of Regents of Jesse White Memorial Hospital*). The legal action was dismissed on the technicality that a bill was received 1181-Durham funds equipping hospital desegregation. "The Court concludes, therefore, that the plaintiff is not entitled to the declaratory judgment prayed for because the act of discrimination did not constitute 'State action.' It results that for the lack of jurisdiction the complaint must be dismissed.

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Incentivizing Physician Diversity in Radiology

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Abstract

In this article, the authors review the evolving state of diversity in the field of radiology. The authors discuss several early and recent historical legislative milestones that increased the equitable delivery of health care in the United States, such as Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which ensured that funds for Medicare reimbursement would be available only to desegregated hospitals. Furthermore, the authors examine the current state of diversity and representation in radiology, in which underrepresented minorities represent 8.3% of training and practicing radiologists, and women represent 27.8% of radiologists. Finally, the authors present arguments for diversity in the current medical education system, analyze hurdles to increasing representation in radiology, and consider the future of diversity and inclusiveness in the field.

Key Words: Health disparity, physician diversity, legislative milestones, radiology, medical education

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Dr. Raymond Tu Brings Excellence to UMC

Born and raised in the District of Columbia, Dr. Raymond Tu works to improve the healthcare of our community through research, advocacy, and ensuring standards of excellence for United Medical Center.



To help save women's lives through breast cancer screenings, Dr. Tu helped UMC obtain the new Philips iGent Digital mammogram machine. The iGent machine is faster, more comfortable, uses up to 50 percent less radiation, and produces clearer, more accurate images.

Dr. Tu joined UMC as a resident in 1977, working in the busy month. Since then, he has written scientific papers, served on numerous medical boards, lectured around the world, received distinguished honors, and appeared on radio and television shows, including the late TV show, "60 Minutes," which ran for three years.

Dr. Tu has research interests in genomics, spine pathology, medical education, and other important subjects. But as United Medical Center's Chair of Radiology, his focus is on ensuring area residents receive the best care possible.

"We're providing the best patient care for all citizens of Ward 7, Ward 8, and Prince George's County with the best CT, the lowest-dose-to-dose mammograms, and the highest-quality computer tomography systems in the area," Dr. Tu said.

As one example of that dedication to the community, the UMC Radiology Department was recently named American College of Radiology (ACR) CT accreditation for Single-Phase CT, General Diagnostic Evaluation (P/D) CT Scanner. Under the direction of Dr. Tu, Director Jean Hibouart and CT Technologist Devin Stewart, UMC earned full accreditation for adult and pediatric headneck, chest and abdomen procedures in its first application to ACR.

The P/D CT Scanner helps UMC medical professionals serve patients more efficiently, quickly, and compassionately. It delivers faster and more accurate results, with up to 40 percent less radiation. The scanner's metal suppression software produces clear images in patients with hip implants, dental fillings, and metal braces. Since the scanner reconstructs up to 50 images per second, a cardiac patient's life-saving chest scan can take less than one minute.

Dr. Tu is the President Elect of the Medical Society of the District of Columbia. He has served on the D.C. Board of Medicine and several District Hospital Commissions. In addition, he is Chair of the Medical Committee for the American College of Radiology, Medical Advisor for Medicare Medicare Contract for Washington, D.C., Advisor for Current Procedural Terminology for the American Medical Association (AMA), Advisory Delegate for the Medical Society of the District of Columbia at the AMA House of Delegates, and representative for the American Society of Neuroimaging for Health Policy.

Dr. Tu advocates for equal access to health care in his article, "Social Determinants of Health (SDH)" published in The American Society of Neuroimaging (ASNI) newsletter. He noted that how and where an individual is born, grows, lives, works and ages affects health. Health care, independent of our funded, real measure and value for SDH factors, such as paid maternity leave, childhood development, access and cost to education, income and its distribution, social exclusion, ethnic heterogeneity, immigration, housing and employment, death, literacy, social determinants of health care, create risk and enhance all areas of medicine." Dr. Tu added.

In a "Diversity Matters" column for the Journal of the American College of Radiology, he wrote, "In the debate over racial equality and the future of health care in our country continues, the struggles and achievements of our people and our nation should be remembered as we continue to be mindful of our responsibilities as a nation."

UMC is proud of Dr. Tu's many accomplishments, and most especially his commitment to the people of our community.



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American College of Radiology
Medical Network Meeting
ACR Annual Meeting 2018
Monday, May 21st 12:00noon - 1:15pm
Marriott Wardman Park Hotel
Room - Wilson B
Dist. No. (877) 647-3411
Passcode: 421 355 3638 @

Agenda

1. Welcoming Remarks and Presentation - Raymond Tu, M.D. FRCR, Chair, ACR Medical Network
2. Insights from Keith MacCannan, Director of Marketing, Community Relations, and Outreach, AssisiHealth Caritas District of Columbia (DC)
3. New Business

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United Medical Center Proudly Congratulates
Dr. Raymond Tu on Being Elected **President**
of the **Medical Society of the District of Columbia**



Dear Aggie, Congratulations to Dr. Raymond Tu, MD, MS, FACS, our esteemed colleague and Chair of Radiology.

We are immensely proud of you, Dr. Tu, and your dedication to our community, the medical profession, and our organization. You exemplify the MSDC commitment to quality care and caring. The Medical Society of the District of Columbia will benefit from your leadership.
-MSDC Board of Directors and Administration

Congratulations, Dr. Tu, on your installation as MSDC President



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