

Curriculum Vitae

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PERSONAL DATA

Name: Megan Puckett, M.D.

Citizenship: United States

EDUCATION

<u>Years</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Institution (Area of Study)</u>
2019 - 2020	Fellow	University of Utah School of Medicine (Geriatrics) Salt Lake City, UT
2016 - 2019	Resident	University of Utah School of Medicine (Internal Medicine) Salt Lake City, UT
2012 - 2016	M.D.	University of Nebraska Medical Center (Medicine) Omaha, NE
2008 - 2012	B.A.	Hastings College (Biology) Hastings, NE

BOARD CERTIFICATIONS

10/01/2020 - Present American Board of Internal Medicine (Sub: Geriatric Medicine), Certified

09/30/2019 - Present American Board of Internal Medicine (Internal Medicine), Certified

TRAINING

2023 - Present	<u>Early Career Coaching Program</u> - University of Utah, Senior Vice President for Health Sciences Education Unit. - Six-month program that pairs early career faculty with a senior faculty member and facilitates one-on-one coaching to foster the junior faculty's interests and proactively plan for their future leadership career.
2022	<u>Leadership Career Development Seminar Series 2</u> ; Leading and Managing Teams and Organizations.
2022	<u>Leadership Career Development Seminar Series 1</u> ; Leading and Managing Oneself.

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH ACADEMIC HISTORY

Internal Medicine (Geriatrics), 08/16/2020 - Present

08/16/2020 Assistant Professor (Clinical)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Editorial Experience

2020 Health in Aging - American Geriatric Society patient education website
- Reviewer and editor of the Osteoporosis and Hypertension sections
www.healthinaging.org

SCHOLASTIC HONORS

2012 Magna Cum Laude, High Distinction in Biology, Hastings College, Hastings, NE

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Administrative Duties

- 2022 - Present **Inpatient Geriatric Consult Service - Founder, Director**
- University of Utah Health
Duties include:
- Coordinate scheduling for 3 attending physicians, 2 APRNs, as well as rotating interns and fellows
- Epic template and flowsheet creation for data capture
- Coordination with Decision Support and Data Management teams to create reports identifying high-risk, hospitalized older adults that would benefit from early intervention
- Develop collaborations with specialty services to improve age-friendly inpatient care.

Professional Organization & Scientific Activities

- 2012 - 2016 Vice President, American Medical Women's Association: University of Nebraska College of Medicine Chapter

PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- 2012 - 2016 Volunteer Student Physician, Healing Gift Free Clinic, Serves low-income and underserved populations in Omaha, NE

UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Department Level

- 2022 - Present Committee Member, Surgery, Trauma Review Committee; Geriatric Representative
- Attend bi-weekly meetings to review cases, guidelines, and procedures.
- 2017 - 2019 Member, Internal Medicine, Student Trainee Advisory Committee
- Resident committee that reviews internal medicine faculty for retention, promotion, and tenure

Division Level

- 2022 - Present Committee Member, Geriatrics, Faculty Search Committee
- 2022 - Present Committee Chair, Geriatrics, Program Evaluation Committee
- University of Utah Geriatrics Fellowship Program

CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- American College of Physicians
American Geriatrics Society
Center on Aging, University of Utah

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2022 - Present **IHI Case Study on Age-Friendly Care at University of Utah Health**
- Role: clinician consultant, data validation
- Goal: Utilize the Electronic Health Record to report process measures related to the care delivery of the "4 M's of Geriatrics" in the inpatient and outpatient settings at University of Utah Health.

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES/ASSIGNMENTS

Course and Curriculum Development

- 2022 - Present **Inpatient Geriatric Care**
- Director of Inpatient Geriatric Consult Teaching Service at University of Utah Health
- Develop orientation materials, learning objectives, supplemental reading, and curriculum for the Internal Medicine intern's one-week Inpatient Geriatric Consult Service rotation.

Clinical Teaching

- 2021 - Present **Inpatient Geriatrics Consultation Teaching Service** - Attending Physician
- University of Utah Health
- 2 weeks per month
- 1 IM intern each week, 1 geriatric fellow each month.

Didactic Lectures

- Fall 2022 **Puckett M.** Deprescribing in the geriatric patient. University of Utah Internal Medicine Residency Program, Primary Care Lecture Series, Salt Lake City, UT.

Continuing Education

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

1. **Puckett M**, Morris A, Kuehn J (2014). The effect of triclosan on the proliferation of peritoneal tissue explants. *86*(2), 104-8.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

- 2023 Harris A, Green M, **Puckett M**, Elmer D, Saseendran M. Chronic care management: real-time reports improve capture. Poster accepted to: American Geriatric Society Annual Meeting; May 2023; Long Beach, CA.
- 2020 **Puckett M**, Grotzke M. An interdisciplinary bone health team improves osteoporosis treatment rates following hip fracture. Poster selected to present at: American Geriatrics Society Annual Meeting; May, 2020; Long Beach, CA. [Meeting canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic]
- 2015 **Puckett M**, Ashford A, Langenfeld T. Asymptomatic acute renal failure: a case of a rare glomerulonephritis. Clinical Vignette Poster Presented at American College of Physicians, Regional Meeting, Omaha, NE

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Meeting Presentations

Local/Regional

- 2022 **Puckett M**, Thompson J. Special pharmacotherapy considerations for geriatric patients. Oral presentation at: the Advances in Primary Care Conference; October 2022; Salt Lake City, UT.
- 2020 **Puckett M**. An Interdisciplinary bone health team improves osteoporosis treatment rates following hip fracture. Geriatrics Clinical Conference, University of Utah Health; Salt Lake City, UT.
- 2020 **Puckett M**. Non-insulin diabetic drugs in older adults. Geriatric Clinical Conference, University of Utah Health; Salt Lake City, UT.
- 2020 **Puckett M**. Barriers to providing comprehensive post-fracture care and models for improvement. Geriatric Clinical Conference, University of Utah Health; Salt Lake City, Utah.
- 2019 **Puckett M**. Providing comprehensive care for transgender older adults. Geriatric Clinical Conference, University of Utah Health; Salt Lake City, UT
- 2012 **Puckett M**, Morris A, Kuehn J. The effect of triclosan on the proliferation of peritoneal tissue explants. Nebraska Academy of Sciences, Lincoln, NE

Invited/Visiting Professor Presentations

Local/Regional

- 2021 **Puckett M**. Role of medical cannabis in the management of dementia-related symptoms. Invited lecture: Utah Medical Cannabis Board; May 2021; Salt Lake City, UT.

Grand Rounds Presentations

- 2022 **Puckett M**. Frailty and the Geriatric Trauma Patient. University of Utah, Department of Surgery, Salt Lake City, UT.

OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

Quality & Value Improvement Projects

- 2023 - Present **CMSS Older Adults Vaccine Initiative - Local Site PI**
 - Funding: Council of Medical Specialty Societies (CMSS) Grant
 - Collaborating Societies: CMSS, American Geriatric Society
 - Goal: Develop and implement a new workflow to increase vaccination rates of older adults seen in the Geriatric Clinics at University of Utah Health and identify factors associated with lower vaccination rates that can be used to create targeted interventions.
- 2022 - Present **Older Adult Emergency Laparotomy Collaborative Care Pathway - Co-Investigator**
 - University of Utah Health
 - Goal: Develop and implement a standardized, interdisciplinary care pathway for older adults undergoing emergency laparotomy and evaluate short- and long-term patient outcomes.
- 2022 **Madsen Geriatrics Clinical Workgroup - Lead Member**
 - Interdisciplinary workgroup meeting biweekly to address process issues and quality improvement within the Madsen Geriatrics team.

2021 - Present

Improving the Geriatric Chronic Care Management Program - Physician Lead

- Goal: increase CCM revenue for our clinic and improve patient-centered outcomes through the utilization of an interdisciplinary care team
- Methods: Utilize PDSA model to create and validate real-time reports of CCM enrollment and more accurately capture revenue
- Results: 200% increase in revenue for the CCM program in 1 year period. Poster presentation accepted to the AGS National meeting, May 2023.