

# OEIS

2020 – “A Very Interesting Year”

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# The Covid Pandemic

- Shutdown of elective procedures
  - OEIS Published Guidance for Members
    - Website
  - OEIS Reached out to Florida Governor Desantis with request for clarification regarding “elective” procedures and offers expert assistance during the Covid -19 crisis

# The Covid Pandemic

- Covid Webinars

- Running an Outpatient Lab in the Wake of a Pandemic
- Resources for the OBL/OIS: How to financially survive during COVID-19

- Virtual Meeting 2020

# We Continue To Advance

- Cardiac Module of National Registry – under development
  - Thank you – Philips, Cordis, Medtronic
- First paper from Peripheral registry published

# Goals

# Raise Awareness

- The OBL setting is an important part of healthcare delivery in the United States
  - This is very evident during the Pandemic
    - Hospitals focused on Covid, Offices continued to provide Non-emergent but necessary care
    - Offices decrease patient risk for covid exposure compared to hospital
  - We need to message this to the government and payors

# Stewardship

- The OBL setting is being painted with a negative brush
  - Hospitals and ACO's are being heralded for saving medicare money
    - Not denying care so they can turn a profit
  - Offices save CMS tremendous amounts of money
    - But we are accused of overutilization and profiteering

# Stewardship

- We need to always do what is right for the patient

Be good stewards of your patients health and your office  
and

Be good ambassadors of the office space for healthcare delivery

# Grow Membership

- Our voice is strongest when we represent a large constituency

# Grow Membership

Engage and educate our potential future members

Med student/resident/fellows section

Dedicated teaching and development of educational content and opportunities

# Elevate our Advocacy

Secure a position at CPT and the RUC

Continue to work along with the CVC

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Serving our members interests by  
safeguarding patient quality and  
outcomes in ALL outpatient settings

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Our success is rooted in our Volunteers

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Thank You!!

Departing Board Members

Dan Gorin, MD

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Azher Iqbal, MD

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## Welcome

### Incoming Board Members

Torre Andrews, MD

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Geogy Vatakencherry, MD

Fadi Saab, MD

Rafael Malgor, MD

Vinay Satwah, DO

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## Congratulations

Inaugural Class **Distinguished Fellows**

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Robert Tahara, MD

William Julien, MD

Gerald Niedzwiecki, MD

John Blebea, MD