Tuesday, 20 January 2009

Lectures and Seminars

Wednesday, January 21, 2009

Center on Social Disparities in Health Seminar Series

Heart Disease in Young and Middle-Aged Adults

Kirsten Bibbins-Domingo, PhD, MD
Assistant Professor in Residence of Medicine, Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Division of General Internal Medicine, UC San Francisco

12:00 - 1:30 pm
UCSF Laurel Heights Campus
3333 California Street, Room 376

Contact: Rebecca A. Wilson-Loots at 415-476-6839 or wilsonlootsr@fcm.ucsf.edu

Friday, January 23, 2009

UCSF Osher Center for Integrative Medicine
TRIM Seminar

Telomeres and Telomerase

Elissa Epel, PhD

Osher Center, Circle Room
1701 Divisadero Street, Suite 150
12:00 to 1:30 pm

Contact: T.R.I.M. Program Coordinator: Leslie Murchy, 415-353-7753, murchyl@ocim.ucsf.edu

Monday, January 26, 2009

Nagin Lecture Series on Human Reproductive and Genetic Technologies

Dr. David Jones
Associate Professor of the History and Culture of Science and Technology at MIT

How are genetic technologies reshaping the world? How does the use of reproductive technologies to prevent of children with certain disabilities affect existing communities of people with disabilities? these provocative questions and more discussed during the Lawrence and Sherrie Nagin Lecture Series on the Social, Ethical, and Legal Implications of Human Reproductive and Genetic Technologies.

Primarily organized by Osagie Obasogie, the six-part series, which is sponsored by a
generous gift from Lawrence '65 and Nagin, feature nationally acclaimed experts from a variety of disciplines. Each speaker will provide different perspectives on the promise and potential perils posed by new reproductive and genetic technologies with an emphasis on the impact they may have on women, racial minorities and disabled communities.

This series is cosponsored by UC Hastings Law, the UCSF/Hastings Consortium for Law, Health Policy and Science and the Center for Health and Community.

All the Nagin Lectures are free and open to the public, but seating is limited, so reservations are advised. For reservations, call 415.565.4667 or email rsvp@uchastings.edu

**Tuesday, January 27, 2009**
Postdoctoral Seminar in Psychology and Medicine

**The Role of Positive Affect in Adjustment to Chronic Stress**

Judith Moskowitz, PhD
Osher Center for Integrative Medicine, UCSF

8:30 - 10:00 am
UCSF Laurel Heights Campus
Conference Room 474

Contact: 476-7285 or HealthPsychology@ucsf.edu

**Wednesday, January 21, 2009**
Center for the Health Professions Seminar Series

**The Dental Hygiene Labor Market in California**

Beth Mertz
Program Director, UCSF Center for the Health Professions

This presentation explores the California dental hygiene labor market at a regional level, providing policy makers, professionals and educators an unprecedented look at local labor market dynamics which contribute to the provision of preventive dental care.

12:00 - 1:00 pm
UCSF Center for the Health Professions
3333 California St., Suite 410

All are welcome to attend.
Contact: Melissa Knox at 415-502-1638 or mknox@thecenter.ucsf.edu
The Center for the Health Professions Seminar Series is held the third Wednesday of every month and features presentations and discussions led by CHP staff and colleagues.

**Call for Nominations**

Harold S. Luft Award for Mentoring
In Health Services and Health Policy Research

Established by the
Philip R. Lee Institute for Health Policy Studies
University of California, San Francisco

Deadline for submitting nominations: **January 27, 2009**

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