Cardiovascular Disease in the Young

Council Newsletter
In a townhouse in central Albany, N.Y., a lamp shines late at night over a pediatric cardiologist huddled over a laptop computer. He published his first scientific article in 1948, before many currently practicing pediatric cardiologists had even been born. Now, he is busy perusing the medical literature for his latest manuscript on noncompaction cardiomyopathy. He is a pediatric cardiology pioneer, the ever-curious Dr. Paul Lurie.

Born in Amsterdam, N.Y., in 1917, Paul attended Harvard University and completed medical school at Columbia University’s College of Physicians and Surgeons. From Columbia, where he met and married his English sweetheart, Barbara Samuel, he journeyed to Yale for his pediatric internship before joining the effort to defeat the evil empires of World War II.

After the war, he returned to New Haven to complete his pediatric residency and an NIH-funded fellowship in cardiac physiology under Dr. Ruth Whittemore, who had just returned from Johns Hopkins where she was Helen Taussig’s first fellow. At Yale, Lurie undertook some of the earliest cardiac catheterizations in children. After his training, he founded the division of pediatric cardiology at Indiana University’s Riley Hospital in Indianapolis in 1950. While in Indiana, he introduced the Seldinger technique to pediatric cardiology and performed some of the first exercise testing in children monitored by ear oximetry. Also at that time, Dr. Masato Takahashi fell under Lurie’s spell and decided to devote his professional life to the care of children with heart disease. “Those were truly pioneering days, although I did not know it then,” Mike Takahashi remembers. “Cardiac catheterization was the only definitive diagnostic test available, and Paul was a master teacher of the art.”

In 1967, Paul and Barbara Lurie moved to California where Paul became chief of the division of pediatric cardiology of Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles (Univ. of Southern California). He led a superb division that included Drs. Takahashi, Robert Stanton, Tsun-ye Lawrence and Alan Lewis, who collaborated with Paul in the study of cardiomyopathy and further advanced our understanding of the particularly rare, restrictive form of the disease. In addition to his collaborative research efforts and his introduction of myocardial biopsy in children, Paul founded a pediatric cardiomyopathy registry and advocated for aggressive investigation into the etiologies of the disease. In addition, he vigorously supported the American Heart Association and served on their board for the greater Los Angeles region as well as on the section board, where he chaired the program committee.

To those he mentored he was the consummate pediatrician, educator, researcher and role model. Many fellows, and hundreds of residents and attendings benefited from his dry wit, as well as his wealth of knowledge, yearn to investigate and desire to teach. As an attending, he had that innate ability to bring calm and control simply by walking into the most chaotic clinical situations.

After his retirement in 1982, Paul and Barbara moved to Albany, N.Y., to be closer to their daughter, Andrea. Although his retirement afforded some rest and relaxation, Dr. Lurie’s contributions to the field did not cease. He encouraged maturation of the pediatric cardiomyopathy registry to the point where it began to receive NHLBI support and he continues in the role of consultant. He credits the major contribution of Dr. Steven Lipshultz to its success. “Without Steve Lipshultz there would be no registry now,” Dr. Lurie has said. Dr. Lipshultz responded, “Paul’s life-long professional pursuit to improve the outcome for children with cardiomyopathy has inspired so many of us. His tireless pursuit of causal diagnoses of pediatric cardiomyopathy to enable individualized therapy has changed this field globally.”

Paul Lurie has enhanced pediatric cardiology for more than 50 years and his continuing dedication to the field and his ongoing support of younger (and not so young) colleagues to this day is unique. True to form, when he was presented this article just before it went to press, Paul quipped, “this may sound like an obit, but I really am alive and kicking!” Pediatric cardiologists and the AHA are grateful for that.

Dr. Lurie can be contacted through his e-mail address: PLURIE@nycap.rr.com
Chair’s Report
Catherine L. Webb, MD, Chair

The CVDY Council continues to enjoy the enthusiastic participation of many important and expert volunteers who are engaged in a great number of significant projects through their committee work and writing activities. It is an exciting time to share in the council’s mission for research and advocacy not only for congenital and acquired heart disease in children but also for prevention of heart disease beginning in childhood. I would like to take this opportunity to encourage you to join the CVDY at the premium professional level. There are many benefits of becoming a premium professional member, which are listed on the professional member Web site (Professional.Membership@#Heart.org). Collaboration with colleagues from across the nation and from abroad is particularly rewarding and satisfying. I would encourage all from the United States and particularly our international colleagues to join.

Once you have become a professional member of the CVDY Council, I would encourage you to consider becoming a Fellow of the American Heart Association (FAHA). This designation is an honor which is awarded to those individuals who have careers in or expertise in advocacy for cardiovascular disease, who are board certified, and are recognized for competence and the highest ethical standards of professional behavior in their field. An important component of Fellowship is demonstrated involvement in activities that reflect significant and current service to the AHA. Details of qualifications for FAHA status can be found on the application Web site at www.americanheart.org/cvdy. In the left-hand navigation menu, click on Fellowships. Part of the application process is to obtain a Proposer and Seconder who will write letters of recommendation for you. Both of these individuals must be premium professional members and one must be a current FAHA. To help you identify Fellows to write letters for you, please access this link: www.americanheart.org/cvdy. In the left-hand navigation menu, click on Fellowships. Under Eligibility, click on CVDY Active Fellowship Roster.

Our committees have been hard at work on many projects. Newer directions have included mentorship through a visiting lecture series, encouraging CVDY membership and participation by individuals relatively new in their fields, and advocacy for adults with congenital heart disease. A new AHA statement on recommended changes in endocarditis prophylaxis has been jointly completed by multiple AHA councils, including the CVDY, and will likely have been published by the time this newsletter is distributed. CVDY papers on genetics of congenital heart disease and non-inherited risk factors for congenital heart disease are also currently in press. Important research advances and advocacy for prevention of acquired heart disease beginning in childhood are also a major focus of the CVDY. A number of papers defining and assessing risk for this important problem as well as outlining how to implement healthcare reforms in this area have been recently published or are in the works. This effort also includes important collaborations with private institutions such as the William J. Clinton Foundation. Additional topics currently being addressed by writing groups include the use of pulse oximetry for congenital heart disease screening in neonates, the use of stimulant drugs in pediatric cardiology, and thrombosis in congenital heart disease.

Finally, WE NEED YOUR HELP! Please make plans to come to Lobby Day on April 24, 2007 to advocate for increased federal funding for heart and stroke research. A portion of this research money is used for studies regarding congenital or acquired heart disease in children, adults with congenital heart disease, and preventive cardiology research and implementation in childhood.

The CVDY is a vibrant and vital part of the AHA. We are a small but mighty council, as evidenced by the four important AHA/CVDY awards garnered by CVDY members at Sessions in November. We encourage you to become a part of this essential, important and exciting council. Please contact a member of the CVDY Leadership Committee or a member of one of the other CVDY committees if you have an interest in joining us in our research, writing or advocacy roles. For a list of committee members, visit www.americanheart.org/cvdy. In the left-hand navigation menu, click on Council Committees.

From the Editor
Craig Sable, MD
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We are continuing to work to improve the Web site and members services and are always striving to make the newsletter better. If you have suggestions, postings for Job Opportunities, People on the Move, or Conference Announcements, or want to volunteer to help, please do not hesitate to contact me. We are also looking for suggestions (and authors) for feature articles and member spotlights.
Committee/Liaison Reports

AHA Cardiovascular Disease in the Young Program Committee

LuAnn Minich, MD

The program committee for CVDY has completed the review of all submitted proposals and prioritized them in terms of general appeal, new data and avoidance of duplication both within the upcoming meeting as well as in the recent three meetings. Presentations have been submitted for the Sunday morning session on long-term outcomes after repair of tetralogy of Fallot. The five cardiovascular seminars include updates on cardiovascular development, long-term outcomes after catheter intervention, and late outcomes in pediatric heart transplant recipients as well as revisiting the timing of elective surgery for congenital heart disease, and the emerging role of aortic wall abnormalities in CHD. How-to sessions include the areas of neuroprotection, tetralogy of Fallot with pulmonary atresia, ICD use, and transitioning the care of the adult with CHD. Additional adult congenital heart disease sessions are included in cooperation with the Clinical Cardiology Council and the Council of Nursing. “Ask the Experts” involves management of the child with congestive heart failure.

The T. Duckett Jones and the Rashkind lecturers are being finalized.

The next step will be organization of the abstract sessions in July 2007.

American Academy of Pediatrics Section on Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery

Robert H. Beekman, MD

In October 2006 the AAP Section on Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery (SOCCS) had a successful national conference in Atlanta. Once again a Research Fellowship Award was presented, as well as four Education Travel Grants and Young Investigator Awards. The Education Travel Grants are awarded to pediatric cardiology or cardiac surgery fellows with the highest scored abstracts, and helps fund their trip to the national conference. The Young Investigator Awards are awarded to the top abstract presentations at the meeting. The SOCCS also published its “Directory of Pediatric Cardiologists and Cardiac Surgeons,” and an electronic version is in development.

2007 promises to be an exciting year for the SOCCS. The section’s activities will include:

- The section’s scientific program to be held at the AAP National Conference and Exhibition in San Francisco, Oct. 26–28. Several exciting seminars are planned by Program Chair Frank Galioto, MD, along with abstract presentations. Abstract submission deadline is April 13 (http://www.call4abstracts.com/aap).
- A new “Fellow’s Workshop and Professional Development Seminar” will be offered Oct. 26 during the section’s scientific program.
- Education travel grants will again be awarded to the top submitted abstracts for the October meeting.

- The SOCCS Research Fellowship Award will be awarded once again. The grant application deadline was Jan. 31, 2007.

- The section has organized a Task Force on Pediatric Cardiac Devices. The charge of this task force is to enhance access of children to medical devices for cardiology and cardiac surgery.

Please contact Robert H. Beekman III, MD, Chair, SOCCS Executive Committee, with any comments, questions or suggestions.

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, National Institutes of Health

Gail D. Pearson, MD
Victoria Pemberton, RNC, BS, CCRC

NHLBI Creates New Clinical Research Guide

Have you ever wondered where to find help with preparing, submitting and managing a clinical research grant? The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute has created a new Web site that combines policies and procedures with practical guidance on grant application, review, funding and oversight. This is an excellent resource for the “new investigator” and provides easy access to specific information for the more experienced investigator. Please take a moment to visit the site and share it with colleagues who may find it useful:

NHLBI Clinical Research Guide
Job Opportunities

CALIFORNIA

The Department of Pediatrics at Loma Linda University Children's Hospital is seeking two pediatric cardiologists to join a rapidly expanding practice in southern California. The group currently consists of five full-time board-certified pediatric cardiologists and three pediatric cardiovascular surgeons. Candidates trained in the following areas are desired:

1. Non-invasive pediatric cardiology. The position requires expertise in non-invasive pediatric cardiology, with special skills in transthoracic, transesophageal, and fetal echocardiography. The echo lab performs more than 6,500 echoes annually and is accredited by ICAEL.

2. General pediatric cardiology. Responsibilities will include participation in echocardiography and diagnostic catheterizations. Potential for involvement in cardiac transplantation and cardiomyopathy clinic, if interested.

Both positions will include responsibilities in outpatient clinics and the teaching of medical students and residents. Candidates should be BC/BE in pediatric cardiology.

Loma Linda University Children's Hospital is one of the busiest children's hospitals within an area of California with very rapid population growth. It includes an 84-bed NICU, a 25-bed PICU, and a 12-bed pediatric cardiac ICU. Loma Linda is located 60 miles east of Los Angeles, conveniently located within an hour of the Pacific Ocean, Palm Springs, and the local mountains.

Interested candidates may contact:
Ranae L. Larsen, MD
Chief, Division of Pediatric Cardiology
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Loma Linda, CA 92354
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IDAHO

We are looking for a non-invasive general pediatric cardiologist in Boise, Idaho to join a practice with the full array of outpatient clinics, inpatient consults, fetal echoes, post-operative care and cardiac caths.

Everyone that comes to Boise loves it, so it has drawn a young and sophisticated medical community. This area has tremendous outdoor activities nearby, with sagebrush and high desert canyons in the mountains to the south, and forests, alpine lakes, whitewater and ski slopes to the north. Hike, bike, hunt, fish, you name it.

Fortunately, to enjoy all of that, there would be an unusual amount of flexibility and control over schedule, with lots of freedom to pursue professional training or personal goals, and even part-time work could be arranged.

It is still mostly fee-for-service medicine here. Cardiology enjoys strong infrastructure. The schools are good, and the local university and community support many cultural and sporting events. It’s the whole package.

For more details on this great opportunity, please contact Michael S. Womack, MD
100 E. Idaho, Suite 204
Boise, Idaho 83712
Fax: 208–381–7351
Email: mswomack@msn.com

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Camp Odayin

My Favorite Place in the World

By Allie Smeeth

Everyone has a favorite place,
Yours is not like mine at all,
We sing songs when together,
We have lots of fun when together,
And no tears shed at all.

Everyone has a favorite place,
Yours is not like mine at all,
We go swimming, fishing and banana boat riding,
We do activities during the day and at night,
In the morning we wake up early, and go to bed late.

Everyone has a favorite place,
Yours is not like mine at all,
We sing our cheers to Mr. Spirit, and earn the spirit beads,
And have different themes during the night,
Some may have games outside; others may be inside.

Everyone has a favorite place,
Yours is not like mine at all,
We don’t worry about what we have,
This is our lucky week!

Everyone has a favorite place,
Yours is not like mine at all,
When the week is over we give friends a last call,
And say see you back here next year,
At our favorite place Camp Odayin!

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MASSACHUSETTS

Massachusetts General Hospital
Pediatric Cardiologist

MassGeneral Hospital for Children at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston is searching for Pediatric Cardiologists to participate in the expansion of the Congenital Heart Disease Program in the Department of Pediatrics and the MGH Heart Center. He/she will work collaboratively with existing staff in Cardiac Surgery, Pediatric Cardiology, Cardiac Anesthesia, and Nursing. The physician will work to further the clinical, research and teaching activities related to pediatric cardiology, and as such, is eligible for a Harvard Medical School appointment. The individual must have a willingness to see patients in community settings as well as an academic medical center setting.

The ideal candidate will be board-certified in Pediatrics and sub board certified or eligible in Pediatric Cardiology. A broad background in basic and clinical investigation and demonstration of scholarly attributes in teaching are highly desirable. Specific interest in cardiac intensive care, electrophysiology, echocardiography or adult CHD is also highly desirable.

Interested candidates should submit a letter of application and curriculum vitae to:
Michael de Moor, MD, FACC, FSCAI
Chief of Pediatric Cardiology
MassGeneral Hospital for Children
CRP-S 510
175 Cambridge Street
Boston, MA 02114
Email: mdemoor@partners.org
Phone: 617-726-3826
Fax: 617-726-2049

Massachusetts General Hospital is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

NEW YORK

The NYU Pediatric Cardiology Program is seeking three pediatric cardiologists to join our Faculty Group Practice at NYU School of Medicine.

One of the positions is for a BC/BE candidate with a subspecialty in invasive and non-invasive electrophysiology. The other two opportunities are for BC/BE candidates with a main focus on general pediatric cardiology and expertise or experience in echocardiography (including TEE and fetal echocardiography) and/or exercise physiology.

We provide outpatient and inpatient pediatric cardiac care to a diverse patient population drawn from throughout the tri-state area. The Department of Pediatrics at NYU School of Medicine is based primarily at NYU Medical Center, one of the top-ranked hospitals in the NY Metro area, and the renowned Bellevue Hospital Center.

Opportunities for teaching and research abound in our growing Department under new leadership. A dynamic and collegial group, we are a full-service program with an active fellowship training program and work with a highly successful pediatric cardiothoracic surgical program.

Interested applicants should send a letter of interest and CV to:
Dr. Marcelo Auslender, MD, Director (Interim) of Pediatric Cardiology, 160 East 32nd Street, Suite 3L, New York, NY 10016, or email marcelo.auslender@med.nyu.edu

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Pediatric Heart Center

The Children’s Hospital at Montefiore and Albert Einstein College of Medicine

The Children’s Hospital at Montefiore, the University Hospital for the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, is expanding its clinical-academic programs and is seeking faculty members to join its rapidly growing pediatric heart center. The program features outstanding facilities in a brand new state-of-the-art children’s hospital. The Children’s Hospital at Montefiore (CHAM) is one of the most technologically advanced hospitals for children in the world. CHAM’s unique integration of medical and surgical expertise, technology, education, architecture, and inspiration is designed to engage children in a voyage of recovery and discovery. The Pediatric Heart Center is one of the flagships of our new hospital and serves patients from NYC, Westchester, and Rockland counties and beyond, as well as a large program of international patients. This unique opportunity will offer board certified/board eligible individuals flexibility to engage in clinical care, education, and scholarship.

We are currently recruiting in the following clinical areas:
• Division Chief
• Invasive cardiology
• Non-invasive cardiology
• Cardiac intensive care
• Electrophysiology
• General cardiology
• Pediatric cardiac anesthesiologist

Interested candidates should forward a CV by email to:
Philip O. Ozuah, MD, PhD
Physician-in-Chief
The Children’s Hospital at Montefiore
pozuah@montefiore.org
718-741-2499

NORTH CAROLINA

The Divisions of Pediatric Cardiology and Cardiothoracic Surgery of Levine Children’s Hospital, Carolinas Healthcare System and Sanger Clinic in Charlotte, NC are recruiting a board-certified/eligible pediatric cardiac intensivist to join a rapidly growing practice of seven pediatric cardiologists and two cardiothoracic surgeons. The successful applicant would help direct a dedicated pediatric cardiovascular intensive care unit and be responsible for the post-operative care of infants, children and adults with congenital heart disease. The candidate should have expertise in all phases of post-operative care and be able to work well in a team approach to patient care.
The Sanger Clinic is the largest congenital heart center in North Carolina, performing 300 surgeries per year. The practice is affiliated with Carolinas Healthcare System but operates much like a private practice with competitive compensation and benefits. The hospital authority is less than one year away from opening Levine Children's Hospital, an $85 million state-of-the-art facility.

Interested applicants should fax or email their CVs to me.
Herbert J. Stern, MD, FACC  
Director, Division of Pediatric Cardiology  
Sanger Clinic and Levine Children's Hospital  
E-mail: hstern@sanger-clinic.com  
Fax: 704-543-7922

Vanderbilt Children's Hospital Division of Pediatric Cardiology is currently recruiting a BE/BC cardiologist with expertise in echocardiography, including fetal and transesophageal studies. Participation in the current cardiac MRI program is an option, but not required. In addition to clinical duties, the candidate would provide training at the fellowship and residency levels and would be expected to participate in the active research program of this division. This is a fully digital laboratory which functions within the framework of a comprehensive cardiac center, located in the state-of-the-art, 225-bed Vanderbilt Children's Hospital. The cardiology division includes 14 cohesive members who cover all aspects of cardiac care.

Please contact Ann Kavanaugh-McHugh, M.D., echocardiography lab director, for further information. Her phone number is 615-936-2481 and email is ann.kavanaugh-mchugh@vanderbilt.edu

TENNESSEE

The University of Tennessee Department of Pediatrics and LeBonheur Children’s Medical Center are recruiting an additional pediatric cardiologists to join a group of eight pediatric cardiologists and two pediatric CV surgeons. Additional faculty are needed to meet the needs of an active, financially stable, free-standing children’s hospital in Memphis (population 1.3 million), with rapidly expanding Pediatric Cardiology and Pediatric Cardiovascular Surgery programs.

Expertise and interest in outpatient cardiology, or pediatric heart failure, heart transplant, or peri-operative management are particularly desirable. Successful applicants will share in one or more of the following responsibilities: outpatient clinics; pre- and post-operative management of patients undergoing surgery for acquired and congenital heart disease; teaching pediatric cardiology fellows, pediatric residents and medical students; and night and weekend coverage.

Research facilities include a Pediatric Clinical Research Center and a Children’s Foundation Research Center. Opportunities are also available for collaborative research through St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital. Ongoing NIH-funded studies on hypertension and myocarditis are in progress, and the facilities are equipped to study cardiomyocyte physiology and molecular cardiology.

Applicants should be BC/BE in pediatric cardiology. Salary will be commensurate with training and experience. UTHSC is an AA/EEO Titles VI and IX, Section 504, ADA/DEA Employer. Interested candidates should send or email a cover letter and curriculum vitae to Thomas K. Chin, MD; Director of Pediatric Cardiology; 777 Washington Ave., Suite P215; Memphis TN, 38105. Email: tchin@utmem.edu.

TEXAS

Congenital Heart Surgery Physician Assistant  
Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children’s Hospital are currently recruiting physician assistants with adult or pediatric cardiovascular surgery experience to first assist in the operating room with the elite heart surgeons of Texas Children’s Heart Center. We are a high-volume, full-service congenital heart surgery program currently performing approximately 900 OR cases a year. Our surgeons perform all types of congenital heart surgeries ranging from high-risk neonatal operations to adults with congenital heart disease in addition to heart and lung transplants.

The ideal candidate will have extensive operating room experience assisting with either adult or pediatric cases. We are looking for self-starting, team-oriented individuals with a commitment to excellence that want to make Houston their new home. We will consider new graduates of PA programs with major cardiovascular surgery emphasis.

The Texas Children’s Heart Center is located in Houston, Texas in the heart of the Texas Medical Center. Texas Children’s Hospital is one of the nation’s largest pediatric hospitals. It is affiliated with and is the

People on the Move

The Section of Pediatric Cardiology of Yale University School of Medicine is pleased to announce that Toshiharu Shin’oka, MD has joined the Yale Pediatric Cardiovascular Program as our new Director of Yale Pediatric Cardiovascular Surgery. Dr. Shin’oka comes to us from Tokyo Women’s University where he led the congenital heart surgical program and developed new tissue engineering techniques for non-valved conduits. Dr. Shin’oka’s work in Japan successfully transitioned to clinical implementation of tissue-engineered grafts in TCPC Fontan patients. This exciting clinical work will be continuing at Yale beginning early this year.
pediatric teaching hospital for Baylor College of Medicine. Houston is a metropolitan city with incredible cultural diversity. Whether you are looking for fine dining, shopping, museums, sports, theater, ballet, or a symphony orchestra – you will find it in Houston!

Competitive compensation and benefits package. Must be a graduate of a Physician Assistant Program accredited by the Commission of Accreditation of Allied Health Education Program with current certification with the NCCPA. Must have current Texas licensure or be immediately eligible for such. ACLS and PALS certification are required, but may be acquired after hire by mutually agreed schedule.

CONTACT:
Please visit our Web site to complete an online application at www.medschooljobs.org.

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WASHINGTON

Pediatric Cardiologist

Tacoma, Washington: NorthWest Children's Heart Care (Pediatrics Cardiology of Washington) is seeking a fourth BC/BE pediatric cardiologist to join a well-established but rapidly growing practice in the heart of the Puget Sound region of western Washington. The primary office is located in Tacoma, Wash., adjacent to the children's hospital, but we have an extensive outreach clinic network throughout southwest Washington. The ideal candidate will either be fellowship trained in electrophysiology, or interested in practicing general cardiology with skills in non-invasive imaging. This is a full-service practice providing both invasive and noninvasive cardiology services, in both inpatient and outpatient settings, including postoperative care in the children’s hospital in cooperation with the pediatric and neonatal intensivists. Our outpatient clinics include a comprehensive Fetal Heart Program, a Preventive Cardiology Clinic, and a Cardiopulmonary Exercise Lab. Competitive income and outstanding benefits including health, disability and liability insurances, stock purchase program, 401(k), and CME allowance. The region provides ready access to skiing, cycling, boating, hiking and other outdoor activities in the beautiful environs of the Cascade and Olympic Mountains and the Puget Sound. The community has excellent schools, restaurants and cultural events, and housing remains affordable.

For more information contact Lori Abolafia, Pediatrix Medical Group, 1301 Concord Terrace, Sunrise, FL 33323; (800) 243-3839, ext. 5209; lori_abolafia@pediatrix.com.
Volunteers Needed

Camp Odayin is the only camp in the Midwest for children with heart disease. If you can donate time to give these exceptional kids a great camp experience, we would love to hear from you.

We are in need of Cabin Counselors, Nurses and Pediatric Cardiologists with warm hearts for the following Camp Sessions:

July 23 - 27: Resident Week Chippewa (Ages 8-11) Crosslake, MN
July 30 - Aug 3: Resident Week Flambeau (Ages 12-14) Crosslake, MN
August 6 - 10: Resident Week Namekagon (Ages 15-17) Crosslake, MN

Transportation is provided to and from the Twin Cities. Volunteer Applications are available in the Spring at www.campodayin.org.

**Please Note: If you know of a child who would benefit from our program, please pass along our name to them!**

Camp Odayin, PO Box 2068, Stillwater, MN 55082, 651.351.9185—local, 1.866.9ODAYIN—toll free, info@campodayin.org