

Recent Publications:

[Lee JI, Pickering S, Cutugno C, et al. The Patient Care Circle: A Descriptive Framework for Understanding Care Transitions. J Hosp Med. 2013;8:619-26.](#)

[Lee JI, Ganz-Lord F, Tung J, et al. Bridging the Transitions of Care: Findings from a Resident-staffed Early Post Discharge Program. Acad Med. 2013;88:1685-8.](#)

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Jennifer I. Lee, MD FACP is assistant professor of medicine in the Department of Medicine and a hospitalist at New York-Presbyterian Hospital// Weill Cornell Medical School. She is board certified in internal medicine and pediatrics and has been an academic hospitalist since 2004. She earned her M.D. degree from State University of New York Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences and completed her combined Internal Medicine and Pediatrics Residency at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York City. She currently serves as the Quality and Patient Safety Officer for the Department of Medicine and has implemented several programs to provide faculty, residents and students with quality and safety training and education.

As the Department of Medicine (DOM) Quality and Safety Officer, she helped design and co-chairs the Quality Improvement/Patient Safety (QIPS) committee created to institute a proactive culture of safety through interdisciplinary teamwork within the department and increase collaboration with the hospital's Division of Quality and Patient Safety and leadership of other clinical disciplines. In an effort to promote scholarship in quality improvement for residents and faculty at Weill Cornell, she proposed and led the launch of the Quality Improvement Poster session which, for the past two years, has showcased DOM faculty and resident quality projects funded through the QIPS committee to all members of her institution. Now in its third year, the program has expanded to include a Director of Operations and a dedicated research assistant and continues to promote the development of interdisciplinary research collaboration in QI.

Dr. Lee's research interests include understanding readmissions and improving multidisciplinary patient care and care transitions with publica-



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tions in the Journal of Hospital Medicine and Academic Medicine. Locally she serves on several committees focusing on improving clinical pathways, readmissions task force and improving the discharge process. On the regional level, she has co-authored a white paper on the role of the hospitalist in care transitions with the New York Chapter of the American College of Physicians. She was a member of the Hospitalist Advisory Group for the Healthcare Association of New York State's Partnership for Patients Readmissions Reduction Initiative and has also served as an expert panelist on readmissions and care transitions at regional conferences.