**Ophthalmology**

**Introduction**

The Section is extremely pleased to announce the addition of three ophthalmologists to our staff. All three bring academic excellence and speciality interest to our expanding services.

**Donald Miller, MD**

A graduate of Princeton University, received his MD from Dartmouth Medical School, and completed his residency training at University of Virginia. He is Fellowship trained in Cornea and Refractive Surgery.

Alexandra Elliott, MD is a graduate of Weylan University, received her MD from the University of Connecticut, and completed her residency training at Columbia University in New York. She is a graduate of the Fellowship program in Pediatric Ophthalmology at Boston Children’s Hospital and the Fellowship programs in both Adult Strabismus and Oculoplastic Surgery at Emory University.

Sandra Johnson, MD is a graduate of Dartmouth College, received her MD from Boston University, and completed residency training at the University of South Carolina. She is a graduate of the Fellowship program in Glaucoma at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary. She comes to Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center after seven years on the faculty in the Department of Ophthalmology at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. While at UNC, she was the Director of the glaucoma service, participated in multiple externally funded research projects, and received several student teaching awards.

**Research**

Susan Pepin, MD published a paper, Adelleth Aanes and the Dartmouth Eye Institute, in the Journal of Neuro-Ophthalmology. Additionally, a paper on intermittent ostitis as the initial presentations of juvenile naso-ethmoidal angiofibroma has been accepted and in press for the Journal of the American Association for Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus. Dr. Pepin was also appointed a Harnes Scholar at the Department of Surgery this year.

Michael Zegans, MD had a paper on Aplaguen Uveitis accepted in Archives of Ophthalmology. Dr. Zegans also presented three lectures as invited faculty at the Philadelphia Academy of Ophthalmology meeting this year.

Drs. Christopher Chapman and Rosalind Stevens completed their recruitment of patients for the TTT (transpupillary thermotherapy trial), patient monitoring will remain ongoing for two years.

Rosalind Stevens, MD completed her subspecialty period as the Medical Director of the DC-10 Flying Eye Hospital for Project Orbis. She supervised the medical, anesthesia, and

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**Abstracts**

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and nursing team on the airplane for three months in Chittagong, Bangladesh; Chennai, India; Salem, India; and Fuchow, China, after leading the medical rescue team in Macau, China. During this period she developed a med-
cal ophthalmic database for the DC-10 and was appoint-
ted to the Medical Advisory Board for a new internation-
al telemedicine project supported by Orbis

Grand Rounds and Hosted Meetings
Our monthly Grand Rounds at the Hanover Inn or DHMC continued to be well attended by our referring ophthalmologists. Topics included: Vitrreoretinal Update, Project Orbi, Ocular Complications of Smallpox Vaccination, Anterior Segment Updates, OCT and Macular Surgery, the Use of Topical Antibiotics in Ophthalmology, Clinical Trials in Glaucoma and Fluorescent Angiography Conference. The Session host-
ed Dr. Stanley Chang, Professor and Chair of Ophthalmology at Columbia-Presbyterian Hospital, New York City, as our Currant lecturer. Our Griggs lecture this year was Sheila West, PhD, and expert in international ophthalmic epidemiology. The 6th Annual CE and SKI conference for ophthalmic photographers held at DHMC attracted over 40 participants and next year’s meeting will be held in Utah. Monthly Journal Club continues as well; we expect to expand our morbidity and mortality confer-
ence to the entire eye care faculty this year.

The Future
The Session is currently evaluating our potential for developing a three year residency training program in Ophthalmology. We are in the information gathering stage, in discussion with both our referring physician part-
ners and our faculty to fully understand the commitment required to launch the highest quality training program possible.

General Surgery
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