

MedStar Research Institute

Geriatric Medicine

Research Areas

- Gerontology • Healthy elders • Frail elderly • Diabetes
- Rheumatology • Dementia • Infectious diseases
- Community-based primary care research

Research Background & Expertise

- Geriatric Medicine division, located in Baltimore, a community with the highest concentration of senior citizens in the State of Maryland, is led by Jack McCue, MD, editor of the first geriatric book published in the United States
- Access to diverse inpatient and outpatient population with special emphasis on blue collar and disproportionately elderly population
- Experienced clinical trial investigators with over 300 publications in prominent journals and books
- Outpatient clinical trial unit is located in Franklin Square Hospital Center, the 3rd largest hospital in Maryland and services the State's busiest emergency department
- Partnerships with a 150-bed teaching long term care facility and a continuous care retirement community of 2200 residents that services a sophisticated geriatric population – average occupant age of 82
- Dedicated inpatient and outpatient clinical trial staff includes certified geriatric medicine specialists, clinical and research fellows, and clinical coordinators
- Sponsors gain access to one of the largest pools of board certified geriatricians in the State

Transforming Research Into Results

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