

Geriatrics and Palliative Care SIG – AMERSA 2023

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7:00-8:15am

Attendees:

- Vassiliki Pravodelov MD FACP – Boston University/Boston Medical Center
- Ajay Manhapra, MD, Hampton Virginia VA Medical Center
- Justina Groeger MD, Montefiore
- Mim Ari MD, University of Chicago
- Ben Han MD, UC San Diego
- Soraya Azari MD
- Meg Devoe MD, Oregon Health and Science University
- Kimberly Beiting, MD, Vanderbilt

Summary:

After introductions, the group discussed our work in caring for patients with chronic serious illness and SUD and the intricacies of treatment multimorbidities including chronic pain. We brought up experiences in advocating for equitable care for older adults and patients with chronic serious illness with SUD such as ability to receive care at subacute care facilities, access to MOUD, access to medications for palliation and hospice services. We discussed collaboration activities. Vassiliki will send a follow-up email to all the SIG members.