

Committee Report – February 14, 2008
Faculty Practice Committee

Members of the committee:

From SON – Lynne Connelly, Diane Ebbert and Moya Peterson

From SAH – Perri Cagle, Adrienne Baxter and Debbie Daniels

Ex Officio – Carol Washington and Lou Loescher-Junge

Student Member – Linda Denney (SAH)

Committee is co-chaired by Perri Cagle and Diane Ebbert

Primary Function of the committee is to promote excellence in patient care delivery that includes suggestions for models for faculty practice implementation and development of clinical opportunities.

Major items of business for academic year 2007-2008.

Establishment of a new SAH student clinical excellence award modeled on the SON Colleen Kosiak Award. Monies from the estate of Bev Drake who worked for decades in the KU Hospital PT department will be used to fund this annual student award. Final preparations are being made by the committee. The award will be available in April 2009. Thanks to Adrienne Baxter and Lou Loescher-Junge for their work on this.

It was noted in 2007 that the SAH bylaws never reflected the addition of the combined SON and SAH faculty practice committee as a standing committee. The committee has worked with Marc Fey to ensure that this is added to the latest revisions.

The committee supported the Nurse-Managed Health Clinic Investment Act of 2007 with phone calls and letters.

The DNP program was approved by the BOR in November 2007.

Submitted by Perri Cagle, co-chair Faculty Practice Committee