Sleep Medicine Faculty

Bharati Prasad, MD MS
Program Director
Sleep Medicine
Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine

Pranshu Adavadkar, MD
Pediatric Sleep Medicine

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Sleep Medicine
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Neurology Sleep Medicine

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Melissa Carlucci, DNP
APRN

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APRN

Multidisciplinary Sleep Rotations

Maria Therese
Galang-Boquiren DMD, MS
An orthodontist in the UIC College of Dentistry. Her research interest is in evaluating the effectiveness of oral appliance treatment of obstructive sleep apnea.

Michael Spector, DMD, MS
A dentist in Restorative Dentistry in the UIC College of Dentistry who does dental treatment of sleep apnea.

Rakhi Thambi, MD
An ENT in the Otolaryngology at UIC. She leads the INSPIRE surgical evaluation and implantation program.

Jesse Brown V.A.

Ronel G. Malkani, MD
Neurologist
Sleep Specialist

Samina Ahmed Jauregui, PsyD
Sleep Psychology
Behavioral Sleep Medicine

Advocate Children’s Medical Group
The following focus on the treatment of infant sleep disorders.

Innessa Michelle Donskoy, MD
Pediatric Sleep Medicine

Darius Loghmanee, MD
Pediatric Sleep Medicine

Center for Sleep and Health Research

Bilgay I. Balserak, PhD
Clinical research focuses on women’s health with an emphasis on sleep disturbances & its relevance to adverse health outcomes.

Michael W. Calik, PhD
Bench research on investigating pharmacological treatments of sleep related breathing disorders & studying respiratory modulation during sleep.

David W. Carley, PhD
Bench & translational research with a focus on the neurobiology of sleep to understand the causes & consequences of sleep disorders & to develop improved diagnostic & therapeutic options.

Anne M. Fink, PhD
Bench research on understanding how sleep disorders impact the cardiovascular system.

Mary Kapella, PhD RN
Research in developing effective interventions to address sleep disturbances experienced by people with chronic illnesses eg. COPD