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Bio

BIO

Dr. Helen Sun is a clinician educator in geriatrics and palliative medicine. She cares for older adults in post-acute long term care facilities and provides palliative care to those with serious illness in the outpatient setting. In addition, Dr. Sun has an interest in medical education and is in the process of completing her master's degree at Harvard.

CLINICAL FOCUS

- Family Medicine
- Geriatrics
- Palliative Care

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Assistant Professor, Medicine - Primary Care and Population Health

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Fellow of the Year Award, NYU Geriatrics (6/2019)
- Best Graduate Medical Education Project Award, NYU Langone Medical Center (6/2019)
- Best Paper Award in The Science and Clinical Care of Older Adults session, American Geriatrics Society (5/2019)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine (2019 - present)
- Member, AMDA Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Society (2018 - present)
- Member, American Geriatrics Society (2018 - present)
- Member, American Board of Family Medicine (2015 - present)

Research & Scholarship

CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Medical education in geriatrics and palliative medicine

Advance care planning

Teaching

GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Geriatric Medicine (Fellowship Program)
- Hospice & Palliative Medicine (Fellowship Program)
- Medicine (Masters Program)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Hospital volunteers: an innovative pipeline to increase the geriatrics workforce** *GERONTOLOGY & GERIATRICS EDUCATION*
Sun, H., Zweig, Y., Perskin, M., Chodosh, J., Blachman, N. L.
2022; 43 (4): 564-570
- **Characteristics and Palliative Care Needs of COVID-19 Patients Receiving Comfort-Directed Care** *JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN GERIATRICS SOCIETY*
Sun, H., Lee, J., Meyer, B. J., Myers, E. L., Nishikawa, M. S., Tischler, J. L., Blinderman, C. D.
2020; 68 (6): 1162-1164
- **PERK-KIPK-KCBP signalling negatively regulates root growth in Arabidopsis thaliana** *JOURNAL OF EXPERIMENTAL BOTANY*
Humphrey, T. V., Haasen, K. E., Aldea-Brydges, M., Sun, H., Zayed, Y., Indriolo, E., Goring, D. R.
2015; 66 (1): 71-83