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From the Division of Public Health Sciences, Department of Surgery
Graham A. Colditz, MD, DrPH, *Chief*

Accuracy of information about the intrauterine device on the internet



| Health Communication Research |

Mary Politi, PhD; Tessa Madden, MD, MPH; et al.
Published in *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology*
[PubMed](#) | [Politi Profile](#) | [Madden Profile](#)

Using knowledge exchange to build and sustain community support to reduce cancer screen inequities



| Health Disparities Research |

Rebecca Lobb, ScD, MPH; et al.
Published in *Breast Cancer Prevention and Treatment*
[PubMed](#) | [Lobb Profile](#)

Clinical outcomes among women with mucinous adenocarcinoma of the ovary



| Biostatistics Research |

Feng Gao, MD, PhD, MPH; et al.
Published in *Gynecologic and Obstetric Investigation*
[PubMed](#) | [Gao Profile](#)

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Division News Briefs

- The Division of Public Health Sciences congratulates [Melody Goodman](#), PhD, assistant professor of surgery, on her recent **appointment by Major Slay to the St. Louis City Board of Health**. In her appointment, Dr. Goodman will help advise the Commissioner of Health on public health issues within St. Louis City. Dr. Goodman's term will run through February 2019.
- [Graham Colditz](#), MD, DrPH, **presented at the Canadian Cancer Research Conference** about cancer prevention and the link to obesity. His presentation, *We Can Prevent More than Half of Cancer Now: An Update on Evidence including Weight Gain and Breast Cancer*, is [available here for download](#).
- Join us **Thursday, Dec. 10, at 4:30 p.m.** for this month's **Epidemiology and Clinical Outcomes Research Seminar Series** in the Doll & Hill Teaching Room 2131 in the Taylor Avenue Building. [Graham Colditz](#), MD, DrPH, Niess-Gain Professor of Surgery, Chief, Division of Public Health Sciences, Associate Director of Prevention and Control at Siteman Cancer Center, and Carolyn Stoll, MPH, Staff Scientist, will present *Inclusion of individuals with multiple chronic conditions in*



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This newsletter provides a select summary of research news from the Division of Public Health Sciences.

We are a team of researchers and clinicians dedicated to preventing disease, improving health outcomes, and promoting quality and access to health care.

The Division of Public Health Sciences is part of the [Department of Surgery](#).

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randomized controlled trials of behavioral interventions. See upcoming [seminar series](#) presentations.

- The Division of Public Health Sciences is now **accepting applications for Cancer Prevention and Control Postdoctoral Training positions** through a T32 grant. Please [visit the website](#) for more information and to apply.
- The Division of Public Health Sciences and the [Department of Orthopedics](#) **invite applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of assistant or associate professor.** For more information, or to apply for the position, please [view the job posting](#).
- Don't forget to donate items to **Brendan's Friday Backpack**, a non-profit organization that collects food for local students who do not have access to food over the weekends. Donations will be accepted through December 16. A donation box is located in the South suite in the TAB.

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