

Eva Y. Lew, M.D.

Philosophy of Care

With my training in pulmonary disease and critical care medicine, I provide patient care and also conduct research on lung disease. As a primary care physician, I see patients for both general health care and pulmonary problems. I especially enjoy the chance to educate patients and help them set and reach health-related goals. I also take care of intensive-care patients, for whom communication with patients and their families is critical in choosing the best treatment plan. This is an especially demanding setting that calls for a wide range of skills. I enjoy relating to my patients, but I also know that my time in the research laboratory may potentially prevent some patients from needing intensive-care treatment.

Clinical Interests

Eva Y. Lew received a Research Training Fellowship from the American Lung Association of California to study apoptosis and oxidant-induced DNA damage in airway epithelium. She also has focused on cardiovascular research, including calcium as a treatment for mild hypertension, and blood pressure recovery curves after submaximal exercise as a predictor of hypertension.

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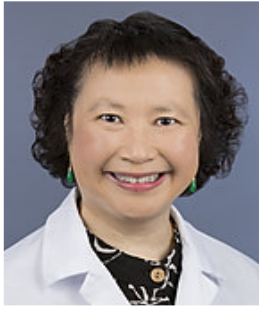
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Internships University of California, Davis Medical Center, Sacramento, California, 1990-93

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Honors and Awards Bank of America Achievement Award in the fields of Mathematics and Science: Zone Finalist (\$2,000 scholarship), 1982
Soroptimist International Youth Citizenship Award, 1982
Doyle Scholarship, 1982

Select Recent Publications Lew EYT, Usachanko J, McDonald RJ. Senescent neutrophils injure airway epithelium. *Journal of Investigative Medicine* 1996;44(1):166A
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