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9264!!!

Site Spotlight

MILLARD FILLMORE SUBURBAN HOSPITAL (SITE 504), PI: MICHAEL WILSON



Improvement in the quality of patient care continues to be of paramount concern in medicine. The Promise Trial speaks to one of the areas in cardiology that offers the opportunity to address this issue. We chose to utilize our chest pain center-observation unit at Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital. The patients are scheduled to undergo testing for possible coronary disease. The functional test is nuclear cardiac stress testing with the alternative being cardiac computed tomography. We trained our cardiac stress technicians to assist us to identify appropriate patients who meet the criteria. Dr. Michael F. Wilson interviews the patients initially for randomization and Wendy Orłowski, RN does the in depth interview. Sandi Myers serves as our coordinator. The chest pain center-observation unit physicians have been enthusiastic and cooperative. We have faced two kinds of challenges; some patients not wanting to be involved in an investigative trial and others preferring what they consider standard stress testing. Majority of patients interviewed have consented and have been cooperative. Pictured: Wendy Orłowski (seated), Sandi Myers and Dr. Wilson.