



## **Medical Advisory Board on Colorectal Cancer Screening**

The Medical Advisory Board (MAB) supports Epigenomics – the sponsor of the PRESEPT - study in development and commercialization of its colorectal cancer screening test in the U.S. It supports Epigenomics through design of sponsored clinical studies, speaking on behalf of the application of DNA methylation technology to colorectal cancer screening in the U.S., advising on product positioning in the U.S. and by supporting the inclusion of blood screening assays into screening guidelines promulgated by US American professional societies.

### **MAB Members:**

Richard Wender, MD, is Alumni Professor and Chair of the Department of Family and Community Medicine at Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia, PA. Dr. Wender's major area of academic focus has been cancer prevention and screening. He has served in leadership positions of professional societies at the state and national level including co-chair of the Professional Education and Practice Task Group and the Steering Committee of the National Colorectal Cancer Roundtable. He is the recipient of the St. George Medal from the American Cancer Society and the Cancer Prevention Laurel for National Leadership from the Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation.

Douglas Rex, MD, is Chancellor's Professor and Professor of Medicine at Indiana University School of Medicine and Director of Endoscopy at Indiana University Hospital. As former Chair, US Multi-Society Task Force on Colorectal Cancer, Dr. Rex has been a leading author on key screening guideline documents.

Deborah Fisher, MD, MHS, is Assistant Professor of Medicine, Duke University and core investigator with the Durham VA Health Services Research and Development Center of Excellence. A recipient of Research Excellence in GI and Liver (REGAL) Award, Dr. Fisher's research agenda is to close the gap between guidelines and actual clinical practice for colorectal cancer prevention and detection. Her NIH and VA funded work has evaluated the process of follow-up care for screening and surveillance, validated self-reported screening status, assessed quality indicators, and explored screening appropriateness.

Philip S. Schoenfeld, M.D., M.Ed., M.Sc., is Associate Professor, Department of Internal Medicine, Director, Training Program in GI Epidemiology University of Michigan. Dr. Schoenfeld's research interests have been centered on colorectal cancer screening with colonoscopy and stool tests, cost-effectiveness of colorectal cancer screening and surveillance, and adoption of colorectal cancer screening guidelines.

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