



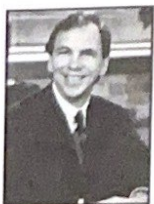
Dr. Christie

The *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review* featured **William C. Christie, MD**, ophthalmology, as a Newsmaker in

February for his work with Mission Vision, a non-profit group he founded that provides free eye exams and eyewear to the homeless and others in need.

Shelana Gibbs-McElvy, MD, physical medicine and rehabilitation, was selected by the Girl Scouts—Trillium Council as one of its 2007 *Women and Girls of Distinction* for her volunteerism in the African-American community. The award was presented at a reception on April 19 at the Pittsburgh Hilton. Dr. Gibbs-McElvy is affiliated with Mercy Hospital, where she is on the faculty in the Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation clinical clerkship program. In addition, she is a practice partner at Medical Rehabilitation Inc.

Thomas A. Kavic, MD, diagnostic radiology, recently became vice chairman for the governor's Advisory Council of the Office of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. Governor Ed Rendell appointed Dr. Kavic to the council last summer. The council makes suggestions or recommendations to improve services to Pennsylvania's hearing impaired.



Dr. McCafferty

The American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery will honor **Leo R. McCafferty, MD**, plastic surgery, with

its Tiffany Award for the Best Scientific Presentation at the 2006 Aesthetic Society Meeting. Dr. McCafferty served as one of the three main investigators and presented the results of a three-city study that examined re-operations following initial breast augmentation procedures. The award will be presented at the society's 2007 annual meeting in New York City on April 23.

The *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review* featured **David Parda, MD**, radiation oncology, as a Newsmaker in March as one of three U.S. cancer specialists elected to the National Cancer Institute's Central Institutional Review Board Initiative. The review board monitors research involving human participants and strives to reduce the administrative burden on hospitals and universities, while maximizing the protection of patients participating in clinical trials.



Dr. Serbin

At Home with Jennifer magazine, *MD News* and *Pediatric News* recently featured **Scott R. Serbin, MD**, pediatrics,

regarding his concierge pediatric practice. He also has been mentioned in articles in the *New York Times* and TheStreet.com concerning house calls he had made that led to him diagnosing serious illnesses in his young patients.

The *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review* featured **Karl E. Williams, MD**, anatomic and clinical pathology, in a March profile. Dr. Williams became the medical examiner for Allegheny County in January.

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