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Halim Abou-Faycal recently joined IPC, The Hospitalist Company, as a hospitalist at Johnson City Medical Center.

Faycal is board certified in internal medicine and infectious diseases. Before joining IPC of Te n n e s s e e , Faycal was m e d i c a l Abou-Faycal director of the infectious diseases department at St. Edwards Mercy Hospital in Fort Smith, Ark., and served on numerous medical committees. As an IPC Hospitalist, Faycal will be managing IPC patient care in the hospital and developing patient recovery and discharge plans to ensure a smooth transition from hospital to home.

IPC is a physician group practice company focused on the delivery of hospitalist medicine and related facility-based services.

Milligan College will make several staff changes this summer in its office of institutional advancement.

Jack Simpson, a major gift officer and assistant to the president of Milligan for the past 12 years, will be promoted to vice president for institutional advancement effective July 16. He will fill the role currently held by Dr. Bill Greer, who on July 16 will become Milligan's 15th president. Greer, who has served as vice president for institutional advancement since 2007, will succeed Milligan's retiring President Donald R. Jeanes.

Simpson graduated from Milligan in 1992 with a bachelor of science degree in business administration. In 2009, he earned a master of arts in philanthropic studies from Indiana University (Indianapolis). He is a member of the Planned Giving Group of Indiana, a chapter of the Partnership for Philanthropic Planning. A native of Twin Falls, Idaho, he is married to Beth (Zimmerman), a 1994 graduate of Milligan. They have five children.

Brad Frame, of Louisville, Ky., succeeds Simpson as assistant to the president for Milligan's Midwest region. Frame, a 1996 Milligan graduate, has distinguished himself in the pharmaceutical and medical industries with Johnson & Johnson, Novartis and most recently, ZirMed. In his new role at Milligan, he will work from his home in Louisville, establishing, maintaining and advancing relationships with alumni and friends throughout the region.

Frame is currently enrolled in courses at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he is pursuing a master of arts degree. He and his wife Kristen (Barnett), a 1997 Milligan graduate, have two children.

In addition, Rhajon Smith, currently an annual fund officer at Milligan, will be promoted to Milligan's director of development effective July 18. Smith is a 1998 graduate of Milligan. She has nine years of experience working in development, including six years as director of resource development and marketing for the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Kingsport.

In 2005, she earned a master of arts in professional communication from East Tennessee State University. She and her husband Todd, a 1997 Milligan graduate, live in Chuckey.

Homer D. G'Fellers, president and CEO at the Johnson City Power Board, received the American Public Power Association's Harold Kramer-John Preston Personal Service Award at the association's national conference in Washington, D.C. This award recognizes service to APPA through substantial contributions toward association goals.

G'Fellers has served for the past three years on APPA's Legislative and Resolutions Committee and is president of the Tennessee Municipal Electric Power Association. He also serves on both the Energy Services and Government Relations Policy Committees for the Tennessee Valley Public Power Association.

In his 37 years with JCPB, G'Fellers has worked in many branches of the company's operations, including meter reading, stores and purchasing, budgeting and financial planning, marketing, energy services and customer relations. For the past seven years, G'Fellers has been president and CEO of JCPB. He is involved in local politics, having served as both alderman and mayor for the town of Jonesborough.

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