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Primary Health Care provider, Nicole Gastala, M.D. has been published in the July 2016 issue of "<u>Health Affairs</u>". This peer reviewed journal focuses on health care, health policy and where the two intersect. Dr. Gastala's article is titled "Medicare Part D: Patients Bear the Cost of 'Me Too' Brand Name Drugs". To view an abstract of the article or to purchase the complete piece, see this link on the "<u>Health Affairs</u>" website.

Dr. Gastala is a provider at the PHC Medical Clinic in Marshalltown, IA. She is a 2012 graduate of Loyola University Stritch School of Medicine and completed her residency at the University of Iowa, where she shared with a fellow student, the Resident Research of the Year Award in 2013-2014. She was also a visiting scholar at the Graham Center in March of 2015.

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