



MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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## Medical Staff Clinical Conferences



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### FEBRUARY 3

#### **Delirium in Older Persons: Pervasive, Perilous, and Preventable**

*Angela Botts Catic, MD*

Director of Inpatient Services and Geriatric Education  
Division of Gerontology, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

### FEBRUARY 10

#### **Controversies in the Management of the Small Renal Mass**

*Adam S. Feldman, MD, MPH*

Department of Urology, Massachusetts General Hospital

### FEBRUARY 17

#### **Update on the Vaccine and Autism Controversy**

*Edward Chung, MD*

Department of Pediatrics, Hospitalist Service  
Emerson Hospital

### MARCH 2

#### **Current Trends and Outcomes in Valve Surgery**

*Torin P. Fitton, MD*

Division of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery  
Lahey Clinic

### MARCH 9

#### **Update on Coagulation – A Family Conversation**

*Robert I. Handin, MD*

Department of Hematology  
Brigham & Women's Hospital

*David Handin, MD*

Department of Medicine, Hospitalist Service  
Emerson Hospital

### MARCH 16

#### **The Perioperative Cardiovascular Evaluation: What the Non-Cardiologist Needs to Know**

*Stephen Dyda, DO*

Department of Medicine, Cardiology Service  
Emerson Hospital

### MARCH 23

#### **Palliative Care and Hospice: The Continuum of Care**

*Stephanie Patel, MD*

Chief Medical Officer  
Hospice of the North Shore and Greater Boston  
Department of Medicine, Emerson Hospital

*Alyssa Luddy, MD*

Palliative Care Physician  
Hospice of the North Shore and Greater Boston  
Department of Medicine, Emerson Hospital

### MARCH 30

#### **Reducing Hospital Readmissions: The National Landscape and Early Lessons from Efforts to Reduce Readmissions\***

*Amy Boutwell, MD*

Department of Medicine, Massachusetts General Hospital  
Director of Health Policy Strategy, Institute for Health Care  
Improvement

### APRIL 6

#### **Being the Good Doctor You Want to Be in Times of Stress\***

*Luis Sanchez, MD*

Director, Physician Health Services  
Massachusetts Medical Society

### APRIL 13

#### **Current Concepts and Future Trends in Concussion Evaluation, Management, and Treatment**

*Robert Cantu, MD*

Department of Surgery, Neurosurgery Service  
Emerson Hospital

### APRIL 27

#### **M&M Rounds\***

Department of Surgery  
Emerson Hospital



### MAY 4

#### **Antimicrobial Stewardship**

*Shira Doron, MD*

Department of Geographic Medicine and Infectious Diseases  
Tufts Medical Center

### MAY 11

#### **Quality and Patient Safety at Emerson... Progress and Challenges\***

*C. Gregory Martin, MD*

Chief Medical Officer and Sr. Vice President for Clinical Affairs  
Department of Medicine, Emerson Hospital

### MAY 18

#### **Advances in Targeted Therapies in Breast Cancer**

*Jose Baselga, MD, PhD*

Associate Director, MGH Cancer Center  
Department of Hematology & Oncology  
Massachusetts General Hospital

### JUNE 1

#### **Comorbidities of COPD: Chance or Fate**

*Bartolomew R. Celli, MD*

Department of Medicine, Pulmonary & Critical Care  
Brigham & Women's Hospital

### JUNE 8

#### **Depression in the Childbearing Years**

*Ruta Nonacs, MD, PhD*

Department of Psychiatry  
Massachusetts General Hospital

### JUNE 15

#### **Adult Immunizations: Recommendations and Challenges**

*Susan M. Lett, MD, MPH*

Medical Director, Immunization Program  
Division of Epidemiology and Immunization  
Massachusetts Department of Public Health

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