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School of Medicine  
Department of Pediatrics

## LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

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### LSU Pediatrics Announcements

#### Neonatology Division Hosts Vermont Oxford Network Subgroup Meeting

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week, the division of neonatology will be hosting a Vermont Oxford Network Subgroup Meeting at Children's Hospital with over 60 attendees from 7 different institutions. The Vermont Oxford Network is an international collaboration of NICUs dedicated to improving the quality, safety, and value of care for newborn infants and their families through a coordinated program of data-driven quality improvement, education, and research. Children's Hospital and each of the other LCMC birthing hospitals are part of the Vermont Oxford Network. Meeting organizers include Drs. Julie Gallois, Michelle Knecht, Christy Mumphrey, and Brian Barkemeyer. Presentations will include topics such as perinatal care of the complex fetus, neonatal transport, perioperative transitions of care, disaster preparedness, and trauma informed care.

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#### Fellows Attend Journeys & Frontiers in Pediatric Research

Cardiology Fellow Kanya Singhapakdi and Hematology/Oncology Fellow Christian Nieves attended the PAS 2024 Mini-Gordon Conference titled "Journeys & Frontiers in Pediatric Research." The program is designed to encourage and support promising early career investigators in pediatrics by offering inspiring career journey stories, career development

mentoring, feedback on research and networking with experienced and peers in academic medicine. Thank you to Dr. Moulton for nominating Kanya and Christian to attend!



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## COMSEP COACH Certificate Program SAVE THE DATE September 16-18, 2024 | Arlington, VA

The COMSEP Coach Certificate Program is an interactive, longitudinal course, based on the competencies of the International Federation of Coaches, that will give medical educators the skills and resources to effectively coach their learners and peers.

**Why Coaching?** Coaching has broad applicability and is focused on asking questions that encourage exploration and curiosity in the coachee. While mentoring is sometimes thought of as creating someone like oneself by directing them, coaching involves helping others achieve their goals by asking reflective and thoughtful questions.

**Program Overview** Program elements include orientation materials, welcome reception, one-and-a-half-day in person conference taught by certified coaches that will include large group sessions and peer coaching practice, longitudinal learning and practice during monthly conference calls, and a half day course consolidation and celebration at the 2024 COMSEP annual meeting.

**Date: September 16-18, 2024 | Arlington, Virginia (right outside of Washington DC)**

**Cost: \$2,000 for COMSEP members, \$2,500 for non-members**

*Due to the interactive nature of this program, registration is limited to 30*

participants.  
Coming soon: Registration and Hotel Information.

The COMSEP Coach Program has been conveniently scheduled to take place just PRIOR to the New APPD Pediatric Medical Education Conference.

Please consider attending BOTH...

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## APPD Pediatric Medical Education Conference SAVE THE DATE September 18-20, 2024 | Arlington, VA

This inaugural conference will convene established and aspiring content experts and leaders in pediatric medical education, across organizations, to facilitate knowledge sharing and collaborative approaches to the challenges facing our field.

The Association of Medical School Pediatric Department Chairs (AMSPDC), Academic Pediatric Association (APA), Council on Medical Student Education in Pediatrics (COMSEP), Council of Pediatric Subspecialties (CoPS), FuturePedsRes and the American Board of Pediatrics (ABP), among others, will be collaborating with APPD for the meeting.

**SUBMISSIONS OPEN NOW!**  
[CLICK HERE for more information!](#)

If you have any questions about either the COMSEP or APPD meetings, please reach out to [Amy Creel](#).

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### Share Your News!

The department wants to highlight your success! Please send any news to include in *Tuesday Tidbits* to [Kelly Allerton](#)



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## FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

*New video monthly*

## May Video: Clinical Teaching "Simplified"

As we continue our mission of providing excellent medical education, check out this video. It provides a simple, efficient, and effective method of teaching medical students and residents in a variety of clinical settings. It addresses major concerns (TIME!) and provides practical tips, and there are great references for those who would like to learn more.

<https://vimeo.com/89625533>

Please send any suggestions or areas of faculty development need to [acree1@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:acree1@lsuhsc.edu).

If you are interested in other forms of Faculty Development, visit these websites:

- [LSU Pediatrics Faculty Development Page](#)
- [LSUHSC GME Medical Education Development Site](#)
- [LSUHSC Faculty Development and Evaluation Committee's Tiger Bites Series](#)
- [ACGME LEARN](#)

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For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Creel](#).

## CHNOLA Announcements

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### Grand Rounds

# Hybrid Pediatric Grand Rounds



Children's Hospital  
New Orleans  
LCMC Health

## "Becoming a Change Agent: Media Advocacy"

Wednesday, May 8, 2024

Hospital Large Conference Rooms, Noon

You may join Pediatric Grand Rounds from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:

To receive CME or CEU Credit in person or online, you **MUST** register.

Register here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

Zoom link: <https://lshsc.zoom.us/j/92060541657>  
Meeting ID: 920 6054 1657



**Seema Jilani, MD, FAAP**, serves as the Senior Emergency Health Advisor for Quality in Emergencies at the International Rescue Committee (IRC). She has done humanitarian aid work in Afghanistan, Gaza, the West Bank, Lebanon, Egypt, the Balkans, on refugee rescue boats off the coast of Libya, on medical evacuation flights, and in other areas of conflict. She recently briefed the UN Security Council and Senior White House officials on her work as an emergency room physician in Gaza in 2024. She is a Fulbright Scholar, a Truman National Security Fellow, and an avid writer and advocate for her pediatric patients whose work has been featured in The New Yorker, The New York Times, NPR, the Guardian, BBC News, and other media outlets. Dr. Jilani has been recognized by the American Human Rights Council with the Spirit of Humanity Award, and in 2024 was recognized by the IRC on International Women's Day.

**Objectives:** At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1. Use different media platforms, including op-eds, radio, and tv, to advocate for patients.
2. Identify how social media can amplify advocacy messages.
3. Weigh the ethical implications of media advocacy.

**Intended audience:** This activity is specifically directed towards the pediatrician, but it is open to all other interested physicians, residents, medical students, and allied health professionals.

**Accreditation** Children's Hospital New Orleans is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

**Designation** Children's Hospital New Orleans designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

**CNE statement:** Children's Hospital is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by Louisiana State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Provider #4003155. To receive credit, you must attend the entire program and submit a post program evaluation.

**ADA Statement:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if special accommodations are needed, please notify Denise Graham at 504-896-9431.



Please see the [attached flyer](#) for this week's presentation. A limited number of lunches will be provided for guests in the Large Conference Rooms. Overflow viewing space is available in the small rooms outside the Conference Rooms, or on the 3rd floor in the Physician Lounge.

Register Here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

**PLEASE READ:** You need to register using the linked form to receive credit for participating. Thank you for your understanding.

*The usual note: to receive credit, attendees must register using the provided form, and attendee names as they appear in zoom should clearly identify the attendee.*

## Department Wellness

CHNOLA's childcare center open for children of providers/staff working at Children's Hospital ([flyer](#))

LSU Pediatrics Wellness Resources ([information](#))

## Other Announcements

***Latest Edition of The Pulse*** ([link](#))

### ***Resident Education***

- Resident Participation in Research ([information](#)) - complete a shared spreadsheet with a brief description of the project you are looking for collaboration or assistance with.

### ***Department Biostatistician***

- Department Biostatistician, Dr. Zhide Fang, is available to provide biostatistical support to faculty, fellows, and residents. Please see below for revised scheduling procedures:
  1. Email Zhide Fang at [zfang@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:zfang@lsuhsc.edu)
  2. Provide brief explanation of the service you need and, if applicable, times you are able to meet
  3. Dr. Fang may request additional information depending on the nature of your request
  4. Asking simple, direct questions through email is welcome at any time, but appointments are preferred

### ***Administrative Reminders***

- Importance of Time Certification ([information](#)) - learn more about why we certify time each month!
- Use of Non-LSUHSC Email ([information](#))
- Download the Department Composites for the 2023-2024 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), and [Admin Staff](#)).
- LSU travel policy and procedures ([information](#))

## Department Anniversaries

Mary Pendleton, 24 years  
Richelle Monier, 8 years  
Thomas Kimball, 5 years

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