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School of Medicine  
Department of Pediatrics

## LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

Welcome to the Department of Pediatrics' weekly email blast designed to deliver important department information straight to your inbox.

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### LSU Pediatrics Announcements

#### LSU Pediatrics Cub Corner Newsletter

The bimonthly issue of the Department of Pediatrics newsletter, "The Cub Corner", has been released for the November/December season! This issue covers the recent Town Hall, the Second Harvest Food Drive, the Gender-diverse Youth Social, and more! Be sure to take a look, and all suggestions for feature in the next issue can be sent to Sarah Brooks (sbroo9@lsuhsc.edu).

[Cub Corner Nov/Dec 2023](#)



#### Book Drive: LSU & Tulane Resident Clinic

The LSU and Tulane Residents will be holding a drive to collect books for patients. New or gently used books in Spanish or English appropriate for any age will be accepted. Books will be collected through **January 31st** and boxes will be available in the resident lounge and physician's lounge.

If you would prefer to donate cash, please venmo @Shivani-Patel-83. All donations will be put towards new books for the children and families who need them. Thank you for



your support!

Order free  
CDC pediatric  
books here:



Take a look  
at our  
wishlist here:



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## Pennington / Louisiana NORC - 2024 P&F RFA

The Pennington/Louisiana NORC is pleased to announce a Pilot and Feasibility

Grant Program. The full text of the Application Instructions can be found [here](#).

The major objective of this program is to provide research support to early-stage scientists and multidisciplinary teams to develop preliminary data and/or novel methods involving nutrition and/or obesity-related research.

The highest priority will be given to translational research projects related to nutrition and/or obesity throughout the lifespan. The P&F awards are intended to generate preliminary data for the investigator to obtain extramural research funding from the NIH (e.g., K01, R01).

- **Submission Deadline for LOI: February 2, 2024**
- Funding available: \$100,000
- Submission: Apply through the Pennington NORC P&F [web portal](#)

Questions about the P/F grant program can be directed to:

Jacqueline Fox  
NORC Administrator  
[jacqueline.fox@pbrc.edu](mailto:jacqueline.fox@pbrc.edu)

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### Share Your News!

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



# FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

*New video monthly*

## December Video: Thinking Like a Doctor

How do we teach learners to "Think Like a Doctor"? How do we help learners get from data to diagnosis and treatment? How do we teach Clinical Reasoning Skills? This video (8 minutes) breaks down how experts synthesize information to make medical decisions, and how we can teach our medical students and residents to move past "novice" thinking patterns.

<https://vimeo.com/73003540>

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](#)
- [ACGME LEARN](#)

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## Tiger Bites Podcast

The Faculty Development and Evaluation Committee is excited to announce that **Season 2 of Tiger Bites** is now [available online](#)! We have 12 episodes for you to chew on, and hope that you learn something new. After listening, complete the evaluation to receive your CME credit.

This Season's episodes include:

- Building a Successful Research Career with Dr. Steve Nelson
- Effective Questioning with **Dr. Robin English**
- Career Development for New Faculty with Dr. Daniel Raines
- Professionalism with Dr. Randy Roig
- Role of Faculty Assembly with **Dr. Pinki Prasad**
- Inside the Fiscal Affairs Office with Ms. Katherine Diodene
- Understanding the Office of Academic Affairs with Dr. Lee Engel
- Being a Successful Basic Science Chair with Dr. Carmen Canavier
- Roles of Clerkship Directors with Drs. Jaime Alleyn and La'Nasha Tanner
- Nuts and Bolts of Mentorship with Dr. Nick Gilpin
- Leadership Academy with Drs. Cynthia Brown and Cathy Lazarus
- Understanding the Office of Student Affairs with Drs. Cathy Lazarus and Taniya DeSilva

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

# CHNOLA Announcements

## Grand Rounds

There will be no Grand Rounds this week. Have a happy holiday!

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## 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.

### *Research and Grants*

- Updated: Several Avenues of Stats Support, Education and Consultation ([information](#)) ([using stats models through CITI](#))
- New Pre-Review for Grant Proposals service offered by LSU ([information](#))

### *Administrative Reminders*

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

## Department Anniversaries

The following employees celebrate another year with the department this month. Thank you for your continued service to LSU Pediatrics!

Kelly Gajewski, 14 years

Jason Turner, 6 years

Aileen Miller, 2 years  
Arlette Soros, 2 years

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