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## 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

#### Mark your calendars:

**Friday, February 15th at Noon in Conference Center:  
"State of the Department" Presentation by Dr. Watts**

Children's Hospital Appoints Bonnie Desselle, MD as Chief Medical Education Officer and Director of the Department of Medical Education ([release](#))

Dr. Gary Duhon named Acting Section Head of Pediatric Critical Care for the LSU Health New Orleans Department of Pediatrics ([release](#))

Pediatric and Pediatric Emergency Medicine Residency Interviews will be conducted on Thursday and Friday. Here are the [applicants](#) that will be visiting this week.

Dr. Morvant receives prestigious AAP Section on Hospice and Palliative Medicine Scholarship ([information](#))

Please welcome our new round of medical students ([composite](#))! Please be mindful of the upcoming medical student evaluation [deadlines](#).

The Mary Kay Foundation Grant ([information](#))

Pilot Grant Program for Young Investigators Focused on Obesity Research ([information](#))

2019 Winter Institute for Study Design and Protocol Development Workshop ([information](#))

PAS 2019 meeting registration is now open ([information](#))

LA CaTS 2019 Spring Multi-institution Grant Funding Opportunity ([information](#))

LA CaTS 2019 Diabetes Focused Pilot Grant ([information](#))

### **Faculty Development** - 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 we (experts) synthesize information to make medical decisions, and how we can teach our medical students and residents to move past "novice" thinking patterns. This is highly recommended for those teaching in busy clinical settings.

For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Prudhomme](#), [Jessica Patrick-Esteve](#) or [Amy Creel](#). ([video](#))

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## **CHNOLA Announcements**

WHO DAT: Saints Pep Rally ([information](#))

CHNOLA is offering Provider Optimization Labs to help people with either personalization or learning efficiencies. A trainer will be available in the Medical Staff lounge 11am-2pm on the following days:

- January 22
- February 4
- February 5
- February 18
- February 19
- March 18

The labs are drop in. The trainer will also be available to come round or assist in the main campus clinics before/after these times if arranged ahead of time. Please let me know if you would like the trainer to visit your clinic at main campus.

Lactic Acid ordering changes: Lactic Acid is only done by RT and the new order routes it to them. Please see the attached picture showing the new order appearance. ([Lactic Acid Order](#))

EPIC upgrade coming in July. Be on the lookout for more information as we get closer!

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## **Upcoming Events**

**01/16/19** - Grand Rounds: *High Blood Pressure in Childhood: Why Should We Care?*, Joseph T. Flynn, MD

**Grand Rounds Shuttle**  
now departing the main hospital at 7:45am and 7:55am  
and returning at 9:05am and 9:15am.

**01/17/19** - Dr. Hyman's band Vali Talbot and Irish Enough ([information](#))

**01/18/19** - Cleft & Velopharyngeal Dysfunction Interactive Conference  
([information](#))

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## Department Wellness

Free Yoga at CHNOLA! Classes are held every Wednesday from 5:15pm to 6:15pm in the State Street Conference Center. Sign up [here](#).

Advice for a Student Starting Medical School ([article](#))

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## Department Anniversaries

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

Abraham Gedalia, 27 years  
Maria Velez, 24 years  
Owen Allen, 20 years  
Gwendolyn Collins, 14 years  
Renette Jones, 5 years

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## In Other News...

Dr. Dana Rivera (below) teaches the LSU residents and students in our newly designed and updated 2 Center learning center.



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