

**January 14, 2020**

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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 Tigers Claim College Football National Championship**

LSU Pediatrics and CHNOLA cheered on the LSU Tigers ahead of the National Championship yesterday in the Lauricella Pavillion.





Dr. Sarah Dumas announced she will serve as the Associate Medical Director for Louisiana Medicaid, and will have joint appointments in the Department of Medicine, Section of Community and Population Medicine as well as the LSUHSC Center for Healthcare Value and Equity. The majority of her time will be focused on providing strategic leadership around key initiatives related to continuous quality improvement, population health, and health equity, including the integration and implementation of social determinants of health screening, and integration of community health worker support into Medicaid-funded care. She will also continue caring for general pediatric and adolescent patients at the Kids First TigerCARE clinic and participate in resident and medical student education.

The AAP, SOHO and ASPHO societies invited Dr. Maria Velez to serve on a Pediatric Hematology/Oncology policy work group named Coagulation Disorders Work Group. She will serve a three-year term starting January 1, 2020.

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### **The Pelican Krewe would love to hear from you!**

Please participate in our 1st Annual Feedback Survey so we can best understand how to continue to strengthen our program and meet your patients' needs.

Advocacy Opportunity - Read to your patients ([information](#))

The Pediatrics/Emergency Medicine Residency and Pediatrics Residency programs are conducting interviews this week. Here are the [applicants](#) visiting this Thursday in Peds/EM. Here are the [applicants](#) visiting this Friday in Pediatrics.

Download the new Department Composites for this academic year! ([Faculty](#), [Fellows](#), [Residents](#)).

CSRB and MEB Mitigation Project - [schedule](#) of work for December - January

School of Medicine Research Cafe ([information](#))

New Pre-Review for Grant Proposals service offered by LSU ([information](#))

Chan Zuckerberg Initiative - RFA - Applications due on 2/4/20 ([information](#))

## 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. Let's start off 2020 with a renewed commitment to excellence in medical education!

<https://vimeo.com/73003540>

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

- [LSU Pediatrics Faculty Development Page](#)
- [LSUHSC GME Medical Education Development Site](#)

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

## CHNOLA Announcements

Important Updates from the Children's Hospital Construction Project. Take a look. ([report](#))

Monthly Construction Update Town Hall Meetings ([schedule](#))

## Upcoming Events

### Grand Rounds

#### “Growing Up With Perinatal HIV.”

By:

**Russell Van Dyke, MD**  
**Professor and Head, Section of Infectious Diseases**  
**Department of Pediatrics,**  
**Tulane University School of Medicine**

**Wednesday, January 15, 2020**

Children’s Hospital State Street Conference Center

**Coffee and breakfast items will be served.**

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

1. Review the demographics and epidemiology of youth with perinatal HIV in the United States.
2. Review the long-term outcomes of youth with perinatal HIV and nearly lifelong exposure to antiretroviral medications, including immune status, growth and development, end-organ function, and neurocognitive development.
3. Discuss the challenges that these youth face in their transition to adulthood and adult medical care.

**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.

Place: Children's Hospital State Street Conference Center  
AM

Time: 8:00

**CME Statement:** Children’s Hospital is accredited by the Louisiana State Medical Society to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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

**ADA STATEMENT:**

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if special accommodations are needed, please notify Catherine Mooney at 504-896-9264 no later than Tuesday, January 14, 2020.

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

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/986983709>

This is a live activity, so the link is only valid from 8-9am; the presentation will not be recorded for CME Credit.

Dear Dept of Pediatrics Faculty:

With the changes to CHNOLA Grand Rounds this academic year, resident-led Scholarly Presentations were converted to a slightly different format held at noon. The residency program would like to increase faculty attendance at these senior residents' Scholarly Presentations and is aiming to have our senior residents experience a similar academic rigor to the previous resident Grand Rounds presentations. Therefore, after you receive the weekly Grand Rounds announcement, you will receive another email announcing these conferences. You can also find this information in Tuesday Tidbits and on the Chief Resident Website. We appreciate your dedication to our trainees and your effort to attend these sessions and contribute to the discussion.

**Conference:** Journal Club

**Date/Time:** Tuesday, January 14, 2020, Noon Conference, 2Center

**Article Title:** Association of Inhaled Corticosteroids and Long-Acting  $\beta$ -Agonists as Controller and Quick Relief Therapy With Exacerbations and Symptom Control in Persistent Asthma

**Presenters:** Ryley McPeters and Andrew McKernan

**Mentor:** Dr. Amanda Messer

Click [here](#) to download article.

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**JANUARY 2020** - The Leadership Series - Session Two: Communication course is now being offered. [Register for the NEW January 2020 Communication session dates HERE!](#)

**1/22/20** - Research Cafe 3:00 PM ([information](#))

## *Research Café* Proposal Development Workshop



**Date: January 22<sup>nd</sup>, Wednesday**

**Time: 3:00 – 5:00 pm**

**Location: MEB Seminar room 3**

The Specific Aims workshop is offered to those who are actively developing grant applications. Applicants will be asked to provide an NIH-formatted Biosketch and a draft version of their Specific Aims page prior to the workshop. These drafts will be distributed for review and critique. Workshop participants will present their Aims (2 slides) and then discuss with the review panel changes to wording and experimental design. This workshop provides attendees with valuable feedback prior to submission to the NIH. *Registration required*

To register please submit an email with your information to Dr. Paula Gregory, [pgrego@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:pgrego@lsuhsc.edu).

For more information please visit the [Research Café Webpage](#).

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**1/23/20** - LSU Wellness Krewe Self Care for Health Care Lecture Series: Simply Do This – Create Your Own Self-Care Health Plan, Speaker: Dr. Gigi Dunn ([information](#))

## Department Wellness

**LSU Wellness Krewe Self Care for Health Care Lecture Series** Mark your calendars for January 23 at noon for the next LSU Wellness Krewe Self Care for Health Care Lecture Series. Dr. Gigi Dunn will present "Simply Do This – Create Your Own Self-Care Health Plan". The lecture will be held in the

**\*\*\*A new Thursday morning bootcamp class added\*\*\***

**Bootcamp Class:** Children's is offering FREE bootcamp classes on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 5:30-6:30pm and **Thursdays 7:30-8:30am** outside the Conference Center. Class is open to all Children's employees and members of the medical staff. This one-hour interval training bootcamp is for all skill levels. No experience is necessary. You will gain confidence in your abilities and increase your capacities for stamina, strength, flexibility, and balance. Please bring a water bottle with you to class.



## It's Carnival Time!

Riding in a parade? [Tell us](#) where we can find you! Please include

- Krewe name
- Float number
- Neutral ground or sidewalk side
- Position on float

Whether you're riding or not, send in pictures after the parades to share the fun with the department!

## Department Anniversaries

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

Abraham Gedalia, 28 years

Maria Velez, 25 years

Owen Allen, 21 years

Gwendolyn Collins, 15 years

Renette Jones, 6 years



Looking for old newsletters?  
View the *Tuesday Tidbits* archive on the department's website. ([link](#))

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