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School of Medicine  
Department of Pediatrics

# LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

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## LSU Pediatrics Announcements

### Recent Scholarly Activity

Shubho Sarkar, MD recently published in article in AAP News. The article titled *Some Physicians Keeping a Tight Grip on Their Pager; Why They Need to Let Go* was published on October 1. You can view the article [here](#).

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### LSUHSC Research Café

# Research Café Fall Schedule

Lions Building-6th Floor, 12:00-1:00PM  
or Zoom: Meeting ID#: 99453674541

## Research Resources Workshop

Thursday, September 30, 2021

This session is designed to help participants learn about the major research resources available at LSUHSC; Research Office (internal and external grant funding), IRB, IBC, Grants and Contract Office, IACUC, and Epidemiology Data Center.

## Success with Intramural Funding

Wednesday, October 20, 2021

The Dean of the School of Medicine has put into place institutional grant mechanisms to provide research support. A panel of successful applicants for both basic and clinical projects, will discuss how best to navigate the internal funding system.



## Responsible Conduct in Research (RCR) & Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) in Research

Thursday, Nov. 11, 2021

RCR (required for NIH training grants) and DEI are important to discuss before embarking on any type of research, especially involving health disparities. Being mindful of RCR and DEI in Research design, Methods (e.g., recruitment, consenting participants, data collection), Results, Conclusions, and Communication/presentation to the scientific community and the lay public.

## Proposal Development Workshop

Wednesday, December 8, 2021

An overview of the grant proposal components will be discussed, including Specific Aims, Biosketch, Budget, Facilities and Other resources, Resource Sharing, Data Management Plan, and Letters of Collaboration.



Mark your calendar for Research Café opportunities at LSUHSC this fall! You can find more information on the series [here](#).

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## Submit Your Medicaid Questions for Grand Rounds Speaker

The Chief Medical Officer for Louisiana Medicaid, LSUHSC internist Dr. Marcus Bachhuber, will be presenting a talk at Grand Rounds on October 27 entitled “A User’s Guide to Medicaid”. Attendees are invited to submit questions beforehand related to Medicaid topics or issues they would like to hear about during this talk. No question is too broad or too specific. This is a unique opportunity to learn more about our state’s Medicaid program. Please submit your questions to Dr. Dumas at [sdumas@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:sdumas@lsuhsc.edu) anytime through October 15.

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## Flu Shots

Flu shot season is also in full effect.

If you would like to get your shot at **LSUHSC downtown**, immunizations will be given on Wednesday, October 6, Thursday, October 7, Friday, October 8 and Thursday, October 14 from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm on the 1st floor of the Lions Building – 2020 Gravier Street. Walk-ups are NOT allowed. You must pre-register prior to your arrival, and you must schedule an appointment via the online scheduler at the link below. Please correctly enter your health insurance information when scheduling your flu vaccine. This will expedite you through onsite check-in: [LSUHN Flu Vaccine Scheduling](#)

**CHNOLA's** Flu Shot Schedule is below.



## Employee flu shot schedule

Date	Time	Location
October 4	9-10:30 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department
October 5	7:30-10:30 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department
October 7	7:30-10:30 am	Employee Health Department
October 8	9-10:30 am	Employee Health Department
October 11	7:30-10:30 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department
October 12	8-10:30 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department
October 14	7:30-10 am	Employee Health Department
October 15	9-10:30 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department
October 18	7:30-10am	Employee Health Department
October 21	7:30-10 am	Employee Health Department
October 25	8-10 am	Employee Health Department
October 27	9-11 am, 1:30-2:30 pm	Employee Health Department

We will also be setting up times with department leaders, and mobile carts will go to departments to administer vaccinations.



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### Other Announcements

Updated LSU COVID Policies- Domestic Meeting Travel is Now Possible ([information](#))

LSUHSC COVID Self-Reporting ([information](#))

Latest edition of LSU SOM's *The Pulse*. ([link](#))

Resident Participation in Research ([information](#))

Grant Opportunity: Thrasher Research Fund ([information](#))

LSUHSC IRB's Researcher Education Series ([information](#))

LSU Proof-of-Concept Fund- LIFT2 Round 12 Announcement ([information](#))

Updated: Several Avenues of Stats Support, Education and Consultation ([information](#)) ([using stats models through CITI](#))

Importance of Time Certification ([information](#)) - learn more about why we certify time each month!

Important Notice: P-Card Restrictions on AAP Purchases ([information](#))

Use of Non-LSUHSC Email ([information](#))

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

Download the new Department Composites for the 2021-2022 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#)).

## FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

*New video monthly*

### October Video: Twitter as an Academic Tool

Dr. Ashoor shares his excellent national presentation on harnessing the power of this social media platform. In this fact filled video (just over 15 minutes), he demonstrates everything from Twitter sign up to uses for advocacy, education, and professional development. Thanks for sharing, Dr. Ashoor!

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rduL1BZ-W-Vysmd08kTN5hjLXurCnvar/view?usp=sharing>

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](#)

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

## CHNOLA Announcements

A Message from CHNOLA Chief Quality Officer Leron Finger, MD Regarding Third Dose of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine ([information](#))

Latest edition of CHNOLA Employee E-News ([link](#))

### Report your flu-like symptoms

Please notify Employee Health at 504.962.6270 if you have any flu-like symptoms before reporting to work. Symptoms may include cough, congestion, headache, with or without fever.

Tip sheet for CyraCom and Other Language Access Services at CHNOLA ([information](#))

## Language Access Services

Children's Hospital is committed to the delivery of high-quality care for all populations with limited English proficiency. We offer the following interpretation and translation services to our patients, families and providers:

### CYRACOM

Phone and Video Remote Interpreting:

1. From a CHNOLA Phone: 866-745-5010, PIN 4367

2. Download the App

Username: [chnophysicians@cyracomvri.com](mailto:chnophysicians@cyracomvri.com)

Password: VRI123

3. From Any Phone:

800-481-3293

acct # 501023196, PIN 4367

### In Person Interpretation

Marcia Cattles, CNOLA Spanish Interpreter

1 World Language Solutions

Call Social Services @ 504-896-9367 or Email

[Toni.Cook@LCMCHHealth.org](mailto:Toni.Cook@LCMCHHealth.org) to schedule.

### Document Translation

Please forward all requests to Emily Patterson, Manager Social Services at [Emily.Patterson@LCMCHHealth.org](mailto:Emily.Patterson@LCMCHHealth.org)



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## Upcoming Events

# Grand Rounds

For those who prefer an Outlook Calendar Reminder for Grand Rounds, please [click here](#) for directions that walk you through creating a recurring reminder.

## Virtual Pediatric Grand Rounds



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### "What's the Value of NICU Care?"

Wednesday, October 13, 2021

Noon

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

To receive CME or CEU Credit, you **MUST register through EventBrite** and use the EventBrite link to join Grand Rounds.

**Register here:** <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/chnola-office-of-medical-education-34140724807>

**CME/CEU credit for this activity, you can join via Zoom. Your attendance will not be counted.**

**Zoom link:** <https://lshsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09>

**Meeting ID:** 923 1243 7678

**Passcode:** 235623

**Note:** This is a live activity. The link is only valid from noon – 1:00 PM and the presentation will not be recorded for CME or CEU credit. Please register and join the activity via EventBrite to receive credit.



**Brian Barkemeyer, MD**, is Professor and Vice-Chair of Pediatrics in the Division of Neonatology at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center and has been a neonatologist at Children's Hospital since 1993; he has served as head of the section of neonatology at LSU since 1998. Dr. Barkemeyer is a New Orleans native who received undergraduate and medical degrees from LSU followed by a Pediatrics residency at LSU/Charity Hospital/Children's Hospital and a neonatology fellowship at the combined LSU/Tulane University program. He is certified by the American Board of Pediatrics in General Pediatrics and Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine.

As a clinician-educator, Dr. Barkemeyer has enjoyed playing a role in the education of many medical students, residents, and trainees over his career. As service line director for neonatology at Children's Hospital, Dr. Barkemeyer oversees patient care and program development at several LCMC NICUs.

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

1. Appreciate the value of NICU care in improving patient outcomes
2. Recognize the importance of NICU education in pediatric training
3. Understand the financial impact of NICU care on the family, provider, and hospital

**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.

**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.

**CEU 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.



**Eventbrite link to register for Grand Rounds on 10/13:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/o/chnola-office-of-medical-education-34140724807>

**Anyone who does not wish to earn CME/CEU credit can continue join Grand Rounds through the Zoom portal:**

[https://lshsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?](https://lshsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09)

[pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09](https://lshsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09)

Any questions about Eventbrite can be sent to [emma.cradylcmhealth.org](mailto:emma.cradylcmhealth.org).

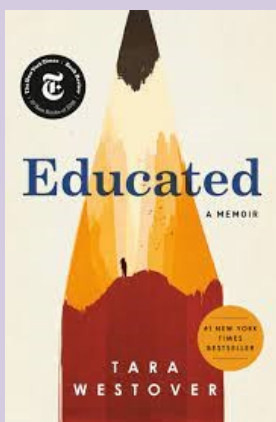
**October 15 and 22, 2021 - Sustaining Behavior Change Conference** - free and open to all participants. For full conference agenda, speakers and registration: [ANSCHUTZWELLNESS.COM/SBC](https://ANSCHUTZWELLNESS.COM/SBC)

- This conference grows from the belief that limitations in our ability to help people make lasting changes in their health-related behaviors is one of the greatest challenges to the well-being of our population. Whether it is adopting healthy eating and physical activity habits, or curtailing the use of unhealthy substances or behaviors, people seem able to initiate behavior change, but a range of forces typically lead to a return of previous behaviors.
- The Sustaining Behavior Change Conference assembles a group of leading scholars in a range of disciplines, including behavioral sciences, behavioral economics, marketing and neuroscience to share their insights and perspectives on this important issue.
- Our goal is to spur creative new thinking about how we might study and implement strategies that will foster effective long-term behavior change

## Department Wellness

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

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



### Wellness Committee Book Club Reschedules Meeting for October

The LSU Pediatrics Wellness Committee shares its book for this quarter. It is called "[Educated](#)" by [Tara Westover](#). The September club meeting has been rescheduled to Wednesday, October 20th at 7:30pm at Peacock Room, 501 Tchoupitoulas St. Please RSVP with Eden Haile ([ehaile@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:ehaile@lsuhsc.edu)) by October 6th.

## Department Anniversaries

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

Stuart Chalew, 24 years  
Hanh Rimmer, 22 years  
Kelly Allerton, 14 years  
Stefani Samples, 5 years

Marla Johnston, 3 years  
Hannah Bauer, 2 years  
LaTasha Lewis, 2 years

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