

March 8, 2022



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

#### LSUHSC's Updated Campus Guidelines

Please click on the link above to review Dr. Christian Winters' updated campus guidelines which include information about returning to campus, masking, and travel.



#### Dr. Callie Roth Featured in COMSEP's February Journal Club

Pediatric Hospital Medicine Fellow Dr. Callie Roth reviewed an article in the Council on Medical Student Education in Pediatrics' (COMSEP) February Journal Club. You can read the review [here](#).

#### National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day

March 10 is National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day, a day to address the impact of HIV on women and girls. When we reduce HIV stigma and promote testing, prevention, and treatment for women, we can help #StopHIVTogether. <https://bit.ly/3HOEx6X>

Interested in Academic Promotion?

The Dean's Office has requested a list of faculty members who intend to seek promotion in our next cycle. If you intend to seek promotion in our next cycle (process starts now and concludes with promotion effective July 2023), please let [Dr. Brian Barkemeyer](#) know by *March 16th*. If you haven't already met with him to discuss your possible promotion, please plan to do so.

For faculty interested in learning more about academic promotion, please try to attend one of the school's presentations on this topic. Details can be found in Dr. Stephanie Taylor's email from February 10th. Or you can simply choose to attend one of her Zoom interactive presentations on promotions on these dates:

- March 21<sup>st</sup> (Monday) at 4:30 PM
- April 5<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) at 7:30 AM
- April 14<sup>th</sup> (Thursday) at 4:30 PM
- April 20<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) at 7:30 AM

Please register for one of these presentations at:

[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Academic\\_Advancement\\_Workshop\\_2022](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Academic_Advancement_Workshop_2022)

Faculty should discuss candidacy with their division head. If you are thinking about applying for promotion, please plan to meet with our department Promotion and Tenure Committee chair Dr. Brian Barkemeyer by the end of April (email [bbarke@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:bbarke@lsuhsc.edu) to schedule). Those applying for promotion must meet all applicable guidelines including submission of your CV in LSU format by May 20, 2022. Kelly Allerton will be available to help format your CV appropriately, but this process can take time, so please plan to do in advance of the deadline.

## DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & INCLUSION

*This section of Tuesday Tidbits will highlight Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion within our department as well as outline events, workshops and lecture series available to faculty, staff, and trainees.*



Dr. Arjmand has invited an accomplished Pediatric ENT physician, Dr. Dana Thompson from Lurie Children's Hospital, to speak at Children's Hospital

### ***Bias in the Origins of Health Inequity: Mindset Shift to Aspirational Change***

**Dana M. Thompson, MD, MS, MBA, FACS**

Friday, March 18, 2022

8:00am

State Street Conference Center

# LA CaTS Professional Development Core

Presents

## *“Racial Inequities in Health: What We Know and What We Think We Know”*



**Thomas A. LaVeist, PhD**

Dean and Weatherhead Presidential  
Chair In Health Equity

**Friday, March 25, 2022**

**12:00 pm – 1:00 pm**

University Medical Center  
2000 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA 70112

**\*\*Use entrance at 2001 Tulane Ave\*\***

**SAVE THE DATE**

Note: This event is free and open to public

**Registration required**

**[Please click here to register by March 16, 2022](#)**

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For more information, contact DeNean La Roche  
Phone: 504 988 6061 • Email: [adcr@tulane.edu](mailto:adcr@tulane.edu)

**[Please click here to RSVP by March 16, 2022](#)**

## **FACULTY DEVELOPMENT**

*New video monthly*

### **March Video: Bedside Teaching**

This spring let's focus on making our bedside rounds more educational. This short video (**2 minute 4 seconds**) highlights ways we can make bedside rounds more effective for teaching. Improve your teaching toolbox in less time than a commercial break.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iiqB-eQcbT8>

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

# The Office of Medical Education presents Resident and Fellow Appreciation Week



In honor of Resident and Fellow Appreciation Week, we are excited to celebrate those that play an integral role in the healthcare team.

Join the Office of Medical Education for a Disney Pixar themed week.

**Thank you for all that you do. This week is for you.**

Monday,  
March 7

## Make it great Monday

- "Drive-thru" dinners available in concourse outside the cafeteria from 4:30 to 7 pm.

Tuesday,  
March 8

## Taco Tuesday

- Join us for a Fiesta in 2 Center Conference Room from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm.

Wednesday  
March 9

## Wellness Wednesday

- "Come get all the feels." Wellness goodies available for pick up in 2 Center Conference Room from 1 to 4 pm.

Thursday,  
March 10

## Lagniappe Thursday

- Our snack bar is good for your Soul. Available in Lobby of the Hospital Large Conference Room from 2 to 4 pm.

Friday,  
March 11

## Feed me Friday

- Ouil Ouil! Breakfast buffet available in the Holes Cottage from 6:30 to 9:30 am.

## All Week Long

Up, Up and Away! Look for balloons with QR codes. Find the most balloons and win prizes.



**Children's Hospital  
New Orleans**  
LCMC Health

**Monday, March 21, 2022, 12:00pm** - CHNOLA Office of Medical Education presents the next CME lecture in their Faculty Development Seminar: "Research Overview", Stacy Drury, MD, PhD. More information with Zoom link can be found [here](#).

## 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.

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

# 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



Children's Hospital  
New Orleans  
LCMC Health

## "Severe & Difficult to Treat Asthma: A Multidisciplinary Approach"

Wednesday, March 9, 2022

Noon

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

To receive CME or CEU Credit, you **MUST register through EventBrite.**

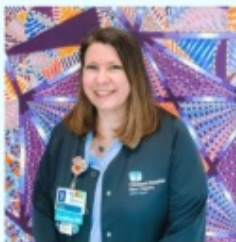
**Register here:** <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pediatric-grand-rounds-81821-tickets-166693441571>

**Zoom link:** <https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amdORENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09>

**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 via EventBrite to receive credit.



Grand Rounds is presented by (clockwise from top left) **Adrienne Savant, MD, MS; Elizabeth Wisner, MD; Lauri Croy, RRT; and Stacy Valley, RN, PED-BC**

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

1. Appreciate the multidisciplinary role in care of patients with difficult to treat/severe asthma
2. Formulate an understanding of the contribution of numerous comorbidities to the severity of asthma
3. Become familiar with biologic therapies for patients with difficult to treat/severe asthma

**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 3/9:**

<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://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?](https://lsuhsc.zoom.us/j/92312437678?pwd=amd0RENwQWJ2L1BDNW1zeHVQRHhjQT09)

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

Meeting ID: 923 1243 7678, Passcode: 235623

One tap mobile: +16465588656 or +13017158592

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

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**Wednesday, June 8, 2022** - The 23rd Annual Harvard Nutrition Obesity Research Symposium: The Neurobiology of Eating Behavior in Obesity: Mechanisms and Therapeutic Targets. The Keynote talk will be given by Dr. Sadaf Farooqi of the University of Cambridge, who will be joined by many other accomplished researchers in the field. You can [register here](#) and/or visit our [event webpage](#) to learn more.

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### LSUHSC Research Café

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

All meetings will be held in person and via [Zoom](#).

**Wednesday, March 9, 2022, 12:00pm - 1:00pm, Research Strategy**

Lion's Building - 6th Floor - Large Lecture Room or via [Zoom](#).

This workshop will focus on the bulk of the research project and grant application. The focus will be placed on 1.) hypothesis and research design to answer a research question, data analysis, and the use of human subjects and vertebrate animals 2.) organization of this research for NIH submission into the three subsections of Significance, Innovation and Approach, and address Rigor and Reproducibility.

## New Addition



Congratulations to Pediatric Resident Nicole Vegh and her husband Bradley on the birth of their baby girl, Olivia Virginia Landwehr, who was born on 2/22/22. Welcome to the LSU Pediatrics family, Olivia!

## LSU Peds Float Riders



## Department Wellness

### Wellness Committee's 2nd Annual Steps Challenge

It's that time of the year! The Wellness Committee's 2nd Annual Steps Challenge! We put together another challenge for the month of February for the entire Peds department. We hope you decide to join!

#### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW TO WIN

1. Download Pacer Pedometer & Step Tracker on your iPhone or Android
2. In the app, input this Challenge Code: BSW1785 **OR** follow this



link: [https://www.mypacer.com/challenges/BSW1785?short\\_id=nNc0qH2](https://www.mypacer.com/challenges/BSW1785?short_id=nNc0qH2)

3. Steps are registered using the app via your phone or apple watch. Fitbit data collection requires premium app access. No manual entries will be accepted. Max steps: 50,000 per day.
4. Allowed activities: pedometer and GPS tracked walks, runs and hikes, treadmill sessions, and guided workout sessions.
5. Join the challenge on or before **February 1st** to qualify for the prizes. Steps Challenge ends February 28th.
6. This challenge is open to the entire LSU Pediatrics department. Faculty/fellow/staff winners are eligible for Figs gift cards. However, equipment prizes are reserved for residents only.
7. Prizes:
  - 1st Place Prize: iPad **AND** \$100 Figs gift card
  - 2nd Place Prize: MedStudy Flashcards **AND** \$100 Figs gift card
  - 3rd Place Prize: \$100 Figs gift card

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please reach out to Eden Haile at [ehaile@lsuhsc.edu](mailto:ehaile@lsuhsc.edu) or (703) 953-5611.

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

Updated LSU COVID Policies ([information](#))

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

### ***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.
- GeauxHealth! is a collaboration between LSU and Tulane residents to create a resource guide promoting medical trainee awareness of social determinants of health as well as providing a tool for easy use in clinic and during discharge planning. Check out more info [here](#) and on their website: <https://geauxhealth.org/>

### ***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 2021-2022 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), [Administrative Staff](#)).

## Department Anniversaries

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

Sheri Russell, 8 years  
Kurt Piggott, 5 years

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

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