**WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK IN THE DEPARTMENT**

**ALL CLINICAL CONFERENCES ARE OPEN TO ANYONE IN THE DEPARTMENT FOR CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION PURPOSES.**

**Today**

0630-0730  **CQI Clinical Conference**  JT-906 Lecture Hall
Brant Wagener, M.D., Ph.D., Critical Care Anesthesiology Fellow, Jeff Simmons, M.D., Andrew Barker, M.D., & Samuel Windham, M.D. (UAB Surgery), “Deliurium in the PACU”
Ethan Reynolds, M.D., Critical Care Anesthesiology Fellow & Andrew Barker, M.D., “Overnight Stay in PACU with Skin Breakdown”

0630-0700  **Pediatric Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Collin King, M.D., “Pediatric/Airway Circuits,” Children’s Conference Room, Anesthesia Department

1200-1300  **Critical Care Fellows’ Seminar**  “TRSTAT-Pro-Con Debate,” NP-5601 Conference Room

1300-1500  **New Resident Introductory Series**  Jim Sparrow, M.D., “PGY-1 Tutorial: Monitors and Monitoring,” WIC 5210P

1530-1700  **Clinical Professor Workshops**  Damon Cox, M.D., “GI/Hepatic/Renal System,” WIC 5210P

**Wednesday, May 13**

0625-0650  **Morning Clinical Conference**  Jeffrey Dobyns, D.O., CA-1 Basics of Anesthesia Series: “Fluid Management,” NP-5401 Conference Room

0630-0730  **OB Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Promil Kukreja, M.D., Ph.D., “Statistics,” WIC 3210A

0730-0800  **Critical Care Lecture Series**  Samuel Windham, M.D., Associate Professor, UAB Surgery, “SICU M&M,” NP-7222 Conference Room

0900-1000  **IPS Lecture Series**  Roland Short, M.D., “PCA Management,” NP-5401 Conference Room

1000-1100  **Regional Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Tim Reynolds, M.D. (Faculty Facilitator: Josh Smith, M.D.), “Neuraxial Blocks for Total Joint Surgeries: Pros and Cons,” Highlands 1st Floor Boardroom

1200-1300  **Critical Care Fellows’ Seminar**  Gray Allen, M.D., Critical Care Anesthesiology Fellow, “Acid Base” NP-5601 Conference Room

1300-1600  **Anesthesia Simulator Sessions**  Jeff Simmons, M.D., Quarterback Tower Simulation Room 3rd Floor

1300-1500  **New Resident Introductory Series**  James R. Boyce, M.D., “PGY-1 Tutorial: Pre-Anesthetic Assessment,” NP-5281 Conference Room

**Thursday, May 14**

0625-0650  **Morning Clinical Conference**  Garrett Scott, M.D. (Faculty Facilitator: Blair Smith, M.D.), “Mini Mock Oral,” NP-5401 Conference Room

0630-0730  **OB Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Jennifer Eldredge, M.D. (Faculty Facilitator: Sandra Sipe, M.D.), “Local Anesthetic Potency and Spread in Pregnant vs Non-Pregnant Population,” WIC 3210A

0730-0800  **Critical Care Lecture Series**  Angela Shapshak, M.D., “Status Epilepticus,” NP-7222 Conference Room

0900-1000  **IPS Lecture Series**  Jason McKeown, M.D., “Overview of Upper and Lower Extremity Anatomy and Local Anesthetics,” NP-5401 Conference Room

1000-1100  **Regional Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Brent Kidd, M.D. (Faculty Facilitator: Roland Short, M.D.), “Sciatic Nerve Blocks for TKA (Current Literature),” Highlands 1st Floor Boardroom

1200-1300  **Medical Students’ Lecture**  Jason McKeown, M.D., “Opioids,” JT-958 Conference Room

1300-1500  **New Resident Introductory Series**  James R. Boyce, M.D., “PGY-1 Tutorial: Airway Assessment and Management,” NP-5281 Conference Room

**Friday, May 15**

0625-0650  **Morning Clinical Conference**  Jeff Simmons, M.D., Morning Report with TRAUMA Faculty: “Anesthetic Considerations for Abdominal Trauma,” NP-5401 Conference Room

0630-0730  **OB Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Marsha Wakefield, M.D., “Maternal Cardiac Arrest,” WIC 3210A

0730-0800  **Critical Care Lecture Series**  Andrew Barker, M.D., “Pressors,” NP-7222 Conference Room

1000-1100  **Regional Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Mercy Udoji, M.D., “Local Anesthetics: Pharmacology & Toxicity,” Highlands 1st Floor Boardroom

1300-1500  **New Resident Introductory Series**  Andrew Barker, M.D., “PGY-1 Tutorial: Pulmonary Physiology and Disease,” NP-5281 Conference Room

**Monday, May 18**

0625-0650  **Morning Clinical Conference**  Lee Goeddel, M.D., M.P.H. (Faculty Facilitator: Mark Phillips, M.D.), Keyword Lecture Series: “OR Costs: Labor vs Materials,” NP-5401 Conference Room

0630-0730  **OB Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Chris Blakely, M.D. (Faculty Facilitator: Michael Froelich, M.D., M.S.), “Ondansetron and Spinal Induced Hypotension,” WIC 3210A

0730-0800  **Critical Care Lecture Series**  Ethan Reynolds, M.D., Critical Care Anesthesiology Fellow, “Atrial Fibrillation,” NP-7222 Conference Room

0830-0900  **PACT Lecture Series**  Art Boudreaux, M.D., “Preoperative Medication Management” KPAC Physicians’ Work Room

1000-1100  **Regional Anesthesia Lecture Series**  Brand Brooks, M.D., “Ultrasound-Guided Upper & Lower Extremity Blocks,” Highlands 1st Floor Boardroom
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**ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

Kevin Harrod, Ph.D. will be presenting a talk entitled, “Effect of Hardwood Smoke Exposure on the Human Upper Respiratory Tract Microbiome” at the American Thoracic Society’s Indoor Air Pollution Workshop in Denver, CO on May 15. The work was funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

**VA ANESTHESIOLOGY CLINICAL CONFERENCES:**

- May 1, Eric Clary, M.D., “Ketamine Use in Pulmonary Hypertension”
- May 6, Charles Graham, M.D. & Neil Trawick, M.D., “ABO Compatibility”
- May 7, Candace McKee, M.D. & Teresa Abernathy, M.D., “Periop Management of Pacemakers and ICD’s”
- May 11, Yasser Sakawi, M.B.B.Ch. & Grace Flowers, M.D., “Cross Clamping of Aorta”

**THIS MONTH IN THE DEPARTMENT’S HISTORY**

May 8, 2010: The first Chair of our department, Alice McNeal, M.D., is inducted into the Alabama Healthcare Hall of Fame 2010 class at a ceremony in Montgomery attended by Drs. Mark Mandabach and Jerald Clanton, and A.J. Wright, M.L.S. Dr. McNeal came to Birmingham from Chicago in 1946 to be Chief of Anesthesia in the Department of Surgery; she was named Chair of the new Department of Anesthesiology in August 1948 and served in the position until 1961. She died in 1964. The Alabama Healthcare Hall of Fame inducted its first class in 1998; inductions are held every other year. Nominations are approved by the Advisory Committee and past inductees have included such UAB physicians at Drs. Arnold Diethelm, Wayne Finley, Sara Finley and Charles McCallum. Dr. McNeal is the second anesthesiologist inducted; Dr. Robert A. Hingson preceded her. Dr. McNeal’s certificate reads, “In recognition of outstanding contributions to and exemplary service for healthcare in the State of Alabama, the selection committee of the Alabama Healthcare Hall of Fame proudly announces the election and induction of Alice McNeal, M.D. as a member of the Hall of Fame’s Class of 2010.” The AHHOF is the only such entity in the United States inducting individuals from all healthcare disciplines.

More information can be found at [http://www.healthcarehof.org/](http://www.healthcarehof.org/). More information about Dr. McNeal and the history of our department can be found in the chronology at [http://tinyurl.com/396wqr9](http://tinyurl.com/396wqr9)

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**TUESDAY REPORT DEADLINE:** Notices for publication in the TR should be submitted no later than 12 noon on Monday. Notices are accepted by telephone (4-4696) fax (5-1948), mail (JT845), and e-mail (lindhilli@uab.edu).

- Linda Hill

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