October 1st

“Staying Alive, Staying Heart-Safe: Advocacy During the Pandemic”

**Victoria L. Vetter, MD, MPH**

Professor of Pediatrics
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Medical Director, Youth Heart Watch
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Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia

The speaker will discuss the causes and prevention of sudden cardiac arrest and death, especially in youth. She will describe the Youth Heart Watch sudden cardiac death prevention program at Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, an affiliate of Project ADAM. The challenges of advocacy in the community during the COVID pandemic and the importance of striving to make our communities Heart-Safe even these challenging times will be described.


October 8th

“The History and the Legacy of Racial Discrimination in US Hospitals”

**Ellis M. Arjmand MD, MMM, PhD**

Surgeon-in-Chief, Children’s Hospital New Orleans
Professor of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery, Pediatrics, and Public Health, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center
Adjunct Professor of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery, Tulane University School of Medicine
Adjunct Professor of Business, Freeman School of Business, Tulane University

Racial segregation was commonly seen in many American hospitals and major medical organizations from the Reconstruction Era after the Civil War until the later part of the 20th Century. That these practices endured for nearly a century reveals the power of social norms over some of the strongest principles of medical ethics. While actions by the Federal courts led to rapid changes beginning in the 1960s, the legacy of these deeply entrenched practices remains with us today.

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October 15th

“Autoinflammatory Bone Disease in Children”

**Polly Ferguson, MD**

Marjorie K. Lamb Professor
Director, Pediatric Rheumatology, Allergy and Immunology; Department of Pediatrics
University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine

While most people think of infection when they hear the term osteomyelitis, a surprising number of children have sterile osteomyelitis that is driven by innate immune system dysfunction. The bone lesions are often multifocal and are associated with inflammatory disease of the skin and intestine including Crohn disease and psoriasis. Whole body MRI is an important tool in establishing a diagnosis. Treatment is with immune modulators rather than antibiotics.

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October 22nd
“Pediatric ARDS – Where are we in 2020”
Shekhar T. Venkataraman, MD

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October 29th
“Pediatric Acute Kidney Injury in 2020 What Clinicians Need to Know to Optimize Outcomes”
David Askenazi M.D. MsPH, FASN
Professor of Pediatrics - University of Alabama at Birmingham
Medical Director – Pediatric and Infant Center for Acute Nephrology (PICAN) – Children’s of Alabama

- Review the incidence and outcomes of neonatal and pediatric AKI.
- Describe what we can do TODAY to improve outcomes in neonates and children at risk of AKI
- Describe where the field is headed

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