

## Goals & Objectives

The Department of Medicine Grand Rounds lectures are intended for faculty, residents, students and other interested healthcare providers as an update and review of the field of medicine. Attendees will be able to develop new diagnostic approaches by learning from experts in their fields of study.

## Accreditation

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## Questions

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"My goal is to see these "Seven Ladies on Seven Continents" transcending individual differences to become a unifying symbol for the universal kinship of humanity and all creation in a physical metaphor representing the spiritual connection between all things. To help bring the healing power of love into the earth, ushering in a new era of Peace."

– James Nathan Muir

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## Department of Medicine Grand Rounds Series

**January 2026 to June 2026**  
**Thursday, 12 to 1 p.m.**

DePalma Auditorium, Ground Floor  
Thompson Building

Lectures will be offered in-person and on Zoom, unless otherwise notified.

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The Jane & Leonard Korman  
Professor of Pulmonary Medicine,  
Chairman, Department of Medicine of  
Sidney Kimmel Medical College

 **Thomas Jefferson  
University**

## JANUARY 2026:

### 1/8: “Innovations in Therapy for Asthma”

Raymond Penn, PhD, Robley Dunglison Professor of Pulmonary Research, Director of Pulmonary Research - Jane & Leonard Korman Lung Institute, Jefferson, Director – Center for Translational Medicine, Department of Medicine, TJUH

### 1/15: “Medicine Now: Leading and Learning Multigenerational Teams”

Rachel Nash, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine at Cooper Medical School of Rowan University and Program Director, Internal Medicine Residency

### 1/22: “Affirmation as Treatment: Best Practices for Inclusive and Evidence-Based Gender Medicine”

Sanjay Jumani, MD, Assistant Professor of Endocrinology, TJUH

### 1/29: “Updates in Prostate Cancer Management”

William Kelly, DO, Professor, Enterprise Chief of Cancer Services SKCC, Chair, Department of Medical Oncology, Enterprise Associate Director of Clinical Research

## FEBRUARY 2026:

### 2/5: “AI Medicine 2026: From Science Fiction Idea to Better Patient Care”

Moderator: Yair Lev, MD, Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Cardiology, TJUH;

Guest Speakers: Bracken Babula, MD, Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine, Associate Chief Medical Information Officer, Jefferson Health, Adam Flanders, MD, William E. Conrady Professor in Radiology, Vice Chair for Informatics, TJUH; Cara Martino, DNP, RN, NI-BC, Senior Vice-President Clinical Improvement and Transformation, Jefferson Health; Colleen Mallozzi, MBA, RN, Senior Vice President, Chief Nursing Informatics Officer, Jefferson Health (**Connelly Auditorium**)

### 2/12: “Fever of Unknown Origin and Mimics of Infection”

Dagan Coppock, MD, MSCE, Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Infectious Disease, Department of Medicine, TJUH

### 2/19: “Morbidity, Mortality and Improvement

Conference” Kenneth Meserole, MD, PGY-3 Resident, Department of Medicine

### 2/26: “Kartik K Patel Endowed Lecture: The Next Frontier of Patient Safety: Driving Systematic Improvement for Diagnostic Excellence”

Michelle Perkons, MD, Academic Hospitalist, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Associate Medical Director for Quality in Hospital Medicine, Duke University Hospital

## MARCH 2026:

### 3/5: “Co-Managing Complexity”

Deanne Kashiwagi, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, Hospital Medicine, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

### 3/12: “Simenhoff Lecture: Women in Medicine: Miles to Go Before We Sleep”

Darilyn Moyer, MD, Executive Vice President & Chief Executive Officer, American College of Physicians

### 3/19: “Hospital Medicine Updates”

Lauren Ammerman, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Gamal Fitzpatrick, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Patrick Kukulich, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Rebecca Vento, MD, MPH, Clinical Assistant Professor, Division of Hospital Medicine, TJUH.

### 3/26: “Morbidity, Mortality, and Improvement Conference”

Internal Medicine Residents, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

## APRIL 2026:

### 4/2: “Department of Medicine Update”

Gregory C. Kane, MD, The Jane & Leonard Korman Professor of Pulmonary Medicine, Chairman, Department of Medicine, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 4/9: “Courage to Heal Lecture”

Margaret Kreher, MD, FACP, Associate Professor of Medicine, Hospice & Palliative Care, Department of Family & Community Medicine, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 4/16: “The Many Faces of Sarcoidosis”

Marta Bean, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of Rheumatology, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 4/23: “Gruber Lecture: Medications, Weather, and Human Health”

Sean Hennessy, MD, Professor of Epidemiology in Biostatistics & Epidemiology, Senior Fellow, Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics, Fellow, Institute on Aging, Senior Scholar for Clinical Epidemiology & Biostatistics, Founding Director and Investigator, Center for Real-World Effectiveness and Safety of Therapeutics, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 4/30: “Morbidity, Mortality, and Improvement Conference”

Internal Medicine Residents, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

## MAY 2026:

### 5/7: “Fireside Chat with John Zurlo, MD”

Gregory C. Kane, MD, The Jane & Leonard Korman Professor of Pulmonary Medicine, Chairman, Department of Medicine, John J. Zurlo, MD, Distinguished Professor, Division Director, Division of Infectious Disease, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 5/14: “Louis R Dinon MD Memorial Lecture in Clinical Cardiology”

Bram Zuckerman, MD, Director, FDA Office of Cardiovascular Devices, Center for Device & Radiological Health, US Food & Drug Administration (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

### 5/21: “Health Equity & Quality Improvement Summit”

(Jefferson Alumni Hall)

### 5/28: “HAH Clinicopathological Conference”

HOA Students, SKMC at TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)

## June 2026:

### 6/4: “Erslev Lecture: SAR1A and the Introduction of Fetal Hemoglobin: Insights into the History and Development of Hydroxyurea in Sickle Cell Disease”

(**Foerderer Auditorium**)  
Griffin Rodgers, MD, Director of National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Chief of Molecular and Clinical Hematology Branch NIDDK

### 6/11: “Chief Medical Grand Rounds”

Chukwuemezie Kamanu, MBBS, Julia Palecki, MD, Brian Schonewald, MD, Bea Torre, MD, Chief Medical Residents, Department of Medicine, TJUH (**Foerderer Auditorium**)