

Public Health Grand Rounds

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FALL 2011 Schedule

Saunders Research Building (Room 1.416) 12 pm – 1 pm
(except for October 21, 2011 in 1W509)

- September 16, 2011** **“What Should Grandma/Grandpa Weigh?”**
Barbara J Nicklas, PhD, Professor of Internal Medicine, J Paul Sticht Center on Aging, Wake Forest Baptist Health
The presentation deals with the prevalence of obesity in older adults and the body composition changes that occur with age. It will address the functional and metabolic benefits and consequences of excess adiposity in the elderly and the reasons for the traditional reluctance to recommend weight loss to older adults .
- October 7, 2011** **Sports Concussions and Neurodegeneration: Is there a link?**
Jeffrey J. Bazarian, MD, MPH, Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Community & Preventive Medicine, Clinical and Translational Science Institute, URM
- October 21, 2011** **“The Rochester Youth Violence Partnership- Community response to a community problem.”**
Mark Gestring, MD FACS, Medical Director, Kessler Regional Trauma Center, URM
The Rochester Youth Violence Partnership is a unique program developed by the University of Rochester and members of the surrounding community to address the issue of youth violence in our city. The program is targeted toward at-risk youths and their families and is dedicated to keeping these young people alive. This presentation will provide an overview of how the program was developed and how the program continues to evolve.
- November 4, 2011** **“The Evolution of Drug Treatment Courts - The Partnership between the Criminal Justice System and Substance Abuse Treatment”**
Hon. John R. Schwartz, Supervising Judge City Courts Seventh Judicial District Rochester City Court/Acting County Court Judge
The presentation will address the concept of how the Drug Treatment Courts began and how they have formed a partnership with the court system, treatment providers and community partners. It will address how together this partnership has developed the 10 Key Components of Drug Court and what are the 10 Key components.
- November 18, 2011** **Substance Abuse: Title Forthcoming**
Don Kamin, PhD, Chief, Clinical & Forensic Services Monroe County Office of Mental Health
- December 2, 2011** **“ An Overview of Self-Determination Theory”**
Edward L. Deci, Professor of Psychology and Helen F. & Fred H. Gowen Professor in the Social Sciences, URM
The presentation will discuss the Self-Determination Theory (SDT) as a broad theory of motivation that distinguishes between autonomous and controlled motivation. SDT has focused much of its research on interpersonal conditions that promote autonomous vs. controlled motivation.
- December 16, 2011** **“Self-Determination Theory in Practice”**
Geoffrey C. Williams, MD, PhD, Director, Healthy Living Research Center at the Center for Community Health, Professor of Medicine, Psychiatry & Psychology