

49th Annual Dalhousie Spring Refresher Draft Agenda

Friday, April 19 th , 2024		
0815 – 0830	Opening Remarks	
0830 – 0900	Hypertension: Academic Detailing Updates Dr. Edie Baxter and Michelle Pye	
0900 – 0930	Hypertensive urgency in your office; to worry or not to worry Dr. Stephen Miller	
0930 – 1000	HIV: Treatment Options Dr. Lisa Barrett	
1000 – 1015	BREAK	
1015 – 1045	Vaccination update – what is recommended, what is covered and to who is it recommended Dr. Shelly McNeil	
1045 – 1115	Re-Emerging Sexually Transmitted Infectious Diseases – diagnosis and treatment Dr. Todd Hatchette	
1115 – 1200	Serious Common Drug Side Effects: What we need to counsel to patients and monitor Graham Mackenzie	
1200 – 1300	LUNCH	
1300 – 1400	Medical Management of Alcohol Use Disorder and Opioid Use Disorder Dr. Michael Gniewek and Dr. Muna Chowdhury	
1400 – 1430	A Practical Approach to Investigating and Managing Chronic Kidney Disease in Primary Care Dr. Keigan More	
1430 – 1500	Recurrent Renal Calculi: Update on Treatment Dr. Andrea Lantz-Powers	
1500 – 1515	BREAK	
1515 – 1545	Pulmonary Fibrosis Dr. Sarah MacIsaac	
1545 – 1615	COPD Treatment Update Dr. Kristina Kemp	
1615 – 1700	Empowering Health: The Evolving Landscape of Obesity Medications Dr. Michael Mindrum	
Saturday, April 2	20 th , 2024	
0825 – 0830	Opening Remarks	
0830 – 0900	PTSD: Management in the Primary Care Setting Dr. Leigh Meldrum	
0900 – 0930	Delusions: Differential Diagnosis of Psychotic Disorders Dr. Lara Hazelton	
0930 – 1000	Gender Affirming Hormone Therapy in Primary Care Dr. Laci Williams	
1000 – 1015	BREAK	



1015 – 1045	"News Flash meets Hot Flash": Update on Pharmacotherapy for Menopause Dr. Maria Migas
1045 – 1115	Contraceptive Update Dr. Elana Kimmel
1115 – 1200	Detecting and Supporting Victims of Domestic Violence Dr. Meghan Hansford
1200 – 1300	LUNCH
1300 – 1330	Monoclonal Gammopathy of Undetermined Significance Dr. Andrea Kew
1330 – 1400	Dyslipidemia: Family Medicine Centred Guidelines on its Treatment Dr. Jock Murray
1400 – 1445	Peripheral Neuropathy - diagnosis and treatment Dr. Michael Thorne
1445 – 1500	BREAK
1500 – 1530	BPH – treatment Dr. Nick Paterson
1530 – 1615	Hypogonadism and Testosterone Therapy: Tips and Tricks Dr. Jesse Ory
1615 – 1700	Approach to Steatotic Liver Disease Dr. Magnus McLeod
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