

ROUNDS OBJECTIVES

November 7, 2017

Dr. Houman Javedan

Division of Geriatric Medicine

Evaluation and Management of Older People Living with Frailty who are Contemplating Surgery: What is the Role of the Geriatrician? Experience from Brigham's Women's Hospital

Objectives:

- Provide insight on how to integrate risk stratification and mitigation into consult services/surgical consults services.
- Observation on co-management.
- How willing are the services to act on orders from geriatrics where co-management exists?
- Overview of experience on a working and successful service.
- Overview of frailty measures used.
- How words around frailty are entered into the lexicon of codes and services.
- Management of variable risk tolerance among various people who may have input into decisions to admit, to operate, and to discharge.
- Overview of work on the meta-analysis of orthogeriatrics services and how this may unfold in the United States and Canada.

November 14, 2017

Dr. Manish Sood

Division of Nephrology

Should We Anticoagulate Kidney Disease Patients with Atrial Fibrillation to Prevent Strokes? A Nephrologist's Perspective.

Objectives:

- We will review the epidemiology of atrial fibrillation and stroke in kidney disease
- Understand the complications of anticoagulations as they pertain to the patients with kidney disease
- Discuss current risk prediction tools
- Review treatment recommendations and upcoming RCTs



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November 21, 2017

Dr. Barna Tugwell

Division of Endocrinology

The Heart of the Matter: Moving Beyond Glycemic Control to Improve Cardiovascular Outcomes in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes.

Objectives

- Review the evidence regarding the impact of tight glycemic control on mortality and cardiovascular outcomes in type 2 diabetes.
- Discuss the reasons for cardiovascular disease in type 2 diabetes.
- Review recent cardiovascular outcome trials of antihyperglycemic agents in type 2 diabetes and how these results may change the paradigm of treatment for high risk patients.

November 28, 2017

Dr. Emily Shaw

Division of Rheumatology

Fevers and Ferritin; When is it Rheum?

Objectives

- Outline an approach to the patient with fevers of unknown origin and elevated ferritin.
- Review hallmark features of Adult Onset Still's Disease.
- Review management of Adult onset Still's Disease.

