

NEWSLETTER

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NOON CONFERENCE SERIES

Wednesday, March 2 – INTERDISCIPLINARY CLINICAL ETHICS CONFERENCE. What's the Harm? Why the Mainstreaming of Complementary and Alternative Medicine is an Ethical Problem presented by **Lawrence Torcello, PhD**, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, RIT. Noon – 1 pm. K-207 (Rm. 2-6408). You are welcome to bring your lunch.

Wednesday, March 9 – SPIRITUAL REFLECTION ROUNDS sponsored by Chaplaincy. **Case to be announced.** Noon – 1 pm, K-207 (Rm. 2-6408), URMC. You are welcome to bring your lunch.

Friday, March 11 - MEDICAL HUMANITIES NOON CONFERENCE. Cancelled.

Wednesday, March 16 – SCHWARTZ CENTER CONFERENCE. Corraling the Wandering: Walk-Ins Not Welcome. Noon – 1 pm, Whipple Auditorium (Rm. 2-6424). Lunch will be provided.

Wednesday, March 23 – PALLIATIVE CARE NOON CONFERENCE. Methuselahry: The Rise of the LVAD presented by **Leway Chen, MD**, Cardiology. Noon – 1 pm, K-207 (Rm. 2-6408), URMC. You are welcome to bring your lunch.

URMC ACTIVITIES



March 1 – Family Roundtable Discussion. So That's What You Do? Training Interprofessional Teams in Medicine presented by **Lauren DeCaporale-Ryan, PhD**. 10-11am. Room 1-9082, URMC. RSVP to Pat Atkins: pat_atkins@urmc.rochester.edu

March 15 - Integrative Health & Wellness Series sponsored by **Wilmot Cancer Institute.** Embracing It All, Coping & Healing presented by **Darcy Thiel, MA, LMHC**. 5:30 – 7 pm, Gilda's Club, 255 Alexander Street, Rochester, NY. To register call 423 – 9700 or email info@gildasclubrochester.org.

March 22 – Medical Grand Rounds. 2016 Sussman Lecture - When Breath Becomes Air: Caring for Patients, Each Other and Ourselves. A video-taped interview with author Paul Kalanithi and a panel discussion with Moderator: Timothy Quill, MD, Palliative Care and Discussants: Carlos Swanger, MD, Primary Care; Aram Hezel, MD, Oncology; and Erin Denney-Koelsch, MD, Palliative Care. Noon – 1 pm. Class of 62 Auditorium. Lunch will be available.

March 23 - Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds. Readmissions from the Nursing Home and the Role of Palliative Care presented by **Timothy Holahan, DO**. 8 – 9 am, Monroe Community Hospital, Auditorium A, Main Floor. All are invited to attend; registration is not necessary. This activity has been approved for AMA category 1 credit. Any questions, contact Judy Hazelden at 760-6352.

March 23 - George Washington Corner Society. Psychobiology and Schizophrenia: Adolph Meyer's Fundamental Concept of Dementia Praecox presented by **Susan Lamb, Ph. D.**, Adjunct Assistant Professor in the History of Medicine, School of Medicine, Queens University, Kingston, Ontario. 5:30 pm Social Gathering & 6:30 pm Lecture. Rochester Academy of Medicine. RSVP to Jennifer_brennan@urmc.rochester.edu or 275-2370.

April 1 – Public Health Grand Rounds. The Broader Policy Issues around Palliative Care, Hospice, and End of Life Options of Last Resort presented by **Timothy Quill, MD**, Professor of Medicine, Division of Palliative Care. Noon-1pm. Helen Wood Hall Auditorium.

SAVE THE DATE

April 14 - Annual Lyon Daughters Lecture. The Birth and Death of the Asylum: Blessing or Curse? presented by **J. Richard Ciccone, MD**, Founding Director, Psychiatry and Law Program at UR. 7:00 pm at the Rochester Academy of Medicine 1441 East Avenue. The lecture is free and open to the public. A complimentary dessert buffet and a time to meet with Dr. Ciccone will follow the lecture.

April 15 – Public Health Grand Rounds. Patient-Provider Communication and Patient Centeredness presented by **Ronald Epstein, MD**. Noon-1pm. Helen Wood Hall Auditorium.

April 27 – 10th Annual Caring for Elders Conference: Issues Along the Road of Aging. 8:30am – 4:30pm. Burgundy Basin Inn, Pittsford, NY. [See additional information here](#)

May 2 - 6 - Mindful Practice Advanced Workshop: Enhancing Quality of Care, Quality of Caring and Resilience presented by **Ron Epstein, MD**, and **Mick Krasner, MD**. Chapin Mill Retreat Center, Batavia, NY. [Course description and application.](#)

Sept 30 – Dept. of Medicine Geriatrics & Aging 30th Annual Conference. Spanning the Continuum of Care: Innovations in Geriatric Health Practice. Monroe Community Hospital, Rochester, NY. For more information, contact Laura M. Robinson at 585-760-6380 or LauraM_Robinson@urmc.rochester.edu or visit [website here](#).

MEMBERS' CORNER

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Paul Kalanithi, When Breath Becomes Air, Random House, 2016

Available from Amazon <http://www.amazon.com/When-Breath-Becomes-Paul-Kalanithi/dp/081298840X>

