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The University of Alberta, Department of Medicine respectfully acknowledges that we are situated on Treaty 6 territory, traditional lands of First Nations and Métis people.

Message from the Chair



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What You Need to Know

- [Dr. Verna Yiu \(AHS CEO\) Op-Ed](#) addressing unacceptable behaviour toward health care workers
- University of Alberta faculty, staff and students declare your confidential [vaccination status](#) by **September 9, 2021**
- The **2020-21 ARO** submission deadline is September 30, 2021
 - **Reminder: Please book your meeting with the Department Chair if you haven't already done so. See [attached correspondence](#)**
 - Members are also encouraged to [document the effects of the pandemic](#) on academic work
- [Diabetes & Endocrine Update: 2021 Online Series](#) - October 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2021
- [2021 Northern Alberta Vulvar & Dermatology Update](#) - October 16 and 23, 2021
- **DoM Academic Learning Series:** ARO Training Session for DoM faculty and support staff will be held from 1-2:30 PM on Fri, Sep 17 - Register [HERE](#).

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FoMD Faculty Development Sessions

- [Clinical Reasoning](#) (for those who provide clinical teaching to undergrad or postgrad learners or who facilitate DL or other small group teaching in the MD program). This is a 3-part series:
 - The Fundamentals of Clinical Reasoning - Sep 23, Thurs, 9:00-10:30 am
 - What's in a Question? Effective Questioning Techniques to Foster Clinical Reasoning - Oct 28, Thurs, 9:00-10:30 am
 - Expanding your Toolkit for Teaching and Assessing Clinical Reasoning - Dec 09, Thurs, 9:00-10:30 am
- [Clinical Teaching](#) (Required for MD Assistant Professors on the tenure track and for junior clinical faculty on the AMHSP. Also highly recommended for FFS clinical faculty members). This is a 2-part series:
 - Part 1 – How to Maximize Clinical Teaching
 - Wednesday, September 22, 9:00-11:00 am
 - Thursday, September 23, 2:00-4:00 pm
 - Part 2 – Advanced Topics including feedback and “difficult” learners
 - Tuesday, October 26, 2:00-4:00 pm
 - Wednesday, October 27, 9:00-11:00 am
 - Wednesday, November 03, 9:00-11:00 am
 - Thursday, November 04, 2:00-4:00 pm
- [Upcoming Competence by Design Faculty Development Lunch & Learn Sessions:](#)
 - Assessing Residents in CBD - September 16, 2021, 12:00-1:00 pm
 - Resident Wellness - October 27, 2021, 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Research

- [2022 - Royal College Teasdale-Corti Humanitarian Award](#): Do you know a Canadian physician who is creating impactful change in people's health at home and abroad? Nominate him/her/them for our Teasdale-Corti Humanitarian Award. Deadline is September 30, 2021.

Position Opportunities

- [Recruitment Announcement: UA Division Director & AHS Section Chief - Endocrinology](#)
- [Recruitment Announcement: UA Division Director and AHS Section Chief - Neurology](#)

University of Alberta News

- [COVID Updates](#)
- [8 Quick Campus Safety Scenarios for Instructors: First Day of Class](#)
- [Service Excellence Transformation \(SET\) Initiative Updates and Job Opportunities](#)

Alberta Health Services News

DoM CoVID website

For the latest COVID-19 resources, please visit the [DoM CoVID website](#).

- [AHS response to rising CoVID numbers](#)
- [Immunization of Workers for COVID-19 Policy](#)
- [Clarification on Continuous Eye Protection and Workplace Contact Tracing](#)
- [Continuous masking reminders for ambulatory patients](#)
- [MD Culture Shift Newsletter – Issue 06 Sept 2021](#)

Accolades

- Congratulations to Dr. Trevor Steve (Division of Neurology), who was named as a [2020 Future Leaders in Canadian Brain Research by Brain Canada](#).
- Congratulations to Dr. Zeem Siddiqi (Division of Neurology), who was recognized as a [distinguished alumnus of the Duke University School of Medicine](#).

DoM in the News

For the latest news articles featuring Department of Medicine members, please visit our [Department of Medicine News website](#).

This Week's Virtual Medicine Grand Rounds

MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

08:00 - 09:00

VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM

Zoom is compatible with most iOS and Android devices, you must download Zoom on your device prior to joining the event.



"Chair's State of the Department Address"

Dr. Narmin Kassam

Professor and Chair
Department of Medicine, University of Alberta
Head, Clinical Department of Medicine
Alberta Health Services



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DoM POP: Profiling Our People



Watch the next episode of DoM POP (Profiling Our People), featuring Pam Mathura, QI Scientist and Clinical Lecturer in our Division of General Internal Medicine!

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