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Grand Rounds Schedule | Spring 2026 | January - March

January 13, 2026

Thomas Raedler
Psychopharmacology 2026 | What is New, What is Coming? (30 min)
MHCTU (Mental Health Clinical Trials Unit) | An Update (30 min)

January 20, 2026

David Benrimoh
Computational Psychiatry | From Theory to Practice and Back Again

January 27, 2026

Manrit Kaur Takhar, Shawn Currie, Brian Marriot
Expected Date of Discharge (EDD): Why it Matters and How We Measure It

February 3, 2026

Kay Rittenbach
System Dynamic Modeling

February 10, 2026

Theo Kolivakis
Negative symptoms in schizophrenia

February 17, 2026

Sami Timini
Searching for normal: How the culture of psychiatric diagnosis is undermining natural resilience

February 24, 2026

Stephan Heckers
Catatonia

March 3, 2026

David Ross
The Alberta Program to Support Rural Mental Health

March 10, 2026

Marc Ferger
Drug Development in Psychiatry: Foundations, Innovations, and the Evolving Role of Clinical Insight

March 17, 2026

Vaughn Steele
Optimizing neuromodulation to treat substance use disorders

March 24, 2026

David Tano, Izu Nwachukwu
Departmental Update

March 31, 2026

Nnamdi Ndubuka
Achieving Black Health Equity - The rile of enhanced public health surveillance

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April 7, 2026

Helgi Eyford
The use of Ulysses Contracts with patients that have a substance use disorder

April 14, 2026

Brian Kelly
Cancer and Severe Mental Illness: steps to improving outcomes

April 21, 2026

Laura Ansell
Update on the Dementias for the Psychiatrist: Approach to Clinical Evaluation, Imaging, Genetic Testing, and Biomarkers

April 28, 2026

Paul Arnold
The current state of Mathison Centre

May 5, 2026

Lynn Courey (Sashbear Foundation)
Support for families/caregivers - Learn how the Sashbear Foundation is teaching families and caregivers the skills to help support their loved ones with borderline personality disorder/emotion dysregulation

May 12, 2026

Donald Addington
A Decade of Application and Adaptation of the First Episode Psychosis Services Fidelity Scale

May 19, 2026

Rory Sellmer, Monique Jericho
The Hidden Curriculum in Training: Making the implicit more explicit

May 26, 2026

Andrew Dutcher
Screen use in children

June 2, 2026

Monique Jericho
Developing an eating disorder unit at FMC - challenges, achievements, and current status

June 9, 2026

Vandad Sharifi Senejani
Social Environment and Mental Health in Canadian Communities

June 16, 2026

Troy Mitchell, Fernando Meija
RAAM: Enhancing Access to Timely Addiction Care - Services, Scope, and Impact

June 23, 2026

Julia Kirkham
From Evidence to Everyday Practice: Making the Most of Connect Care in Psychiatry (45 min)

Esther McNeely
Specialists & Community Information Integration (CII): Charting the Course for Better Care (15 min)