

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS



IN-PERSON NETWORKING EVENTS

MID-CAREER (10-20 years)
approximately

Tuesday, October 8, 2024
4:30 - 7:00 PM
ACH Physicians Lounge

EARLY-CAREER (<10 years)
approximately

Tuesday, November 5, 2024
4:30 - 7:00 PM
ACH Physicians Lounge

Scan the QR!

Time to register now!

There will be dinner too!

This sounds great!

Great chance to connect!

In-Person Networking Events

Please come join us for a fun evening of networking, small group discussions and dinner! These events are co-sponsored by the Department of Pediatrics and the ACH Medical Staff Association. ACH colleagues from Departments of Surgery, Anesthesia, and Psychiatry are all welcome.

If you have any further questions about the events, please send an email to Stacy Boehner stacy.boehner@albertahealthservices.ca

Mid-Career In-Person Networking

This event is for professionals that have approximately 10-20 years of related work experience.

- Date: Tuesday, October 8, 2024
- Time: 4:30 - 7:00 PM
- Location: ACH Physicians Lounge

Early-Career In-Person Networking

This event is for new professionals that have approximately less than 10 years of related work experience.

- Date: Tuesday, November 5, 2024
- Time: 4:30 - 7:00 PM
- Location: ACH Physicians Lounge

Register here

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Water Conservation - Calgary Water Main Repair

Please view the official message via the button below from Shawna Syverson and [Dr. Mark Anselmo](#) regarding the Calgary Zone Water Main Repairs.

Between August 26 to the end of September, the City of Calgary will return to [Stage 4 Outdoor Water Restrictions](#).

Calgary updates

Official message



Critical Leadership Conversations course part 4

The focus of our fourth course in the Critical Conversations series will be on mastering large group conversations. We will cover topics such as how to run a great meeting, solution-focused facilitation in large groups, communication strategies, vision development and casting, and change management.


There will be five one-hour virtual lecture sessions between Sept. 19 to Nov. 28, 2024. In between sessions, you will meet three times with two colleagues in a triad to share experiences of these types of conversations, what you have learned, debrief, and offer advice and support to one another. This course is eligible for Section 3 CME credits.

For more information, please contact Lori Paul Lori-Ann.Paul@ahs.ca.


Dates	Time	Registration links
Thursday Sept. 19	4:30-5:30	Register here
Thursday Oct. 3	4:30-5:30	Register here
Thursday Oct. 17	4:30-5:30	Register here
Thursday Nov. 7	4:30-5:30	Register here
Thursday Nov. 28	4:30-5:30	Register here

After a Deskless Worker switches to web apps only...


After a Desktop Worker switches to web apps only...




Excel




OneNote




Outlook



PowerPoint





Word





Deskless Workers
(share computers)


Web App













Desktop App


Viewer Mode






Viewer Mode


Viewer Mode





Information Worker
(dedicated computer)


Desktop & Web Apps











August 1, 2024

Microsoft Technologies Program

AHS Microsoft 365 Licenses

In 2023, Microsoft 365 introduced a new licensing model to AHS. Information Workers with assigned computers (i.e., admin) will receive full access to the MS 365 license package, while Deskless Workers will have access to web-based apps only.

Currently, 80% of AHS staff are Deskless Workers, and 20% have dedicated devices. Web-based access limitations mean certain documents (e.g., fillable forms, advanced Excel spreadsheets, macros) will not be compatible for Deskless Workers.

[Learn more here](#)

[and here](#)



Develop Your Podcaster Potential

We’re launching a Department of Pediatrics podcast with the Pediatric Resident Training Program and seeking department members to mentor and co-host episodes with senior residents.

This podcast will highlight fascinating stories and groundbreaking work in our department, exploring diverse career paths in pediatrics and spotlighting colleagues who deserve more recognition.

If you’d like to help showcase our colleagues and their contributions, please send an email to susan.kuhn@albertahealthservices.ca.



UCalgary Profiles

The University of Calgary (UCalgary) has created a new central web profile system! The great news is as a member/faculty you can access your own web profile and update it as needed – this profile is like your very own mini-website where you can share your contact information and highlight your research, teaching, biography, awards, etc.

Getting started:

If you have a UCalgary email, simply login to <https://profiles.ucalgary.ca/user>

- [Here is the guide](#) on how to create your profile
- [Here are additional profile tips](#)
- Questions or need assistance? Please email digital@ucalgary.ca or pediatrics.comms@ucalgary.ca.

If you do not have a UCalgary email, we can set up your profile using your AHS email! Please send an email to digital@ucalgary.ca or pediatrics.comms@ucalgary.ca.

Please note that all ACHRI member profiles have been unpublished and all ACHRI members have been notified. We will only use UCalgary profiles moving forward.

Have news or content that you would like to be featured?

Please send us an email at peditrics.comms@ucalgary.ca by Tuesday at 11:00 AM for it to be included in that week's issue or the appropriate week's feature. Learn more about each week's themes [here](#).

EVENTS

For all events, please visit the Department of Pediatrics [calendar](#)
All events are in MST (Mountain Standard Time), unless otherwise stated

One Child Every Child Trainee Competitions Consultation

All researchers affiliated with UCalgary are invited to participate in a consultation session on **Thursday, September 5, 2024, from 2:00 – 3:30 PM** via Zoom, for the One Child Every Child (OCEC) Trainee Excellence Awards Competitions. There is more than \$1 million available for OCEC Trainee Awards in 2024/2025. This session offers an opportunity to provide feedback on the draft Terms of Reference and application criteria, as well as to engage with the Transdisciplinary Training Accelerator Co-Leaders, who will facilitate the competitions.

Questions? Email the OCEC Transdisciplinary Training Accelerator team at training.ocec@ucalgary.ca.

Register here

Diagnosis and Treatment of Anxiety Disorders and Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder in Children and Youth: A Workshop for Pediatricians and Mental Health Therapists

Friday, October 4, 2024 | 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Location: Blue Room at the University of Calgary

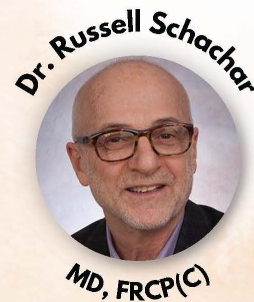
The Mathison Centre for Mental Health Research & Education has developed this workshop in partnership with the Tourette OCD Alberta Network, a registered charity. This workshop is approved by The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) for continuing professional development credits. The workshop will feature three experts in the treatment of these conditions, child psychiatrists Dr. Paul Arnold and Dr. Iliana Ortega, and psychologist Dr. Felicity Sapp.

Learn more and register here

Executive control and ADHD:

A very short introduction

12:00PM - 1:00PM | September 9, 2024
Clara Christie Theatre



Dr. Schachar will provide a comprehensive overview of EC, including its definition, measurement, and the evidence supporting its role in ADHD. Attendees will gain insights into how EC impacts diagnosis, therapy, and future research in ADHD, with practical takeaways for improving assessment and management strategies.

Register: buytickets.at/themathisoncentreformentalhealthresearcheducation/1355129

[Register here](#)

Darwish Symposium 2025

Thursday, February 27, 2024 | 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM

Location: Kinsmen Learning Centre Auditorium, 4th Floor Alberta Children's Hospital

The Darwish Symposium is an annual event. This year's theme is Neuro-Oncology. It is an important topic in the specialized field of medicine. This event is open to everyone interested in neurology, oncology and dermatology.

Dr. Khakoo will be presenting at the Paediatric Grand Rounds on **Wednesday, February 26, 2025 8:30 - 9:30 AM** with the topic: Emergencies in pediatric neuro-oncology: new agents, new challenges

[Learn more and register here](#)

UPCOMING ROUNDS



Grand Rounds

The Neonatal Grand Rounds will resume on Tuesday, September 3, 2024 at 4:00 PM.

The Paediatrics Grand Rounds will resume on Wednesday, September 4, 2024 at 8:30 AM.

Neonatal Grand Rounds

Tuesday, September 3, 2024 | 4:00 PM

Coombs Theatre, Foothills Medical Centre (in-person only)

Topic: Preventing Pain and Promoting Wellness in Infants

[Click here for more information](#)

Please register by sending an email to usha.john@ahs.ca.

Pediatric Grand Rounds

Wednesday, September 4, 2024 | 8:30 – 9:30 AM

Kinsmen Learning Centre Auditorium (4th Floor - ACH) or Virtual (via Zoom)

[Click here for more information](#)

[Register here](#)

CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES

Click on the following positions for complete posting details

Deputy Department Head - Clinical Affairs

- FTE 0.15
- Type: Part-time
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 9, 2024

Newborn Critical Care Site Lead

- FTE 0.1
- Type: Part-time Practice
- Location: Rockyview General Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 30, 2024 (posting has been extended)

Pediatric Critical Care Clinical Associate Locum

- FTE 0.5
- Type: Long-term Locum
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: August 30, 2024

Pediatrician Respiriology – TEF/CDH Clinic

- FTE 0.05
- Type: Part-time
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: August 31, 2024

Medical Geneticist

- FTE 0.50
- Type: Long-term Locum
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 9, 2024 (posting has been extended)

Adolescent Medicine Specialist

- FTE 1.0
- Type: Full-time
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 9, 2024 (posting has been extended)

Pediatric Endocrinologist

- FTE 1.0
- Type: Full-time
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 16, 2024 (posting has been extended)

Pediatric Respiriologist Locum

- FTE 0.8
- Type: Clinical Locum position to cover a one year leave

- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: September 30, 2024

Newborn Critical Care Clinical Associate

- FTE: 1.0 (may be filled by more than one physician)
 - Type: Part-time
 - Location: Foothills Medical Centre and all other NICU sites
 - Application Deadline: Open until a suitable candidate is found
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Explore these other job boards for more current opportunities with our department, the Cumming School of Medicine at the University of Calgary and Alberta Health Services below.

[UCalgary Careers](#)

[Doctor Jobs Alberta](#)

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