



WEEKLY BULLETIN

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RESEARCH + QI FEATURE

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Featured Publications

Please click on each bullet point to view each publication.

Department of Pediatrics member's are highlighted in **yellow**.

- **An Atlas of Lumps and Bumps, Part 39: Lichen Spinulosus** - **Alexander K.C. Leung**, Benjamin Barankin, Joseph M. Lam & Kin Fon Leong
- **Association of 24-Hour In-house Neonatologist Coverage with Outcomes of Extremely Preterm Infants** - Anthony Debay, Prakesh Shah & **Abhay Lodha**
- **Down Syndrome: Let's Work Together to End the Stereotypes** - Mario Motta, Amita Singha, Angela B Hoyos, **Abhay Lodha**, Colin Michie, Michael Zemlin, Jargalsaikhan Badarch, Adrianna Frydrysiak-Brzozowska, Md Mozibur Rahman, Aimen E Ben Ayad, Surekha Ramachandran, Seema Thakur, Waldemar A Carlo, Ola D Saugstad, Kei Lui & Akhil Maheshwari
- **Intermediate vs. High Oxygen Saturation Targets in Preterm Infants: A National Cohort Study** - Richard S. Taylor, Balpreet Singh, Amit Mukerji, Jon Dorling, Ruben Alvaro, **Abhay Lodha**, Walid El-Nagggar, Eugene W. Yoong & Prakesh S. Shahg

- **Long-term quality of life after hematopoietic cell transplant for sickle cell disease in childhood: A STELLAR interim analysis** - Staci D Arnold, Nitya Bakshi, Diana Ross, Crystal Smith, Cynthia Sinha, Anirudh Veludhandi, Valerie Dutreuil, Shasha Bai, Lillian R Meacham, [Greg Guilcher](#), Monica Bhatia, Allistair Abraham, Kimberly A Kasow, Ann Haight, Fuad El Rassi, Elizabeth Stenger, Joseph Lipscomb, Lakshmanan Krishnamurti
- **Male autism spectrum disorder is linked to brain aromatase disruption by prenatal BPA in multimodal investigations and 10HDA ameliorates the related mouse phenotype** - Christos Symeonides, Kristina Vacy, Sarah Thomson, Sam Tanner, Hui Kheng Chua, Shilpi Dixit, Toby Mansell, Martin O'Hely, Boris Novakovic, Julie B. Herbstman, Shuang Wang, Jia Guo, Jessalynn Chia, Nhi Thao Tran, Sang Eun Hwang, Kara Britt, Feng Chen, Tae Hwan Kim, Christopher A. Reid, Anthony El-Bitar, Gabriel B. Bernasochi, Lea M. Durham Delbridge, Vincent R. Harley, Yann W. Yap, [Deborah Dewey](#), Chloe J. Love, David Burgner, Mimi L. K. Tang, Peter D. Sly, Richard Saffery, Jochen F. Mueller, Nicole Rinehart, Bruce Tonge, Peter Vuillermin, the BIS Investigator Group, Anne-Louise Ponsonby & Wah Chin Boon
- **Nocturnal Enuresis** - [Alexander Kwok-Chu Leung](#)
- **Postnatal Steroids Use for Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia in a Quaternary Care NICU** - Uthayakumaran Kanagaraj, [Abhay Lodha](#), [Amuchou Soraisham](#) & Jason Tan
- **Prevalence and predictors of postpartum depression and generalized anxiety symptoms among women who delivered at a tertiary hospital in Mwanza Tanzania: a cross-sectional study** - Matiko Mwita, Scott Patten & [Deborah Dewey](#)
- **Roseola Infantum: An Updated Review** - [Alexander Kwok-Chu Leung](#), Joseph Ming-Chee Lam, Benjamin Barankin, Kin Fon Leong & Kam Lun Hon
- **Sex-Specific Associations between Prenatal Exposure to Bisphenols and Phthalates and Infant Epigenetic Age Acceleration** - [Gillian England-Mason](#), Sarah M. Merrill, Jiaying Liu, Jonathan W. Martin, Amy M. MacDonald, David W. Kinniburgh, Nicole Gladish, Julia L. Maclsaac, [Gerald F. Giesbrecht](#), [Nicole Letourneau](#), Michael S. Kobor & [Deborah Dewey](#)
- **Understanding caregiver preferences and technology access to plan improvement of pediatric emergency department discharge instructions** - [Michelle Fric](#) & [Jennifer Thull-Freedman](#)
- **Ustekinumab for type 1 diabetes in adolescents: a multicenter, double-blind, randomized phase 2 trial** - [Danijela Tatovic](#), Ashish Marwaha, Peter Taylor, Stephanie J. Hanna, Kym Carter, W. Y. Cheung, Steve Luzio, Gareth Dunseath, Hayley A. Hutchings, Gail Holland, Steve Hiles, Greg Fegan, Evangelia Williams, Jennie H. M. Yang, Clara Domingo-Vila, Emily Pollock, Muntaha Wadud, Kirsten Ward-Hartstonge, Susie Marques-Jones, Jane Bowen-Morris, Rachel Stenson, Megan K. Levings, John W. Gregory, Timothy I. M. Tree, Colin Dayan & USTEKID Study Group

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RESEARCH ORIENTATION

FOR NEW FACULTY

CUMMING SCHOOL OF MEDICINE



New Researcher Orientation

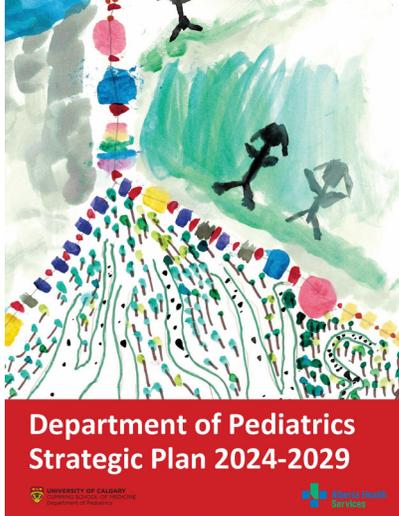
Tuesday, September 24, 2024 | 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Location: Virtual via Zoom

If you're a new researcher at CSM or if you've never attended a Research Orientation before, this is for you! In this session hosted by OFD and led by the Grant Development Office, you'll learn how to get funding, get a better understanding of the grant application process, and start mapping your plan for success!

[Register here](#)

DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS



New Strategic Plan

We are pleased to officially release the Department's new strategic plan!

The purpose of the strategic plan is to inform the trajectory of the Department of Pediatrics for the next five years: 2024-2029.

Please take a moment to review it and familiarize yourself with our new vision, mission and values.

[View here](#)



Interim Department Manager

John-Paul (JP) Gaston assumed the role of Interim Department Manager for the Department of Pediatrics last week! John-Paul joined our department for the next year while Cecilia Lee is on maternity leave.

Please take a moment to welcome him when you see him!

[View the announcement](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Seeking 1-2 Staff Representation for CaRMS Selection Subcommittee

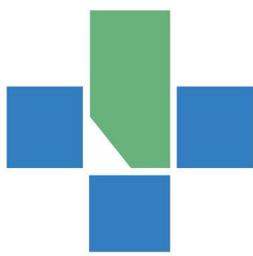
Want to be more involved with future resident selection and help guide our process? 2-year term, once renewable. There are about 4-5 meetings a year, each 1 hour.

If you are interested or have any questions, please reach out to Dr. Amelie Stritzke

amelie.stritzke@albertahealthservices.ca

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.



Alberta Health Services

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

Virtual Office Hours – Microsoft 365 Readiness

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



Excel



OneNote



Outlook



PowerPoint



Word



Deskless Workers
(share computers)

Web App



Desktop App



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.

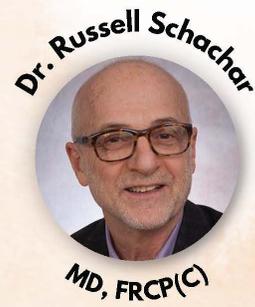
Please note that all ACHRI member profiles have been unpublished and all ACHRI members have been notified. We will only use UCalgary profiles moving forward.

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

Please send us an email at pediatrics.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



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](#)



Alberta Children's Hospital Research Institute munch and meet

Thursday, September 12, 2024 | 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Location: Alberta Children's Hospital Cafeteria

Join ACHRITA (Alberta Children's Hospital Research Institute) for a snack and chat with the trainees for their first monthly event!

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](#)

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



[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

Neonatal Grand Rounds

Tuesday, September 10, 2024 | 4:00 – 5:00 PM

Virtual (via Zoom)

Topic: GERD in Infants: What is new in the Management?

Presenter: Dr. Sudarshan Jadcherla, MD, DCH, FRCP (Irel), AGAF

[Click here for more information](#)

[Register here](#)

Pediatric Grand Rounds

Wednesday, September 11, 2024 | 8:30 – 9:30 AM

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

Topic: Secrets of Neurology Unlocked: how to deal with common challenges in neurology (without a bowtie or blazer)

Presenter: Dr. Mary Dunbar MD MSc FRCPC, Pediatric Neurologist

[Click here for more information](#)

[Register here](#)

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
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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)
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Medical Geneticist

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

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

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

- FTE 0.2-1.0 (flexible opportunities) Mon-Fri
 - Type: Part-time to Full Time Practice
 - Location: Kiwi Pediatrics (Community Clinic in SE Calgary)
 - Application Deadline: December 31, 2024 (or until space is filled)
 - If interested, see posting on Cherry Health (ca.cherry.health) for more details or contact Dr. Dan Ross at drdan.yyc@gmail.com
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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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