

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FEATURE



Physician on Call Application Process - For Section Chiefs

Please see the information and memo via the buttons below about the Physician on Call application process, **including the extension of the application deadline to November 15, 2024.**

If your section is eligible and currently receives funding from the Physician on Call program, or if you think you are eligible you will need to apply.

Memo

Funding FAQs

We want you to be a member of the Mentoring Academy!



WE ARE ALL MENTORS, AT EVERY STAGE OF OUR CAREER.

Take the next PEPP* step to become a better mentor and mentee. Attend one of these interactive 3 hour workshops and join the Mentoring Academy!

Mentoring workshops

Only 7 spots left!

- October 28, 2024
- 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
- Conference Room 14 ACH

Mentoring workshops

- December 4, 2024
- 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM
- Conference Room 2 ACH

Please send an email to Stacy.Boehner@ahs.ca to learn more and to register for the events

*Professionals Engaging with Purpose Program



The Canadian Women in Medicine Conference

The Canadian Women in Medicine Conference is coming to Calgary (CWIM)! The 2025 annual wellness conference will be held May 30 - June 1 and registration takes place in November.

Now coming up on its sixth year, the CWIM Conference continues to provide best-in-class education on topics aligned with its mission to help women physicians thrive both personally and professionally.

It has grown to become the largest gathering of women physicians in North America, with typically around 1,300 attendees.

Registration for CWIM Partners opens on November 5. To become a partner of the not-for-profit learn more at: <https://www.cwimorg.com>

General registration opens on November 26.

For further information, you can reach out to department member Dr. Naminder Sandhu (Board Member and Treasure of CWIM Organization) at naminder.sandhu@ahs.ca.

[Learn more and register here](#)

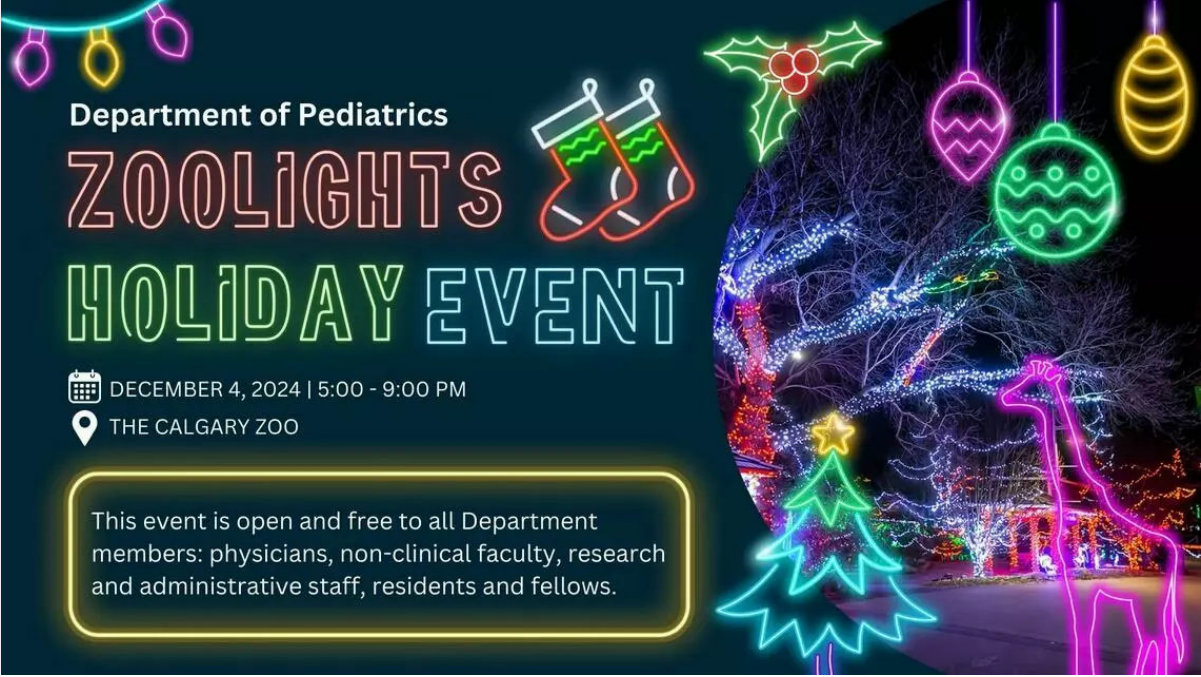
DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS



New Deputy Head - Clinical Affairs

Dr. Jonathan Gilleland is a pediatric intensivist and clinical associate professor in the section of pediatric critical care at Alberta Children’s Hospital. He recently completed a Master of Health Management and is also the medical lead of the pediatric critical care outreach team known locally as STEP and the hospital code blue committee. He moved to Calgary in 2016 and before this, he was the division head of pediatric critical care at McMaster Children’s Hospital and completed his medical training at both McMaster University and the Hospital for Sick Children.

Welcome and congratulations Dr. Gilleland!



2024 Department of Pediatrics Zoolights Holiday Event

The Department of Pediatrics invites you and your family to join us for an enchanting evening at the Calgary Zoo's Zoolights event! Please RSVP by Friday, November 15, 2024 at 11:59 PM in order to attend.

[More info and RSVP here](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Alberta Children's Hospital Complex Care ECHO

The Alberta Children’s Hospital Complex Care Program is inviting all healthcare providers to register for their upcoming ECHO (Extensions for Community Health Outcomes) Project focused on children with medical complexity.

ECHO aims to foster a virtual case-based learning environment and community of practice for pediatric complex care. The ECHO will commence in January 2025, offering 6 sessions throughout the year that will see topics related to enteral nutrition, clinical ethics, pain, dystonia management, bone health, and resources. Please register for ACH Complex Care ECHO using the button below.

[About ECHOing Care](#)

[Register here](#)



Printing & Downloading on non-AHS Devices - Exemption Request Process

Please see the attached memo regarding the recent changes to printing and downloading on non-AHS devices.

AHS IT has streamlined the exemption request process (via ITARF) for physicians to reduce administrative burden. A quicker way to submit exemption requests is now live, and an attached step-by-step PDF guide is available for your reference.

[Memo](#)

[Exemption Guide](#)

Important Update: UCalgary or AHS Email Requirement

Effective Tuesday, October 22, 2024, our



department will communicate exclusively through University of Calgary (UCalgary) or Alberta Health Services (AHS) email addresses. This initiative aims to enhance the security of sensitive information and reduce cybersecurity risks.

If you currently receive the Weekly Bulletin at a non-UCalgary or non-AHS email address, please update your contact information by completing the form linked below to provide your UCalgary or AHS email address.

Thank you for your cooperation.

[Update here](#)

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

IN-PERSON NETWORKING EVENTS

Scan the QR!
Time to register now!
There will be dinner too!
This sounds great!
Great chance to connect!

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!

EARLY-CAREER (<10 years)
approximately

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

ACH Physicians Lounge

MID-CAREER (10-20 years)
approximately

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

ACH Physicians Lounge

[Register here](#)

Child Health and Wellness Seminar

Climate change and child health



Dr. Tobias Alfvén, MD, PhD, Professor, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden
Dr. Daniel Helldén, MD, PhD, Postdoc, One Child Every Child, UCalgary

Monday, October 21, 2024: 8:30 – 9:30 am
Zoom Registration: bit.ly/3Md97ef



[Register here](#)

Alberta Health Services

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ALBERTA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

2nd Annual

STOLLERY & GLENROSE

PEDIATRIC PAIN

EDUCATION DAY

A CHILDKIND INTERNATIONAL TEAM EVENT

November 7, 2024

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

TOPICS INCLUDE:

Culturally Sensitive and Safe Care

Pain Care in the NICU

Pharmacological Considerations

Featuring:

Patient Partners

Child Life Specialists

Content Experts

Register here for this FREE event:

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER, OR VISIT:

<https://forms.office.com/JukK5W9G6K>

With World Renowned Pain Researcher, Canada Research Chair (Tier 1) in Children's Pain, and Scientific Director of SKIP,

Dr. Christine Chambers

as Keynote Speaker

2nd Annual Pediatric Pain Education Day

Thursday, November 7, 2024 | 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Location: Virtual via Zoom

A free event with topics on "Culturally Sensitive and Safe Care", "Pain Care in the NICU" and "Pharmacological Considerations"

[Learn more here](#)

[Register here](#)



The Canadian **Donation and Transplantation** Research Program
Programme de recherche en **don et transplantation** du Canada



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PEDIATRIC TRANSPLANT SYMPOSIUM

Building on Excellence:

The Future of Research and Innovation in Pediatric Transplantation

DECEMBER 2, 2024

Alberta Children's Hospital
Calgary, AB

[Learn more and register here](#)



Evidence-Based Practice for Improving Quality (EPIQ) Workshop

Tuesday, December 3, 2024 | 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM | Virtual Zoom

Training front-line teams in quality improvement methods

The EPIQ Workshop aims to train physicians and other healthcare providers in quality improvement methods using a hands-on approach that enables teams to implement quality improvement together.

In this workshop you will learn:

- Why improvement science is valuable in health care and everyday life.
- Gain expertise on the QI process and understand how to implement it in your context.
- Establish a stronger understanding of your opportunities for change.
- Break down implementation into achievable steps.
- Get a handle on the logistics: plans, team creation, measurement, and more.

Questions, contact the facilitators:



Dr. Ayman Abou Mehrem
Ayman.AbouMehrem@ahs.ca



Claire Hamilton
Claire.Hamilton@ahs.ca

The EPIQ workshop is accredited for up to 6 hours of Section 3 MOC credits with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada; and for up to 5 hours (2 Mainpro+ Group Learning credits per hour) by the College of Family Physicians of Canada.



Registration

Registration Fee: \$75 CAD

Register by November 27, 2024 at 4:00 pm

Register link: Click here [EPIQ Workshop](#)

Registration QR Code:



[Register here](#)

UPCOMING ROUNDS

Pediatric Grand Rounds

Wednesday, October 23, 2024 | 8:30 – 9:30 AM

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

Topic: Congenital CMV: What Pediatricians Need to Know

Presenter: Jessica Dunn, MD MPH

[Click here for more information](#)

[Register here](#)

Owerko Centre Neurodevelopmental Research Rounds

Wednesday, November 6, 2024 | 12:00 – 1:00 PM

Child Development Centre, Main Floor Boardroom, 3820 - 24 Avenue NW or Virtual (via Zoom)

Topic: Cultivating resilience and flourishing in everyday life: All Our Families update and synthesizing research to meet community needs

Presenters: Dr. Suzanne Tough, Dr. Zahra Clayborne & r. Dr. Jessica-Lynn Walsh

[Click here for more information](#)

[Register here](#)

Grand Rounds Recordings

Check out the Grand Rounds page on our website for previous Grand Rounds presentations [here](#).

CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES

Co-Director, Pediatric Transport Team (NEW)

- FTE: 0.1
- Type: Part-time

Zone Clinical Section Chief, Pediatric Cardiology (NEW)

- FTE: 0.1
- Type: Part-time
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: October 24, 2024

Pediatric Respirologist Locum

- FTE: 0.8
- Type: Short-term Locum
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: October 31, 2024

Pediatric Critical Care Clinical Associate Locum

- FTE: 0.3
- Type: Long-term Locum
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: October 31, 2024

Pediatric Hospital Medicine - Practitioner, Locum (NEW)

- FTE: 0.6
- Type: Long-term Locum
- Location: Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: November 18, 2024

Community Pediatrician or Pediatric Subspecialist

- FTE 0.2-1.0 Mon-Fri
- Type: Part-time to Full Time Consultant Based Practice
- Location: Sage Fox Medical Consultants L100 - 8555 Scurfield Drive NW
- Application Open until space is filled
- For more information see our [website](#) or contact Dr. Katie Doherty at drdoherty@sagefoxmedical.ca

Community Pediatrician or Pediatric Subspecialist

- 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

Community Pediatrician or Pediatric Subspecialist

- FTE 0.2-1.0 (Flexible opportunities) Mon-Fri
- Type: Part-time to Full Time Practice
- Location: Sunnyhill Pediatric Clinic, located in University District NW Calgary, steps from the Alberta Children's Hospital
- Application Deadline: January 31, 2025 (or until space is filled)
- If interested, please inquire by contacting Dr. Robert (Bobby) Shyleyko at robert.shyleyko@albertahealthservices.ca

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

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](#)

Contact pediatrics.comms@ucalgary.ca with questions or if you have content to contribute.

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