

REQUIRED LONGITUDINAL CONFERENCES AND INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAM ROUNDS

Day/time	Activity	Description	Location
The following activities are held July 2007 – June 2008.			
Monday, NOON-1PM	Core Conference Series	This series will be attended by both geriatric medicine fellows and internal medicine residents who are emphasizing geriatric medicine in their training. Didactic presentations on key geriatric topics will constitute the bulk of this series.	8N Montefiore Conference Room
Monday, Noon-1:00 PM	Professor Rounds	Once per quarter, as part of the Core Conference Series, Dr. Eric Rodriguez will discuss exemplary clinical cases. It will be the responsibility of the fellow to identify the patient for discussion. Nancy Kinney will make any arrangements necessary to ensure that patients are present at these rounds.	8N Montefiore Conference Room
Tuesday, 8:30 AM	HBPC Interdisciplinary Team Meeting	The team meets weekly to discuss admissions, discharges, treatment plans, falls, interim status reports and to have inservices.	Highland Drive VA, Building 6 conference room
Friday, 8-9:30 AM	Geriatric Medicine Division Conferences *	This series will occur on all but one Friday of each month (because that Friday is dedicated to Geriatric Medicine Division faculty meeting) and will consist of journal club (twice a month), clinical case presentations (weekly), and topic conferences (weekly). Fellows will present monthly at this series including one topic conference per year and either journal club or clinical cases other times.	Kaufmann Building, Suite 500
Friday, 8-9:30 AM	Geriatrics Grand Rounds	Once a month, as part of the Geriatric Medicine Division Conferences, outside speakers will give state-of-the-art presentations on various topics.	Kaufmann Building, Suite 500
Friday, 8-9:30 AM	Geriatrics Drug Rounds	Once a month, as part of the Geriatric Medicine Division Conferences, a fellow will present a “drug” case (that she will have previously discussed with Joe Hanlon, Pharm D) in which medication side effects or other medication-related issues illustrate important teaching points. The discussion will be led by Drs. Joseph Hanlon and Christine Ruby.	Kaufmann Building, Suite 500

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Friday, 11AM-Noon	Department of Medicine Grand Rounds	State of the art lecture series on key topics of relevance to all internal medicine specialties	LHAS Conference room, 7 th floor Montefiore
Friday, 12:30 (First Friday of each month, starting in August)	Lunch with Program Director and another faculty	The purpose of this activity is two-fold: (1) time for the program director and fellows to chat in a relaxed atmosphere, (2) opportunity for fellows to interact on a more personal level with various other members of the division.	TBD
The following activities are held September 2007 – June 2008.			
Friday, 9:15-10:15 AM	GRECC Core Lectures **	Trainees and faculty present a review of a topic relevant to the care of older adults. This is an interdisciplinary teaching conference to help trainees understand core geriatrics topics from multiple perspectives. There are two 5-month cycles of core lectures during the year. The fellow is responsible for presenting two of these lectures during the second five-month block. They should attend the corresponding presentations during the first five-month block.	University Drive VA 1st Floor Conference Room
Friday, 10:15-11:00 AM	GRECC Interdisciplinary Case Conference	Presentation of patient cases by trainees with discussion about care and issues facilitated by one of the GRECC faculty. A major goal of this session is to understand how each of the disciplines contributes to interdisciplinary care of older adults. Participants contribute to the discussion by asking questions relevant to their disciplines and by telling the group what they would do as a member of their profession.	University Drive VA 1st Floor Conference Room
Friday, Noon – 1:00 PM	GRECC Conference Series **	Presentations by speakers from various disciplines on clinical, educational, and research topics. Fellows will present one topic toward the end of the year.	University Drive VA 1st Floor Conference Room

* Fellows will be assigned a preceptor with whom they should discuss their planned presentation prior to conference time.

** The fellow is not required to attend these conferences each week. See specifics in table.