



Internal Medicine Patient Safety Conference Series

4th Tuesdays, 12 noon -1 p.m.

**Presented by
University of Kansas Medical Center
Department of Internal Medicine
and
University of Kansas Medical Center
Continuing Education**

**The University of Kansas Medical Center
Sudler Auditorium
3901 Rainbow Blvd.
Kansas City, Kansas**

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Leavenworth VA Medical Center, Leavenworth, KS**

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Overview

The Internal Medicine Patient Safety Conference series reviews key cases from the department of medicine that have associated morbidity, mortality, patient safety, or system failure issues. Cases are reviewed in an interactive format to discuss relevant issues, using a matrix developed at Vanderbilt University for guidance. System improvement projects are identified at the conclusion of each conference, and progress on these initiative reported on at the subsequent conference.

This series is designed to:

- Affirm and/or improve attendees' knowledge of core information;
- Disseminate information about advancements in the field;
- Improve attendees' competence in clinical care, research, education, or other professional responsibilities;
- Improve the outcomes of clinical care; and
- Improve the capabilities of attendees to function within the organization and/or system of care delivery

Target Audience

Department of Internal Medicine

Objectives

At the completion of this series, participants should be able to:

Review guidelines to decrease morbidity and mortality,
Review morbidity and mortality statistics,
Identify causes of morbidity and mortality,
Identify predicted and unpredicted patient outcomes,
Discuss patients with difficult management problems or atypical presentations, and
Identify common system failure issues in medicine.

Planning Committee

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Accreditation

All participants are required to register at the beginning of each session. A certificate of completion will be available to all activity participants based on documentation of actual attendance time and meeting minimum attendance requirements specific to the activity.

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Faculty

Please refer to broadcast emails and the KUMC Events Calendar for current information regarding faculty, topics, and location.

For more information please contact bobbie e. fink at 913-588-3344.

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- Speakers were selected based upon a review of their qualifications and an assessment of their ability to present the best available evidence accepted in health care practice.
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- Disclosure of relevant financial relationships will be provided to the participants prior to the activity.
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