

Interhospital Grand Rounds Terms of Reference

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Background

The Adult Nephrology Training Program is committed to delivering excellent patient care. This includes ensuring trainees and faculty remain up to date with leading practice and evidence-based medicine.

Purpose

The purpose of Interhospital Grand Rounds is to review and summarize an area of interest in Nephrology. As such, trainees will develop skills in summarizing and critically evaluating medical literature. These presentations will help promote an engaging, yet respectful, discussion on the presented material.

Format

1. Interhospital Grand Rounds will be held virtually via Zoom or Microsoft Teams.
2. Interhospital Grand Rounds will be held monthly from September to June during the 1st Wednesday of the month from 1200 – 1300.
3. A PGY4 and a PGY5 will be paired for each session
4. The trainee(s) will decide on the topic, based on an area of interest related to Nephrology
 - a. The presentation will summarize and critically appraise at least 3-5 articles related to this topic
5. Trainees should identify a faculty member who has expertise in the topic to provide feedback prior to the presentation.
6. The presentation should last approximately 30 minutes, followed by 10-15 minutes of discussion
7. To generate discussion, the trainee(s) should pose 1-2 questions to the audience on how the research may change clinical practice, if appropriate.

Accountability and Reporting

- Trainees are responsible for their presentation date. Both trainees are expected to present unless there are extenuating circumstances.
- The trainee(s) will submit their slides to the Program Administrator to be added to their Resident file.
- An evaluation form will be distributed after the presentation. This form will be completed within 1 week of the presentation and submitted to the Program Administrator. Evaluations will be added to the Resident's file.