Recent events led to a state investigation of our time-out process and Fire Risk Assessment during the time-out for perioperative procedures. As a result, the Medical Center Medical Board and Nursing leadership have approved mandatory training, Timeout & Fire Safety Prevention in the OR, for all perioperative and procedural areas.

The Learning Management System module has been assigned to all applicable providers, residents and staff. You have until August 9 to complete your training. It is important to note that individuals will not be able to care for patients in operative and procedural areas after August 9 if training and testing is incomplete.

To access the Learning Exchange please click on this link below or type it into your browser's address bar:
https://learningexchange.vumc.org

Neuroanesthesiology Fellowship Applications Live

We are pleased to announce the Vanderbilt Neuroanesthesiology fellowship started in July 2019. This is a one-year fellowship focused on providing extensive academic, educational and research opportunities to prepare the fellow for an academic career or leadership in a non-academic practice. One position is available each year. There is a national need for specialty trained neuroanesthesiologists, and the future is bright for those who add additional knowledge and skills to their anesthesia education.

Click here for more details and information on how to apply.

Anesthesiology Education Conference Schedule

Click here to view the most recent calendar for the 2019 academic year (Grand Rounds and Visiting Professor Seminars).

Additional CME Opportunities

CME Case Conference:
Friday, July 26th at 6:30 a.m. in 208 Light Hall
Topic: Severe Hypotension
Presented by: Jim Blair, DO
Click here to view flyer.

DaveTalk 9
Click here to read the latest newsletter.

Employee Recognition: GEMs (Going the Extra Mile)
We want to recognize good work when we see it and encourage our colleagues to recommend our next GEM. Do you know someone who has made your day brighter or easier? Someone who has gone above and beyond? Please let us know the details so that we can recognize that person for a job well done.

Please click here to submit a GEM recommendation.

We want to hear from you!
Send your news, awards, and accomplishments - to be shared in faculty and staff meetings, Weekly Update, newsletters, and social media - to Anesthesiology Communications.

Happy Birthday!
Click here to view our July Birthdays.

Department Achievements
Jonathan Wanderer, MD, has been named an at-large member of the Medical Center Medical Board at VUMC this year.
Pratik Pandharipande, MD, MSCI, received the Foundation for Anesthesia Education and Research (FAER) Mentoring Excellence in Research Award.

Press Coverage and Publications

Recent Publications

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