Research Rounds

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The Centre for Health Education Scholarship (CHES) invites you to Research Rounds with:

Dr. Laura Farrell

Title – 'What is my goal?' Exploring goal oriented feedback in brief clinical teaching encounters

Date: December 9, 2015*

*Take note this session is one week earlier than the usual timing for Rounds

Time: 12:00pm to 1:30pm

(Lunch will be served at DHCC)

Venue: Diamond Health Care Centre 2267

With videoconference to; IRC 305, CSB V2-220, PHRM 3321, MSB 107, RJH CA 120, KGH CAC 237, NHSC 9-374, Surrey Central City (Manning Rm 4109)

*Please be aware that this session will be recorded and made available online to CHES members on a password-protected site.



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ABSTRACT Supervision in the outpatient context is increasingly in the form of single interactions between students and preceptors creating difficulties for effective feedback. Building on feedback theories focusing on the relational and dialogic aspects of feedback, I explore my use of goal oriented feedback in brief encounters both in the ambulatory setting and on the wards. Using autoethnographic methods to analyze and interpret my feedback interactions, the study demonstrates that goal oriented feedback promotes dialogue, as it requires both preceptor and learner to acknowledge and negotiate learning goals throughout their interaction. Feedback thereby becomes an explicit component of the preceptor-learner relationship, enhancing feedback interactions even in relatively brief encounters.

ABOUT Dr. Laura Farrell is a General Internist and clinical educator at the Island Medical Program in Victoria. She completed her undergraduate education at the University of Victoria, her MD at the University of British Columbia and her Internal Medicine residency in Calgary. After beginning her career in Lethbridge, Alberta, Dr. Farrell moved home to Victoria where she has been practicing for the last seven years. Dr. Farrell recently achieved a Masters of Medical Education from the University of Dundee with the strong support of the Centre for Health Education Scholarship. Currently, she is the Site Education Leader for Internal Medicine at the Victoria General Hospital and a Master Teacher for the Island Medical Program.

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