

## **Family Medicine Grand Rounds**

**Presented by: The University of Vermont Medical Center, Family Medicine**

**University of Vermont, College of Medicine**

**8:00 – 9:00 AM Davis Auditorium**

### **Monday September 3, 2018**

**No Family Medicine Grand Rounds – Labor Day Holiday**

### **Monday September 10, 2018**

**Workshop #**

\* **“Breastfeeding”**

**Jessica Faraci, MD**

**Department of Family Medicine**

**University of Vermont Larner College of Medicine**

### **Monday September 17, 2018**

**Workshop #**

\* **“Medical Cannabis”**

**Donald I. Abrams, M.D.** is chief of the Hematology-Oncology Division at San Francisco General Hospital and a Professor of Clinical Medicine at the University of California San Francisco. He has an Integrative Oncology consultation practice at the UCSF Osher Center for Integrative Medicine.

He was one of the original clinician/investigators to recognize and define many early AIDS-related conditions. He has long been interested in clinical trials of complementary and alternative medicine interventions for HIV/AIDS and cancer, including evaluations of medicinal marijuana, as first inspired by Rick Doblin in 1992. In 1997 he received funding from the National Institute on Drug Abuse to conduct clinical trials of the short-term safety of cannabinoids in HIV infection. Subsequently he was granted funds by the University of California Center for Medicinal Cannabis Research to continue studies of the effectiveness of cannabis in a number of clinical conditions. He completed a placebo-controlled study of smoked cannabis in patients with painful HIV-related peripheral neuropathy as well as a study evaluating vaporization as a smokeless delivery system for medicinal. His last NIDA-funded trial investigated the possible pharmacokinetic interaction between vaporized cannabis and opioid analgesics in patients with chronic pain. He co-authored the chapter on “Cannabinoids and Cancer” in the Oxford University Press Integrative Oncology text that he co-edited with Andrew Weil.

### **Monday September 24, 2018**

**Workshop #**

\* **“The Birth of Clinical Medical Ethics and the Contributions of the MacLean Center at the University of Chicago”**

**Mark Siegler, MD**, is the Lindy Bergman Distinguished Service Professor of Medicine and Surgery at the University of Chicago, founding director of the University of Chicago's MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics, and executive director of the Bucksbaum Institute for Clinical Excellence. He has been practicing and teaching internal medicine for more than 40 years.

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