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## REGISTRATION

Although there is no cost to attend Clinical Day, we do ask individuals to register by either calling Megan Marshall at 416-530-6486 ext. 4269 or emailing [marshme@stjoe.on.ca](mailto:marshme@stjoe.on.ca)

**Call today to reserve a spot!**

## LOCATION

St. Joseph's Health Centre, Toronto  
30 The Queensway  
Education Centre A & B  
1st Floor, Barnicke Wing

Please note: the SJHC parking lot may be busier than normal due to this event. You may wish to consider car-pooling, transit or a taxi.



# 56th Annual CLINICAL DAY

Friday, November 4, 2011  
St. Joseph's Health Centre, Toronto

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

James Starr Simpson Memorial Lecture Series

**Dr. Andrew L. McCallum,  
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# ST. JOSEPH'S HEALTH CENTRE, TORONTO (SJHC) CLINICAL DAY 2011 PROGRAMME

7:15 a.m. Registration

8:00 a.m. Welcome:  
Carolyn Baker,  
President & CEO, SJHC



Moderator:  
Dr. Jerry Maniate, M.Ed, FRCPC  
Director, Medical Education, SJHC



8:15 a.m. Scientific Presentations

- Top Scientific Abstracts 2010/2011
- Best Scientific Abstract Award Presentation

9:00 a.m. Dr. Matthew Heffer, FRCPC  
Respirologist, Respiratory and  
Sleep Medicine, SJHC



*"Sleep Apnea and Cardiovascular Disease."*

Obstructive sleep apnea is a common problem in both men and women. There is emerging information that untreated sleep apnea may increase the risk of cardiovascular disease, including: heart attack, stroke, hypertension, and atrial fibrillation. This session will briefly review the basics of sleep apnea and disease associations.

9:20 a.m.



Dr. Hani Akoury, FRCSC  
Medical Program Director of Women's,  
Children's & Family Health and Chief  
of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, SJHC

*"Preterm Delivery, what is new?"*

The rate of preterm delivery continues to rise. Recent evidence suggests the use of progesterone in selected pregnant mothers may reduce the incidence of preterm delivery, while the antenatal use of magnesium sulphate is associated with increased neuroprotection in the premature newborns. This presentation will briefly review the growing evidence of the use of progesterone and magnesium sulphate in preterm labour/delivery and outline the management options available at St. Joseph's Health Centre.

9:40 a.m.



Dr. Robert Adam, FRCSC  
Ophthalmologist, SJHC

*"How to Blind Your Patient with a Prescription - An Update on Common Drugs and their Ocular Side Effects."*

This talk will discuss four common drug therapies and their potential for devastating ocular side effects. The presentation will cover Alpha 1 Blockers, Prednisone, Hydroxychloroquine and Ethambutol. Suggestions and guidelines for appropriate monitoring of these patients will be reviewed.

10:00 a.m. Refreshment Break/Visit Sponsor Booths

10:30 a.m.



KEY NOTE SPEAKER- James Starr  
Simpson Memorial Lecture Series

Dr. Andrew L. McCallum, FRCPC  
Chief Coroner for Ontario

*"Learning from Coroner's Investigations in Health Care Institutions."*

Using cases investigated by the Ontario Office of the Chief Coroner, this presentation will illustrate how the coroner can assist in elucidating systemic safety issues. The role and scope of the coroner will be covered, as will Regional Coroner Reviews and Inquests.

11:30 a.m. Presentation & Awards  
SJHC Medical Staff Teaching Awards

11:45 a.m. Clinical Pathology Conference  
(CPC) Rounds - SJHC Physicians

*"Adrenaline Rush!"*

This session will discuss a complex clinical case that required the consultation of several different disciplines based at St. Joseph's Health Centre. Through an interactive presentation, the involvement of these disciplines will be discussed as the events relevant to the patient's illness are reviewed. The panel discussion will provide attendees the opportunity to gain a greater understanding behind the reasoning and decision-making process of the clinicians involved as it pertains to the clinical presentation, differential diagnosis and management of this patient's condition.

12:30 p.m. Closing Remarks: Dr. Jerry Maniate

12:45 p.m. Lunch Break

*Please refer to back panel for registration information*