Pediatric Grand Rounds

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2017
8:00AM: Baruch Auditorium
284 Calhoun Street

Topic: “Single ventricle heart disease—surviving and thriving beyond the Pediatric Cardiac ICU”

Speaker: Sinai C. Zyblewski, MD, MSCR
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Pediatric Palliative Care Program

What is Pediatric Palliative Care?
- A medical specialty that cares for children with serious illnesses and their families.
- It is patient centered and family engaged medical care that focuses on enhancing quality of life by anticipating, preventing, and treating suffering.
- We work alongside primary doctors to provide:
  - Pain & symptom management
  - Guidance for children and families facing complex medical decisions
  - Support for effective communication between the child, family, and medical providers
  - Help to develop goals of care that align with child and family wishes
  - Assistance with spiritual, emotional, social and practical challenges of a serious illness
  - Identification of community resources

Meet Our Team

[Images of team members]

Hanna Epstein, DNP
Conrad Williams, MD
Kirstin Campbell, MD
Mary Catherine Dubois, LISW-CP
Sue Krayer, MDiv

Where do We Work?
We spend almost all of our time helping to care for children who are admitted to the hospital. We also meet families in our Advanced Fetal Care Center when their baby has been diagnosed with conditions such as severe congenital heart defects and genetic problems such as Trisomy 18 and Trisomy 13. We help these families to develop an understanding of their child’s medical conditions and work to create a birth plan for how we will care for the child after delivery. In the future, we plan to offer more clinic and home-based services.

Our Accomplishments
- First full-time palliative care team at MUSC Children’s started in 2015
- Patient and family impact
  - 475 inpatient consults
  - 195 consults in fetal care center
- Founding member of South Carolina Pediatric Palliative & Hospice Care and Collaborative
- Community partnerships to help advance the program’s mission

For More Information
- Call: (843) 792-6062
- Click: http://www.musckids.org/our-services/palliative-care
  Getpalliativecare.org
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