

2025 SGIM New England Regional Meeting

Joseph B. Martin Conference Center, Harvard University Saturday, November 8, 2025

7:30 AM	8:30 AM ET	Registration and Welcome Breakfast		
8:30	10:00	Welcome Danielle R. Fine, MD, MSc.; New England Regional President Keynote Address: Healing Beyond Borders: The Clinician's Role in Protecting Immigrant and Refugee Rights Amidst Uncertain Times Sarah Kimball, MD; Boston University School of Medicine Plenary Oral Presentations: Vignettes: Blurry Vision and Blurred Lines: Unmasking Cardiac Sarcoidosis Behind Neurologic Symptoms Renee T. Zhao, MD; University of Massachusetts Chan Medical School Research: National Disparities in Cancer and Colorectal Cancer Mortality Between Incarcerated and Non-Incarcerated US Populations, 2015–2019 Emily L. Lupez, MD, Boston Medical Center Innovation: From Dialogue to Action: Engaging with Community Partners to Co-Design an Undergraduate Medical Education Social Drivers of Health (SDOH) and Health Equity Curriculum Aishwarya Khanna, BS; University of Massachusetts Chan Medical School TH Chan School of Medicine		
10:00	10:10	Break		
10:10	11:10	Concurrent Sessions		
		Oral Session Room: Workshop 1: Practicing Curiosity in Internal Medicine: Using Visual Art as a Means to Improve Clinical Vignette Oral Session Room:		





Presentations:
Primary Care
Physicians'
Experiences with
Implementing
Shared Decision
Making for
Colorectal Cancer
Screening in Older
Adults: A
Qualitative Study
Lotan Kraun, PhD;
Massachusetts
General Hospital

Impact of
Sociodemographic,
Personal
Experiences, and
Barriers to Care on
COVID-19
Vaccination
Hesitancy in
Massachusetts
Senila Yasmin, MD,
MPH; Baystate
Medical Center

Impact of
Telemedicine
Waiver Expiration
on Health Care
Contact Days
Among Medicare
Beneficiaries
Audrey D. Zhang,
MD; Beth Israel

Multidimensional Curiosity Skills

Sam Woodworth, MD; Maine Medical Center and Shreya Trivedi, MD; Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center **Presentations:**

Adrenal Myelolipoma with Concomitant Autonomous Cortisol Secretion and Acute Hemorrhage

Joseph Madour, BS; Brown University Warren Alpert Medical School

Beyond the Antibodies:
Navigating the Diagnostic
and Therapeutic Challenges
of Seronegative Primary
Biliary Cholangitis *Ali Shaat, MD*; Lahey
Hospital and Medical Center

The Plight of Anemia Belies Finding its Complement **Anna Maria Vromans, MD**; Rhode Island Hospital





		Deaconess Medical Center			
		Hopelessness and Suicidal Ideation in New York State Healthcare Workers During the COVID- 19 Pandemic Alexander A. Johnson, MD; Yale School of Medicine			
11:10	11:20	Break			
11:20	12:20	Concurrent Updates			
12.20	1,20	Advances in Menopause Management Noor Tell, MD; Rhode Island Public Health Institute Meghan Geary, MD; Rhode Island Hospital Melissa McNeil, MD, MPH; The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University		The Care of Hospitalized Patients with Liver Disease Lesley B. Gordon, MD and Matthew A. Clark, DO; Maine Medical Center	
12:20	1:20	Lunch & Networking 12:30: Medical Jeopardy			
1:20	1:30	Break			
1:30	2:30	Concurrent Sessions			
		Clinical Updates in Addiction Medicine <i>Erica Heiman, MD</i> ;	Innovation Abstract Oral Session		Workshop 2: Navigating Uncertainty in Clinical Practice & Teaching:
			Creating Access in Primary		
		Yale School of	Creating Access	s in Primary	Applying the RAPS





	Daniel Liauw, MD, MPH;
	Massachusetts General Hospital

Remote Patient Monitoring *Keerthi Bandi, MD*; Beth Israel

Deaconess Medical Center

Inspiring Childlike Curiosity: A Web-Based Collection of Teaching Illustrations for Internal Medicine Educators and Learners

Sam Woodworth, MD; Maine Medical Center

Responsive Integration of Substance Use Education"(RISE): An Innovative Longitudinal Addiction Medicine Curriculum for Yale Health Professions Students Cara M. Borelli, BA, DO; Yale School of Medicine

A Weekly, Student-Led Case Series to Enhance Early Clinical Reasoning in Preclinical Medical Students *Kaitlyn A. Stoehr, BSE*; Yale School of Medicine Parter, & Seek Support)
Framework through a
Longitudinal Patient Case

Cindy Y. Won, BS; Harvard Medical School; Celeste Royce, MD; Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center; Galina Gheihman, MD; Brigham and Women's Hospital

2:30 2:40 Break

Diabetes Technology

Amy Courtney, DO;

for the Internist

Bite-Size Teaching Competition	,
Chosen Topic: Beeps	4
& Buttons:	-
Demystifying	1

2:40

3:40

Workshop 3: When POCUS
Speaks Volumes
Aditya Mohanty, MD,
Josephine Cool, MD,
Bence Zolyomi, MD, and
Sudipta Mohanty, MD; Beth
Israel Deaconess Medical

Concurrent Sessions

Workshop 4: Ask Smarter, Improve Faster: Design Effective Surveys for Your Quality Improvement Projects Naseema B. Merchant, MD, FACP; Yale School of Medicine; Alvin Gibson



		Maine Medical	Center		Wong, MD; University of	
		Center			Arizona College of Medicine,	
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		Ascites and			Meghan O'Halloran, MD;	
		Spontaneous			Edward Hines Junior	
		Bacterial Peritonitis:			Veterans Affairs Hospital	
		A Rapid Review for			veterans Arrairs Hospitai	
		the Internist				
		Saurav Kini, MBBS;				
		Tufts Medical Center				
		Inside the Black Box:				
		Pleural Drainage				
		Systems for the				
		Internist				
		Alexander Castro,				
		MD; Beth Israel				
		Deaconess Medical				
		Center				
3:40	4:40	Refreshments				
		Poster Session				
		Arts & Humanities W	alk & Talk			
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3:50	4:40	Special Symposium				
3.50	4.40	Reviewing the Impact of the Current Landscape on GME Education				
		Benjamin Mba, MBBS, MRCP; Yale School of Medicine and Yale New Haven Hospital				
4.50	F.00					
4:50	5:00	Break				
5:00	5:30	SGIM National Update				
		Mark Schwartz, MD, FACP, SGIM President-elect				
		Eric B. Bass, MD, MPH, FACP; SGIM Chief Executive Officer				
		Wrap-up and Awards				
		SGIM New England Leadership				