AUGUST 7
Best Practices to Establishing a Healthy Microbiome in Infants
Pia Pannaraj, MD, MPH
Co-Director, Residency Program - IMPACT Global Health Track
Attending Physician
Associate Professor of Clinical Pediatrics, Keck School of Medicine of USC
Director, Pediatric Infectious Diseases Fellowship Program
- Define the microbiome
- Describe the impact of the microbiome on health and disease over the lifetime
- Counsel families on strategies to minimize disruption and maximize benefit of the microbiome
*MOC Part 2 pending.

AUGUST 14
Medical Intelligence & Innovation
Sharief Taraman, MD; MI3 Interns
Division Chief, Neurology, CHOC Children’s Specialists
Director, Concussion Clinic, CHOC Children’s
Associate Professor, UC Irvine School of Medicine
No AMA PRA Category 1 CME is offered for this Grand Rounds presentation.

AUGUST 21
Using Virtual Reality for Acute and Chronic Pediatric Pain
Sandeep Dhadvai, MD
UCI/CHOC - PGY3 Pediatric Residents
- Understand how virtual reality can be used as a non-pharmacological treatment to pain management.
- Increase cooperation during procedures by offering virtual reality.
- Reduce anxiety with use of virtual reality in conjunction with standard care processes to improve procedure outcomes and/or decrease procedure time.

AUGUST 28
How Physicians Can Deal with the Worst Prognoses in the Best Way
David Kessler, FACHE
Author and Lecturer
- Counsel families who are dealing with anticipatory grief
- Apply strategies to deal with wishes for hope and miracles at the end of life
- Counsel parents of patients on different styles of coping with illness and loss
- Identify common needs of the dying and ways to meet their needs in different health care settings.
- Knowing that the death shapes the grief, find ways to apply helpful communications at the end of life.