



**DEPARTMENT OF OPHTHALMOLOGY - GRAND ROUNDS
SCHEDULE**

January 2026

<u>TIME</u>	<u>SPEAKER</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 1st, 2026

NO MEETINGS – HOLIDAY

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8th, 2026 (Classroom 1A, Health Science Education Building, 1st floor)

2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. David Castillejos & Gabriel Shlager)	
3:00pm-3:30pm	Muhammed Islam, M.D. <i>Associate Director of Regulatory Affairs</i> <i>SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University</i>	PATIENT SAFETY/QUALITY OF CARE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15th, 2026 (VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM)

2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Evan Afshin & Charles Karrasch)	
3:00pm-4:00pm	Aisha Hasan, M.D. <i>Clinical Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology</i> <i>SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University</i>	CORNEA <i>Corneal Dystrophies & More</i>
6:00pm-7:00pm	VIRTUAL JOURNAL CLUB	GLAUCOMA

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22nd, 2026 (VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM)

2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Aysha Malik & Omar Siddique)	
3:00pm-4:00pm	Aida Bounama, M.D. <i>Clinical Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology</i> <i>SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University</i>	OCULOPLASTICS <i>Understanding Ptosis</i>
4:00pm-5:00pm	Aida Bounama, M.D. <i>Clinical Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology</i> <i>SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University</i>	<i>Resident Documentation</i>

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29th, 2026 (Classroom 1A, Health Science Education Building, 1st floor)

2:00pm-5:00pm	Ilya Leskov, M.D., Ph.D. <i>Clinical Associate Professor of Ophthalmology</i> <i>SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University</i>	OKAP REVIEW RETINA
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LEARNING OBJECTIVES: Target Audience: Ophthalmologists, Ophthalmology Residents & Medical Students.

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