



DEPARTMENT OF OPHTHALMOLOGY - GRAND ROUNDS SCHEDULE

October 2026

<u>TIME</u>	<u>SPEAKER</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1st, 2026 (Classroom 1A, Health Science Education Building, 1st floor)</u>		
2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Aysha Malik & Mohamed Sylla)	
3:00pm-4:00pm	Eleftherios Paschalis Ilios, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Ophthalmology Harvard Medical School Director, Boston Keratoprosthesis Research, Development & Regulatory Affairs Mass Eye & Ear Infirmary	<u>RESEARCH VISITING PROFESSOR</u> <i>“Advances in Keratoprosthesis & Emerging Antibody Therapies”</i>
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8th, 2026</u>		
NO MEETINGS - AAO		
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15th, 2026 (Classroom 1A, Health Science Education Building, 1st floor)- “NEURO-OPHTH DAY”</u>		
2:00pm-4:00pm	RESIDENT NEURO-OPHTH CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Rucha Borkhetaria & David Castillejos)	
	Nancy Blace, M.D., Ph.D. Clinical Associate Professor of Ophthalmology NYU Langone Health	<u>CLINICAL VISITING PROFESSOR</u>
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, 2026 (VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM)</u>		
2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Alexandria Dominguez & Birkaran Sadhar)	
3:00pm-4:00pm	Jennifer Park, M.D. Clinical Associate Professor of Ophthalmology SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University	<u>CORNEA</u> <i>“Introduction to Keratoplasty”</i>
6:00pm-7:00pm	VIRTUAL JOURNAL CLUB	NEURO-OPHTHALMOLOGY
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 2026 (VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM)</u>		
7:00am-1:45pm	RESIDENCY INTERVIEWS	
2:00pm-3:00pm	RESIDENT CASE PRESENTATIONS (Drs. Megh Shah & Mohamed Sylla)	

LEARNING OBJECTIVES: Target Audience: Ophthalmologists, Ophthalmology Residents & Medical Students.

Off Label Drugs/Device Usage: None Commercial Support: None Disclosures: None

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