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Each month, *E-NEWS* focuses on a specific geriatric topic tied to the monthly Geriatric Lecture Series. Given that the Geriatric Lecture Series is not scheduled to take place in December, this month's *E-NEWS* focuses on the schedule for the 2009 Geriatric Lecture Series.

2009 GERIATRIC LECTURE SERIES

We are pleased to announce the schedule for the 2009 Geriatric Lecture Series, which takes place on the third Wednesday of every month from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. These presentations are designed to teach important principles in the management of older persons.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>
January 21, 2009	Josephine Gittler, JD	Government Regulation of Nursing Homes: Improving Quality of Care and Preventing Abuse and Neglect
February 18, 2009	Judith Crossett, MD	Pharmacologic Management of Behaviors in Dementia
March 18, 2009	Marianne Smith, PhD	Promoting Involvement in Meaningful Activity
April 15, 2009	Jason Hughes, MD	Emergency Medicine for the Geriatric Patient: A New Perspective
May 20, 2009	William Sivitz, MD	Update on Diabetes Management
June 17, 2009	Kathleen Buckwalter, PhD	Non-pharmacologic Approaches to the Management of Behavior in People with Dementia
July 15, 2009	Neil Segal, MD	Optimizing Mobility in Older Adults with Knee Osteoarthritis
August 19, 2009	Ryan Carnahan, PharmD	Medications and the Aging Brain: An Overview of Common Issues in Geriatric Psychopharmacology
September 16, 2009	Paul Mulhausen, MD	Fall Prevention: Can It Be Done and What Should We Expect?
October 21, 2009	Steven Wolfe, MD	Urinary Incontinence in the Elderly
November 18, 2009	Tim Gutshall, MD	Reducing Pressure Ulcers with Collaborative Care

- For additional information on the Geriatric Lecture Series, please contact the Iowa Geriatric Education Center at geriatric-education@uiowa.edu.
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***** Happy Holidays and Wishing the Best for You in 2009 *****

Next Month's Issue:

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