The 20th Annual Dr. Gerald Zetter Memorial Lecture
Geriatric Grand Rounds

Bill Black Auditorium, Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital
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ACEing Age Old Issues in the Care of Older Canadians

Our health care system, designed over 50 years ago, is struggling to meet the needs of older patients with increasingly complex needs that now rely on it the most. This talk examines how a comprehensive Acute Care for Elders or ‘ACE’ strategic approach to serve frail older patients across the continuum of care is delivering better patient and system outcomes.

Learning Objectives

- Demonstrate how current care delivery paradigms are problematic and require an elder friendly approach.
- Introduce the Acute Care for Elders (ACE) Strategy as a care model that can deliver better patient and system outcomes.

Biography: Dr. Samir Sinha is the Director of Geriatrics at Sinai Health System and the University Health Network in Toronto and an Associate Professor of Medicine at the University of Toronto and the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. A Rhodes Scholar, Samir is a highly regarded clinician and international expert in the care of older adults. He has consulted and advised governments and health care organizations around the world and is the Architect of the Government of Ontario’s Seniors Strategy. In 2014, Maclean’s proclaimed him to be one of Canada’s 50 most influential people.

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