

Radhika Sreedhar, M.D., M.S. F.A.C.P

Current Position

Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine
University of Illinois at Chicago Illinois 7/2017-present

Academic Appointments

Director, Curricular Integration 1/2019-present
University of Illinois, College of Medicine Chicago

Course Director Body Systems and Homeostasis 1 8/2018-present
University of Illinois, College of Medicine Chicago

Associate Program Director 8/2017- 8/2018
Internal Medicine Residency Program, University of Illinois

Subtheme Leader, Evidence Based Medicine 2016- present
University of Illinois, College of Medicine

Associate Program Director 6/2012 to
Weiss Memorial Hospital Internal Medicine Residency Program 10/2013

Assistant Program Director 1/2011 to 6/2012
Academic Internal Medicine Faculty 06/1999 to
Resurrection Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program 1/2011

Clinical Asst. Professor
Stritch School of Medicine, Maywood, Illinois 2002 – 2008

Instructor,
Rush Medical College, Chicago, IL 1999-2001

Education

Scholars for Teaching Excellence Faculty Fellowship, 9/2015- 4/2016
University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Medicine

Internal Medicine Residency 7/1996 – 6/1999
Rush Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program,
Melrose Park, Illinois.

Master of Science, Preventive Medicine and Environmental Health 8/1995 - 05/1996
University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

M.B.B.S
University of Madras
Kilpauk Medical College, India
8/1987 -
02/1993

Board certification

American Board of Internal Medicine
1999- 2029

Advanced Cardiac Life Support
2020-2022

Basic Life Support
2020-2022

IHI Open school Basic certificate in Quality and Patient Safety

Medical licensure

Illinois, Full

Certificate courses

Advanced Instruction and Assessment with Simulated Patients Workshop,
Department of Medical Education
4/2017

Giving Effective and Constructive Feedback in Health Professions Education,
Department of Medical Education
9/2016

Case Writing and Working with SP Trainers, Department of Medical Education
8/2016

Other Positions and Employment

Assistant Professor, Clinical Medicine, UIC
10/2013- 7/2017

Veterans Affairs Hospital, Hines, Illinois
9/2012- 6/2018

Weiss Memorial Hospital, Chicago, Illinois
6/2012- 10/2013

Westlake Medical Associates, Melrose Park, Illinois
7/1999- 6/2012

Professional Memberships and Activities

Illinois State Medical Society
2018-

American College of Physicians member
1999-

American Medical Association and Chicago Medical Society
1999-2000

Honors and Awards

UIC General Medicine Attending of the year Award	2018-2019
UIC General Medicine Attending of the year Award	2017- 2018
Immunization Champion, American College of Physicians, Northern Illinois Chapter	2016-2017
Fellow, American College of Physicians	2015-
Rising Star, Westlake Hospital	Oct 2011
Golden Apple Award in recognition of outstanding contributions to the intellectual development of internal medicine residents, Resurrection Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program.	2010- 2011
Resurrection Westlake Award in recognition of contribution to Research and Quality Improvement at Westlake Hospital,	2009
Golden Apple Award in recognition of outstanding contributions to the intellectual development of internal medicine residents, Resurrection Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program.	2004- 2005
Second Place in Research RUSH /Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program	1999
Intern of the Year at RUSH /Westlake Internal Medicine Residency Program	1996-1997
National Merit Scholar	1985

Committee Assignments and Administrative Services

Member, Drug Utilization Review Board, State of Illinois Health Care and Family Services	2019-
External Education Subcommittee Senate Committee on Educational Policy, UIC	9/2018-
UIC Senate	9/2018-
Phase 1 Subcommittee College of Medicine	9/2017-
Clinical Competency Committee, UIC Internal Medicine Residency	2014-
Associate Chief, Quality Improvement, Dept of Academic Internal Medicine, UIC	2017- 2018

Medication Safety Review Committee, UIC	2014-2018
Course Director Committee, UIC College of Medicine.	2015- 2017
Utilization Management Committee, Weiss Hospital	2012- 2013
Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, Weiss Hospital	2012- 2013
Graduate Medical Education Committee, Weiss Hospital	2012-2013
Chair Pharmacy and Therapeutics committee, Westlake Hospital	2009-2011
Medical Executive Committee – ex officio member	2009 -2011
Institutional Review Board, Westlake Hospital	2008 -2012
Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, Westlake Hospital	2005-2012
Clinical Competency Committee, Westlake Internal Medicine Residency	1999-2012

Clinical practice, interests, and accomplishments

Research interests

Contract Award from Iowa Foundation for Medical Care \$25,000 award to SHARE USA for Screening for Obesity and Diabetes among Adolescents- SODA. I was the PI for this project and applied for the grant and implemented the project after receiving the funding. 2011-2012

Contract award from BCBS and IHA \$ 25,000 award to Weiss Memorial Hospital for PREP CPC to determine if promoting goals of care discussion would result in preventing readmissions and reduce hospitalization. I was the point person at Weiss for implementing education regarding goals of care across the residency program and to the physicians. 2012-2013

National presentations

Faculty Moderator MKSAP LIVE Online Study Hall 2016-2017

Bibliography

Publications

Y. Huang, MS*; M. Viner, MD; T. Patel, MD; **R. Sreedhar** MD, MS 2017
Hereditary Cardiac Amyloidosis: A Case Report
Open Journal of Medical and Clinical Case reports. Volume 3 (2017) Issue 3

- F. Khasawneh, MD, **R. Sreedhar** M.D., V. Chundi, MD. Strongyloides 2009
Hyperinfection: An Unusual Cause of Respiratory Failure. *Annals of Internal Medicine*. 2009 Apr; 150(8): 570-571. Cited in PubMed; PMID: 19380864.
- P. Modi, MD, MPH, V. Yadava, MD, FCCP, FACP, **R. Sreedhar** MD, MS, F. 2008
Khasawaneh, MD, R. Balk, MD, FCCP, FACP. A case of flavor induced lung disease. Vol 101, number 5, May 2008 PMID. *Southern Medical Journal*. 2008 May; 101(5): 541-542. Cited in PubMed; PMID: 18414158.
- R. Sreedhar** MD, MS; R. Mani, MD; P. Modi, MD; D. Hines, MD. Cellulitis: Bugs 2008
or Drugs? *Infectious Diseases in Clinical Practice*. 2008 Jan; 16(1): 46-48.
- R. Mani, A. Niraj, **R. Sreedhar**. Retroperitoneal fibrosis as a long-term 2007
complication of radiation treatment for prostate cancer. *South Med J*. 2007 May; 100(5): 545-7. PMID: 17534102.
- S. Ansar, M.D., V. Sethi, M.D., **R. Sreedhar**, M.D., M.S., D. Hines, M.D. Shift to 2006
left, quick shift to antibiotics. *Infectious diseases in clinical practice*. 2006 Nov; 14(6): 377-379.

In Publication

First Aid Clinical Pattern Recognition For the USMLE Step 1
Chapter lead for Medical Biochemistry and
Chapter lead for Evidence Based Medicine

Abstracts presented at National meetings

- A. Balla MD PhD; S. Campbell-Lee MD; A. Harrington PhD; M. Jin PhD; S. 2016
Kadkol MD PhD; H. Ni MD; J. Riddle MD; **R. Sreedhar** MD; V. Vidanovic MD; A. Lin MD. 2015. "A Medical Student Course Designed to Teach the Principles of Laboratory Medicine" Group for Research in Pathology Education, San Diego, Jan 2016
- A. Gupta, **R. Sreedhar** N. Dhananjaya, A. Rai, 2008
"A Bipolar Drug." American Society of Nephrology Renal Week; Philadelphia, PA. Nov 2008.
- A. Gupta, **R. Sreedhar** N. Dhananjaya, A. Rai,. 2008
"An extreme weight loss strategy." American society of Nephrology, Renal week; Philadelphia, PA. Nov 2008
- C. Sadasiwan, CM.D., **R. Sreedhar**, A. Yeldandi, M. D. 2007
"Prognostic role of *vegf*, *egfr*, *cox-2*, *cerb-b2* and *er-alpha* in stage 1 non-small cell lung cancer." American Society of Clinical Oncology, Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. June 2007
- C. Sadasiwan, M.D., **R. Sreedhar**, M.D., M.S. 2006

“A lesson in hematology”

American College of Physicians, National Clinical Vignette and Research Competition for Associates; Philadelphia, PA. April 2006

V. Sethi, M.D., M. Ganne, M.D., **R. Sreedhar**, M.D., M.S. 2007

“An uncommon solution to a common problem” American College of Physicians, National Clinical Vignette and Research Competition for Associates; San Diego, CA. April 2007.

P. Shah, M.D., **R. Sreedhar**, M.D. *“Diabetes – Improving patient care!”* 2006

ABMS/ACGME conference on assessing and improving patient care; Chicago, IL. Nov 2006

Abstracts presented at regional meetings

Sreedhar, R., Khan, A. R., Gangopadhyaya., A, Park, Y. S., Ana Mauro, A., Doh, S. “Use of a Discharge Observation Tool in Medicine Sub-Internship” Accepted at the Central Group of Educational Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges Meeting, Rapid City, North Dakota.(Conference Cancelled) 4/2020

Sreedhar, R., Khan, A. R., Gangopadhyaya., A, Park, Y. S., Ana Mauro, A., Doh, S. “Knowledge Gaps in Patient Discharge” Accepted at the Central Group of Educational Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges Meeting, Rapid City, North Dakota.(Conference Cancelled) 4/2020

Sreedhar, R., Khan, A. R., Gangopadhyaya., A, Park, Y. S., Ana Mauro, A., Doh, S. “A Fourth Year Patient Discharge Curriculum”. Accepted at the Central Group of Educational Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges Meeting, Rapid City, North Dakota.(Conference Cancelled) 4/2020

Bursua, A., Mudreac, A., Koppen, A., Larson, C., **Sreedhar R.**, Park, Y. S. Influence of Default Order Sentence Standardization on the Prescribing Patterns of Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen Combination Products, Accepted at the ACP Internal Medicine Meeting in Los Angeles, CA. (Conference Cancelled) 4/2020

Mudreac, A., Radosta, J, **Sreedhar, R.** 2019

Effectiveness of Quality Improvement Interventions to Increase Influenza Vaccination Rates.

American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region Residents’ and Medical Students’ Day

Hill, M, **Sreedhar, R.** 2017

Unexpected aortic dissection: identifying additional clues to diagnosis.

American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region Residents’ and Medical Students’ Day

- Macrinici, V, Hill, M, **Sreedhar, R.** Flail chest: more than a surgical problem. 2017
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Residents' and Medical Students' Day
- Hur, M, Jaramillo, J, Polick, A, **Sreedhar, R.** 2015
Rhupus or Lupus: The Challenge of Defining Arthropathy in SLE Patients.
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Residents' and Medical Students' Day
- Sangha, M, A. Kuruvila, A, **Sreedhar, R.** 2013
Atypical Neuroleptic Malignant syndrome
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Dinali M. El., Hall, H., AlDaghlawi, F., Chuy, F, Raqem, W., Tachauer, A, **Sreedhar, R.** 2013
A Case of Deviated Uvula
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Phanivardhan, B, **Sreedhar R.** 2011
Gastric Strongyloidiasis and Gastric cancer
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Rai, A, Babireddy, P, Repala, B, **Sreedhar, R.** 2011
Green Urine
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Kasula, P., **Sreedhar, R.** 2010
Contrast Induced Hyperthyroidism
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Gupta, A., **Sreedhar, R.** 2010
RIFLE versus modified RIFLE criteria for acute kidney injury in a community hospital
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day
- Darisetty, S., **Sreedhar, R.** 2010
Acute Lobar Nephronia presenting with normal urine analysis.
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day

Gangadhariah, S., **Sreedhar, R.** 2010
Rare small intestinal neoplasm causing obstruction.
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day

S. Padam, S., Parvathaneni, S., **Sreedhar, R.** 2010
Enema leading to dialysis.
American College of Physicians, Illinois Chapter, Northern Region
Associates Day

Workshops

Accepted

Sreedhar, R., Khan, A. R., Gangopadhyaya., A, Park, Y. S., Ana Mauro, A., Doh, S. 11/2020
A Novel Entrustable Professional Activity (EPA)-Aligned Patient Discharge Curriculum and Evaluation
Learn Serve Lead 2020: The AAMC Annual Meeting, held in Washington, DC,

Sreedhar, R., Khan, A. R., Gangopadhyaya., A, Park, Y. S., Ana Mauro, A., Doh, S. 3/2020
“EPA Aligned Patient Discharge Education Workshop” Accepted at the Central Group of Educational Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges Meeting on 4/2020, Rapid City, North Dakota (Conference Cancelled)

Sreedhar, R., Chang, L, Graumlich, J, O’Bryant , A. A longitudinal Integrated Evidence Based Medicine Curriculum. Central Group of Educational Affairs, American Association of Medical Colleges 3/2019

Abstracts presented at local meetings.

Atisha P, Jucan I, Eng J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2017
Drug Reaction with Eosinophilia and Systemic Symptoms, More than just a Drug Rash
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC

Ng, R., Cooper, R., Schmidt, T. Meyer, J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
Hypercalcemia: a Poor Prognostic Marker in B Cell Lymphoma?
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC

Ng, R., Cooper, R., Meyer, J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
Metformin-Associated Hypoglycemia: A Lesson in Biochemistry.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC

Schmidt , T., Meyer J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016

- Pylephlebitis with Escherichia Coli, Enterococcus Avium and Eggerthella Lenta bacteremia.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Schmidt, T, **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
The diagnostic challenge of distinguishing Kikuchi-Fujimoto disease from systemic lupus erythematosus in patients with tender cervical lymphadenopathy: a case report and review of the literature.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Solotskaya A., Mbachu J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
Superior mesenteric vein thrombosis - an unusual cause of abdominal pain.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Choi, J., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
A Gut Feeling on Tuberos Sclerosis.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Vashi N., Mariano A., Menchaca M., **Sreedhar, R.** 2016
Calcium, calcium everywhere but not a bone to spare!
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Sreedhar, R.**, Ramalingam, M., Brahmbhatt, N. 2015
Hypersensitivity pneumonitis: A case report.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Martini, M, **Sreedhar, R.** 2015
New Onset Chest Pain in a Patient with Eosinophilic Granulomatosis with Polyangitis. Matthew Martini, B.S, Radhika Sreedhar, MD, MS.
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Wu, C. **Sreedhar, R.** 2015
A Case Study of Dicentric Chromosome (9;20) Positive B-cell Precursor Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia in Adults
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Thomas R., Oh C, **Sreedhar, R.** 2015
HDL-C in Patients with COPD
Department of Medicine Scholarly Activities Day, UIC
- Thomas, A., **Sreedhar, R.**, Lingala, K., Pravinkumar, S., Sharma, T., Cherabuddi, K. 2013
Nail fold capillary microscopy in patients with diabetes a comparison with normal- a pilot study.
UIC Diabetes & Obesity Research Day on Tuesday, October 8, 2013.

Peer review activities

Wardrop R III. High Value Care 10: 16-year-old female - Statistics and clinical decision making. www.aquifer.org 2020

Case Reviewer, MedU High Value Care Curriculum, Jan-March, 2017. 2017

National Board of Medical Examiners Subject Examination Panel Expert – Medicine, 2017 2017

AMA Steps Forward:

Managing Type 2 Diabetes: A team based approach.

M. Brown, MD, FACP Rush University, American Medical Association

K. Kirley, MD, MS American Medical Association

C. Sinsky, MD, FACP American Medical Association

Invited memberships

Immunization Advisory Committee for CDC-funded “*Making Adult Immunization Standard in Internal Medicine: A National Practice Transformation Initiative.*” March 23, 2018 at Washington DC 2018

Invited Panelist for patient safety course PHAR 464 on Tuesday, December 5th, 2017 College of Pharmacy, University of Illinois, College of Medicine 2017