Ever wondered what Cleveland’s comeback looks like from a different perspective? Say, from 668 feet above ground level? Look no further than the Terminal Tower Observation Deck, a hidden gem on the building’s 42nd floor that offers some of the city’s most jaw-dropping, panoramic views.

Getting to this bird's-eye (or plane's-eye?) perch is simple. Enter Tower City through the Public Square entrance. Take two elevators—you'll switch at the 32nd floor—and then enter right into the generous indoor space, which has windows on all sides for a 360-degree view. You can spend up to 25 minutes on the deck, and the experience is self-guided, meaning you can pick and choose how long you peer at iconic local landmarks—including Cleveland Browns Stadium, the winding Cuyahoga River and our ever-growing skyline—and scenery up to 30 miles away.

The observation deck is open from April through November on Saturdays and Sundays only, between noon and 4 p.m. You must buy tickets in advance, however—although at just $5, they're a steal.

After your visit, keep the local vibes going by soaking up some of Downtown's unique offerings. Catch a movie at Tower City Cinemas, which plays the newest blockbusters, or mosey through the mall's shops for a gift or two.
**REMINDERS**

1. For any call-offs, you **MUST** page the ambulatory chief at **31529**. The chiefs are not always available on short notice by phone or email, but they **ALWAYS** have the pager.

2. For two senior ward teams: senior resident weekend days off are arranged amongst the two seniors such that each receives two weekend days during a 14 day half block.

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**CALENDAR LINKS**

**Electives**

Please send your elective selection to Barb. You can always contact the chiefs for any suggestions. **All reading electives must be approved by Dr. Armitage.**

Barb – barbara.bonfiglio@uhhospitals.org

**UH HOUSEDOC moonlighting calendar**

Spots open up on a month-by-month basis. You will be notified by email from Kathy DeMarco when the monthly openings become available. Please send your requests to uhhousedocs@gmail.com

**MICU & CICU moonlighting calendar**

Spots open up on a month-by-month basis. You will be notified by email from the Quality Chief Resident when the monthly openings become available. Please send your requests to micu.uh@gmail.com

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**Resident of the Week Award**

*This week’s Resident(s) of the Week Award is awarded to:*

**Dr. Kristen Welch**

Kristen has been doing an absolutely phenomenal job as VA senior resident. Despite having an incredibly busy service with seemingly nonstop social and acute patient care issues, she has guided our team through every challenge with grace, compassion, and care. She has been incredibly supportive of and helpful to our interns and medical students, and truly makes a difference in patient care on a daily basis.

*Please remember to submit your nominations for Resident of the Week to casechiefs@gmail.com.*
ANNOUNCEMENTS

In Training Exam - Will be held August 24 – September 13. Schedule forthcoming.
Intern Boot Camp – Presentations will be uploaded to our website:
http://cwrmedicine.org/residency-program/residents/education/intern-boot-camp-lectures

CANDY ROUNDS Still Under Construction
(Get Ready for the Challenge of the Century)
A 28-year-old woman with vertigo, confusion, and falls 2 weeks after a surgical abortion at 11 weeks of gestation presents to the emergency department. Examination revealed spontaneous upbeat nystagmus, gaze-evoked nystagmus, and gait ataxia. What is the diagnosis?

A) Neuro Bechet Disease  
B) Multiple Sclerosis  
C) Wernicke’s Encephalopathy  
D) Deep Cerebral Venous Thrombosis  
E) Osmotic Myelinolysis
### UH Conference Schedule

**Monday, 7/31/17:**
- Resident Morning Report: 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Intro to Heme/Onc*
  *Talib Dosani, MD*

**Tuesday, 8/1/17:**
- Intern Morning Report: 11:00 - 11:45 AM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Procedures*
  *David Tofovic, MD*

**Wednesday, 8/2/17:**
- Resident Morning Report: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Intro to Dworken*
  *Abbas Mandviwala, MD*

**Thursday, 8/3/17:**
- Intern Morning Report: 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Hyperglycemia*
  *Jacob Aaron, MD*

**Friday, 8/4/17:**
- Resident Journal Club: 11:00 – 11:55 AM
- Morbidity & Mortality: 12:00 – 1:00 PM
  
  *M&M Conference*
  *Kulas Auditorium*

### VA Conference Schedule

**Monday, 7/31/17:**
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Attending Rounds*
  *K119*

**Tuesday, 8/1/17:**
- Resident Morning Report: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Shortness of Breath*
  *Jude Khatib, MD*

**Wednesday, 8/2/17:**
- Resident Morning Report: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Morbidity and Mortality Conference*
  *K119*

**Thursday, 8/3/17:**
- Intern Morning Report: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Attending Rounds*
  *K119*

**Friday, 8/4/17:**
- Noon Conference: 12:00 - 1:00 PM
  
  *Intern Boot Camp: Fever*
  *Charlie Burns, MD*

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**Contact the Chiefs if you have any questions or concerns!**
**UH Weekend Coverage**

**Friday, July 28th, 2017**
- **NACR:** Ben Alencherry
- NF Residents: Vijit Chouhan, Chandler Church
- NF Interns: Robert Adams, Ibrahim Alshaghdali, Nico Conti, Sarah Deitz
- MICU Moonlighter: Ahmed Alkhatlan
- CICU Moonlighter: JP Lopes

**Saturday, July 29th, 2017**
- **NACR:** Ben Alencherry
- NF Residents: Vijit Chouhan or Chandler Church
- NF Interns: Robert Adams, Ibrahim Alshaghdali, Nico Conti, Sarah Deitz
- UH Saturday NF Coverage: Dan Kobe
- MICU Moonlighter: Sagarika Satyavada
- CICU Moonlighter: Nour Tashtish
- Admitting Coordinator: Megan Chan

**Sunday, July 30th, 2017**
- **NACR:** Jennifer Kraninger
- NF Resident: Vijit Chouhan or Chandler Church
- NF Interns: Robert Adams, Ibrahim Alshaghdali, Nico Conti, Sarah Deitz
- Admitting Coordinator: Khalid Dousa
- Senior Weekend Jeopardy: Christina Guzman, Dan Karb
- Intern Weekend Jeopardy: Joanna Chen, Omar Subei
- Intern Weekend Backup Jep: Dinah Chen, Aaron Shaikh

**VA Weekend Coverage**

**Saturday, July 29, 2017**
- Andrew Harding on **Blue** is on medium call and covers his own team.
- Kristen Welch on **White** is off and will be covered by Ali Al-Omari.
- Claire Dolan on **Green** is on long call and covers her own team.
- Haytham Mously on **Orange** is off and will be covered by Husna Siddiqui.
- VACR consults will be seen by Claire Dolan and attending Dr. Sarah Augustine.

- VA MICU 24 hour resident is Jude Khatib.
- VA Sat PM Resident is Ameen Al-Aghil.
- VA Sat PM Intern is Jesse Felts.

**Sunday, July 30, 2017**
- Andrew Harding on **Blue** is off and will be covered by Ali Al-Omari.
- Kristen Welch on **White** is on long call and covers her own team.
- Claire Dolan on **Green** is on medium call and covers her own team.
- Haytham Mously on **Orange** is off and will be covered by Husna Siddiqui.
- VACR consults will be seen by Kristen Welch and attending Dr. Ning Zhou.
B – Obtain blood and synovial fluid cultures

Obtaining blood and synovial fluid cultures is the most appropriate next step in management for this patient with suspected prosthetic joint infection. Infections may occur early (within 3 months of surgery), have delayed onset (3-12 months), or have late onset (>12 months after surgery). Early-onset infections typically present with joint swelling, erythema, wound drainage, and/or fever. Delayed-onset infections present more insidiously with prolonged joint pain, often without fever. Late-onset infections present as acute pain and swelling, often in the setting of a nidus for hematogenous seeding such as a vascular catheter or other site of infection remote from the affected joint. This patient has acute onset of pain and swelling of the right knee, along with fevers, an elevated leukocyte count with a left shift, and elevated inflammatory markers, occurring 2 months after knee replacement. Urgent surgical consultation is warranted, and blood and synovial fluid cultures should be obtained before administration of antibiotics, whenever possible, to allow for more accurate culture data. Blood cultures are essential (even when fever is absent); although the infection likely arose locally at the surgical site in this patient, most cases of infectious arthritis arise from hematogenous spread. Blood cultures are also important because, even in cases in which the infection arises directly at the joint, the organism may occasionally be identified in the blood cultures. Before initiating antibiotics, synovial fluid cultures should be obtained via arthrocentesis or in the operating room if surgical intervention is imminent and the patient is stable enough to withhold antibiotics until surgery.

This patient will need antibiotics shortly, but she is stable enough to await surgical evaluation and collection of blood and synovial fluid cultures.

More advanced imaging such as a CT, bone scan, or MRI is generally not indicated in the preliminary evaluation and treatment of a suspected prosthetic joint infection because these studies delay the more urgent management of the patient and do not change the initial management.

C – Wernicke’s Encephalopathy

This disorder, due to thiamine (vitamin B1) deficiency, can be a complication of hyperemesis gravidarum, malnutrition, or alcohol use. Patients may present with eye-movement abnormalities including gaze-evoked nystagmus, spontaneous upbeat nystagmus, and horizontal or vertical ophthalmoplegia. Typical magnetic resonance imaging of the brain shows T2 hyperintensities involving the thalamus, mammillary bodies, and periaqueductal regions.
MEET THE INTERNS

Name: Aaron Ali Shaikh
Home Town: Lakewood, OH (western adjacent CLE suburb)
Medical School: Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine
Current Rotation: Elective -- doing research at the VA on a UV-C hospital floor disinfection device. It's called the Sani-bot and it's basically a fancy Roomba with a UV light on the bottom.

1. What is your favorite television show?
   The Apprentice Season 7…err…just kidding… Seinfeld!

2. What do you like to do in your free time?
   I used to visit and manage my bar (The Drink) in NYC. But now that we just sold it, I'm looking for a new hobby. Suggestions?

3. What are you looking forward to most in the next year?
   Racing Sailboats on Lake Erie. Also getting to know my fellow interns and residents. Starting on Night Float and Elective has made it hard meet to a lot of you. By the way, Hi Dinah, Ryan and Sultan!

4. What is something interesting about yourself that most of us don't know yet?
   I toured Japan in a Tokyo-based Punk band as saxophonist--basically playing noises like squeeks and squanks. The lead singer of this band, Dynamite Club, would strip down to nothing but his briefs and tennis shoes to wrestle the drummer in a faux Kung-Fu fight at the end of each show --it was epic. Kentaro Saito won just about every time. As for me, I was fully clothed throughout each performance.

5. What is your favorite Cleveland restaurant?
   Szechwan Garden (Lakewood, OH). Trent Reznor of Nine Inch Nails also loves that place and used to be a regular there. Check out Pretty Hate Machine; its an American classic.