



# INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS (RESEARCH)

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 @ 8AM**

**FOLLOWED BY COFFEE HOUR FROM 9-10AM**

**Bornstein Amphitheater, BWH, 45 Francis St., Boston, MA, 02115**

## Reimagining Patient-Centered Care for Chronic Conditions: Lessons from My Mother



### **Vikram Patel, PhD, MBBS**

The Pershing Square Professor of  
Global Health and  
Wellcome Trust Principal Research  
Fellow, Harvard Medical School

In this presentation, Dr Patel will share the story of his mother's epic struggle with a range of chronic diseases in India, and how a technically sophisticated health care system missed her personal agency and struggle while attending to her numerous diagnoses.

He will draw upon the growing evidence on the economic and social consequences of poor quality care for chronic diseases in the global context, and his own work to improve the quality of care for people with chronic diseases, to illustrate how we need to radically reframe the management of chronic conditions to realize the aspirations of person-centred care.

This special instalment of Grand Rounds is co-hosted by the Osher Center for Integrative Medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School and the Benson-Henry Institute for Mind Body Medicine at Massachusetts General Hospital, HMS.

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# Biography



**Vikram Patel, PhD, MBBS**, is The Pershing Square Professor of Global Health and Wellcome Trust Principal Research Fellow at the Harvard Medical School. His work has focused on the burden of mental disorders, their association with social disadvantage, and the use of community resources for their prevention and treatment.

He holds Honorary Professorships at the Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health, the Public Health Foundation of India, and the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (where he co-founded the Centre for Global Mental Health in 2008), and is a co-founder of Sangath, an Indian NGO which won the MacArthur Foundation's International Prize for Creative and Effective Institutions in 2008 and the WHO Public Health Champion of India award in 2016. He is a co-founder of the Movement for Global Mental Health. He is a Fellow of the UK's Academy of Medical Sciences and has served on several WHO expert and Government of India committees, including the WHO High Level Independent Commission for Non-Communicable Diseases and Mental Health.

He has been awarded the Chalmers Medal (Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, UK), the Sarnat Medal (US National Academy of Medicine), an Honorary Doctorate from Georgetown University, the Pardes Humanitarian Prize (the Brain & Behaviour Research Foundation), an Honorary OBE from the UK Government and the John Dirk Canada Gairdner Award in Global Health in 2019. He was listed in TIME Magazine's 100 most influential persons of the year in 2015.

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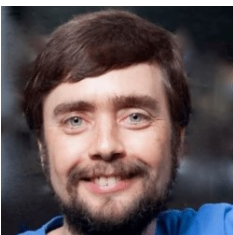
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**December 3, 2019 (Clinical)**

**“Understanding the Role of Naturopathic Doctors in Integrative Medicine: An Oncology Case Study”**

Presenters: Amy Rothenberg, ND, Naturopathic Health Care, Northampton, Lindsay Rockwell, DO, Colley Dickinson Hospital, MA



**January 7, 2020 (Research)**

**“Endogenous bioelectric networks and regenerative medicine”**

Presenter: Mike Levin, PhD, Vannevar Bush Professor, Biology Dept., and Director, Allen Discovery Center at Tufts, and Tufts Center for Regenerative and Developmental Biology, Tufts University