

# Mobile Infirmary Medical Center Medical and Surgical Grand Rounds

Objective: This monthly grand rounds series is designed for medical staff, nurses, technicians and other interested parties. Participants will be able to better understand current standards of care on a broad range of healthcare related topics as current cases and issues are shared among medical professionals. Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to identify concepts, procedures and new technology along with applications in clinical medicine. The speakers reflect the expertise of staff members at MIMC with generous assistance by academicians from USA College of Medicine.

## Trauma Care: System Development and Optimal Patient Management

### Date & Time

Tuesday, February 17  
12:30 noon – 1:30 p.m.

### Location:

MIMC Auditorium  
Bring your lunch and learn!

### Program Objectives

- Identify the types and severity of problems associated with trauma.
- Describe availability of specialty care.
- Summarize current limitations.
- Describe the programs available in AL, particularly this region about which type of patients go to which facilities.
- Describe the role of USA's emergency center, care and facilities.

### Speaker

**Richard Gonzalez, MD,**  
Professor of Surgery;  
Director of Trauma Surgery  
University of South Alabama

*Trauma surgery is a very important aspect of the medical problems in the community. There are only two trauma centers in Alabama: UAB and USA. Not all trauma cases are handled at those two centers particularly in the event of a major disaster. Therefore it is important that this topic be well understood by all healthcare providers, including nurses and others, not just emergency department physicians.*

### Accreditation

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