



77th Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Thoracic Society

April 4, 2024

*Mass General Brigham Conference Center
Somerville, Massachusetts*

MORNING SESSION

- 7:50 – 8:00am **Welcome Remarks**
- 8:00 – 8:40am **Artificial Intelligence and Its Potential Impact on Pulmonary Practice**
Arjun Raj Manrai, PhD
Harvard Medical School, Deputy Editor of NEJM AI
- 8:40 – 9:20am **L. Jack Faling Best Cases of the Year**
Mariah Evarts, MD, *Boston Medical Center*
Jenny Shih, MD, *Brigham and Women's Hospital*
Anthony El Khoury, MD, *Baystate Medical Center*
- 9:20 – 10:00am **Biological Mechanisms Underlying Interstitial Lung Disease**
Rachel Knipe, MD
Massachusetts General Hospital
- 10:00 – 10:10am **BREAK**
- 10:10 – 10:50am **Effects of Climate Change on Pulmonary Health**
Mary Rice, MD
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
- 10:50 – 11:30am **Reflections from the Critical Care Unit**
Daniela Lamas, MD
Brigham and Women's Hospital
- 11:30 – 12:10pm **Durable Medical Equipment Panel: How Policies Affect Home Oxygen and Other Devices, and What Can We Do About It?**
Katherine Dudley, MD
Massachusetts General Hospital

Christopher Worsham, MD
Massachusetts General Hospital
- 12:10 – 1:10pm **LUNCH**

AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1:10 – 1:50pm **Disaster Preparedness**
Paul Biddinger, MD
*Massachusetts General Hospital, Chief Preparedness and
Continuity Officer, Mass General Brigham*
- 1:50 – 2:30pm **Update in Interventional Pulmonary Medicine**
Mihir Parikh, MD
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
- 2:30 – 2:40pm **BREAK**
- 2:40 – 3:00pm **Henry D. Chadwick Medal Presentation**
Robert Brown, MD
Massachusetts General Hospital
- 3:00 – 3:40pm **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Pulmonary and Critical
Care Medicine**
Elizabeth Klings, MD
Boston Medical Center
- 3:40 – 4:40 pm **Q&A Session, Closing Remarks**