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SEASON 2, EPISODE 2



featuring Drs. Sandeep Pagali & Anna Chodos

A Podcast on: "Tried and True" and the New – Insights into Behavior Management in Dementia

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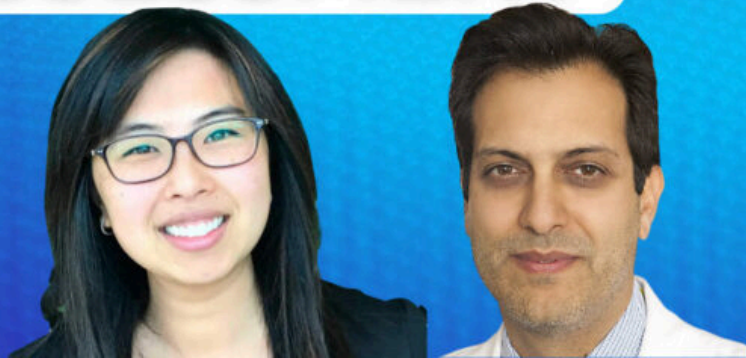
Season 2, Episode 2 of
Dementia Care on Air, led by Dr.
Anna Chodos is now live!

This episode covers different methods and tools to address Behavioral and Psychological Symptoms of Dementia (BPSD).

<http://bit.ly/4nffbfnf>

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PRE-OPERATIVE GERI ASSESSMENT



[Pre-Operative Geri Assessment: Vicky Tang and Houman Javedan](#)

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GERIATRIC & PALLIATIVE MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS



[John Newman, MD, PhD](#), Associate Professor of
Medicine, Assistant Professor (Buck Institute),
Geriatrician, SFVAHCS

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

4:00 - 5:00 PM

Location: Parnassus at HSW-303

[Register here](#)

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GRATITUDE

This Gratitude section is an opportunity for us to post thank-you/gratitude messages to each other. Please email your gratitude posts to Caroline.Ziesmer@ucsf.edu to include in future newsletters.



Big thanks to *Hugs to Elders*, a student-led group sharing love with older adults through care packages filled with hygiene items, comfort goodies, and handwritten notes. Our Acute Care for Elders team is excited to help pass these along to older adults in the hospital. The kind gesture has brought lots of smiles!

Photos are shared with written permission from patients and families.





GERI COMMUNITY RESOURCE



This week's Geri Community Resource is: [Financial and Legal Planning for Caregivers](#).



The Alzheimer's Association's guide walks you through estimating care costs, exploring funding options like Medicare and Medicaid, and setting up legal protections such as powers of attorney and living wills. It's a comprehensive resource to help caregivers protect both well-being and financial security.

For more information, please visit their website: <https://www.alz.org/help-support/caregiving/financial-legal-planning>

Find Geriatrics
Community
Resources here

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 1: Geriatrics

Works in Progress

8:30 - 9:40 AM

Speaker: Ignacia Arteaga

Location: GPEC

Conference Room SFVA

[Zoom Link](#)

October 8: Geriatrics

Works in Progress

8:30 - 9:40 AM

Speaker: Free for sign-up

[Zoom Link](#)

October 22: Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine Grand Rounds

4:00 - 5:00 PM

Speaker: John Newman,
MD, PhD

Location: HSW-303 &
Zoom

[Register here](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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Geriatrics is
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- [Clinician Educator \(JPF05568\)](#)
- [Research Scientist \(JPF05507\)](#)
- [Harris Fishbon Distinguished Professor for
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