2020 Visiting Professor Lecture Series

“The North American Opioid Crisis, and Why the Perioperative Period Still Matters”

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Date: May 7, 2020 (Thursday)
Lecture: 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM
Rm. 1891, Paetzold Auditorium, Jim Pattison Pavilion South Vancouver General Hospital

Objectives:
1. To review the genesis and evolution of the opioid crisis
2. To discuss the importance of opioid stewardship in the perioperative period

Brief CV:
Dr. David Juurlink is a general internist at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre and Head of the Division of Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology at the University of Toronto, where he is Professor of Medicine, Pediatrics, and Health Policy, Management, and Evaluation. He is also a Medical Toxicologist at the Ontario Poison Centre and a Senior Scientist at IC/ES, where he maintains an active research program in the field of drug safety.

Reception:
5:00 PM – 5:30 PM (Light Refreshments will be served)
Multi-purpose Room, JPPS1888, Jim Pattison Pavilion South VGH
(Note: no food or drink allowed inside the auditorium)