



Queen's University
Department of Psychiatry
GRAND ROUNDS

Friday, February 11, 2022

VIA ZOOM (link to follow)

12:00–1:00 pm

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**“Fight the fire: Novel
neuroinflammatory biomarkers
and targets in understanding
and managing suicide”**

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Upcoming Rounds: February 25, 2022

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Dr. Xenia Gonda: **“Fight the fire: Novel neuroinflammatory biomarkers and targets in understanding and managing suicide”**

Objectives:

1. Understanding the shortcomings of our present methods for predicting suicide risk and the need for novel biomarkers, as well as stratification of patients with divergent etiopathologies
2. Understanding the involvement of neuroinflammation in psychiatric disorders, with a focus on suicide, and the role of stress and lifestyle factors
3. Understanding how knowledge concerning a neuroinflammatory biosignature may be exploited for screening, repurposing already existing medications, and possibly developing new treatments.

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