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Medical Humanities Lecture Series Presents:

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"Medicine and the 'R' Word: How Race Matters in 21st Century Medical Ethics"

Abstract: This talk focuses on how we understand and notice the cultural issues that emerge from health disparities, as well as medical research that considers race as a category of interest. The ethical controversies that are attached to recent clinical trials of the blood substitute Polyheme illustrate issues of race and community that are significant to our interest in ethnic identity in medical practice and research and is the 'case narrative' that will center the broader discussion of "Medicine and the 'R' Word."

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