

<u>Yale Pulmonary Critical Care and</u> <u>Sleep Medicine Grand Rounds</u>



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Immune Responses to SARS-CoV-2



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TARGET AUDIENCE

Attending physicians, house staff/fellows, medical students, nurses, physician assistants.

NEEDS ÁSSESSMENT

The clinical presentation of COVID-19 involves a broad range of symptoms and disease trajectories. Understanding the nature of the immune response that leads to recovery over severe disease is key to developing effective treatments for COVID-19. In this talk, I will discuss immune responses in COVID-19 patients with moderate and severe disease. I will compare viral load, immune phenotype and cytokines that are predictive of mortality, and discuss signatures of cytokines and growth factors that associate with recovery vs. disease exacerbation. I will also discuss sex differences in immunity to SARS-CoV-2 and how such differences correspond to disease outcomes.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this talk, individuals will:

- I. Learn about SARS-CoV-2 infection
- 2. Learn about SARS-CoV-2 immunity

3. Learn about SARS-CoV-2 immunopathology DESIGNATION STATEMENT

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