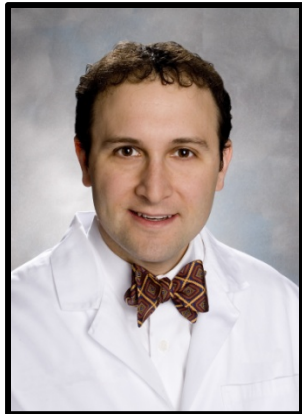


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Aaron Kesselheim, MD, JD, MPH
Instructor, Harvard Medical School

"Medical Innovation, Patents, and Public Health: Can We Reach a Proper Balance?"

December 12, 2008
12:00 – 1:30 PM
Colonial Penn Center Auditorium

Lunch will be provided.
RSVP recommended.

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