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“Unsafe in the Medical Home: Examining Our Own Spaces”

Thursday, March 27, 2008
12:30 – 1:30pm

Lerner Tower - Room 2060
University Hospitals Case Medical Center
(Lunch will be served)

Dr. Candib is a co-author in research on somatization in primary care and has conducted research on the use of massage therapy for chronic pain. In the course of treating patients with chronic illness, Dr. Candib developed innovative group visits for English- and Spanish-speaking patients with diabetes at the Family Health Center. She has written and lectured on the subtleties of cross-cultural health care. She has also focused attention on the concerns of women trainees and practitioners in her work with family practice residents. She has lectured widely on the topics of sexual abuse and violence against women. The author of numerous articles in peer reviewed journals, Dr. Candib has introduced a feminist critique of medical theory in her book, **Medicine and the Family: A Feminist Perspective** (Basic Books, 1995). In 1995, she received a Fulbright grant to teach family medicine in Ecuador. Dr. Candib is the recipient of numerous honors and awards including an Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters, from Worcester State College in 2006, the Community Health Center Physician of the Year Award from the Massachusetts League of Community Health Centers in 2006, a Fulbright Senior Specialist Award to consult at the National University of Loja, Ecuador, in 2004 and 2005; and selection in 2003 as one of forty six generalist physicians in the National Library of Medicine exhibit: *Changing the Face of Medicine - Celebrating America's Women Physicians*.