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Monica Lemmon, MD is an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Duke University Hospital within the Division of Division of Pediatric Neurology and Developmental Medicine. Dr. Lemmon completed medical school at Harvard and her pediatrics, child neurology, and neonatal neurosciences training at Johns Hopkins. She specializes in fetal and neonatal neurology and serves as co-director of Duke's Neuro-Intensive Care Nursery Program.

Dr. Lemmon's research focuses on understanding and improving how parents and clinicians work together to make decisions for critically ill infants. Her current work involves the study and measurement of decision antecedents, shared decision making, and decision outcomes in goals of care conversations for infants with brain injury. In related work, Dr. Lemmon has developed and piloted a communication intervention for parents of neonates in the intensive care unit. She additionally studies ways to measure and improve medical student training in communication skills. Dr. Lemmon is a past recipient of the American Academy of Neurology's medical education research training fellowship, currently holds a career development award from the National Palliative Care Research Center, and is an upcoming recipient of the Child Neurologist Career Development Award K12.