2016 Update in Rheumatology for Primary Care Physicians

Friday, May 20, 2016
1:00-2:00 pm Registration
2:00-5:00 pm Meeting
6:00-7:30 pm Dinner with Lecture

Saturday, May 21, 2016
8:00 am-5:00 pm

Hyatt Regency Birmingham-
The Wynfrey Hotel

1000 Riverchase Galleria • Birmingham, AL 35244

Learn more about this event and register at www.uab.edu/RheumatologyUpdate or contact Stephanie Ledbetter’s office
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AGENDA—Friday, May 20, 2016

1:00-2:00 pm REGISTRATION

2:00-2:15 pm WELCOME

2:15-3:00 pm CLINICAL APPROACH TO RHEUMATIC DISEASE

3:00 – 3:45 pm LABORATORY AND RADIOLoGY IN RHEUMATIC DISEASE

4:45-5:00 pm CLOSING COMMENTS

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7:00 am REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:00-8:45 am SERONEgATIVE SPONDYLOARThropAThIES

8:45-9:30 am RHEUMAtIC Arthritis

9:30-10:15 am TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATORY ARThritIS

10:15-10:45 am BREAK

10:45-11:30 am SYSTEMIC LUPUS ERYTHEmATOSIS

11:30 am-12:15 pm OSTEoARTHRItIS

12:15-1:30 pm LUNCH

1:00-2:00 pm COMMON INJECTIONS (HANDS ON)

2:00-3:00 pm FALL maxY: COMPREHENSIVE ARThritis, Mucocutaneous, Bone, and Autoimmune System

3:00-3:15 pm BREAK

3:15-4:00 pm POLYMYALGIA RHEUMATICA AND GIANT CELL ARTERITIS

4:00-4:45 pm OSTEOPOROSIS

4:45-5:00 pm CLOSING COMMENTS

Program Overview

AGENDA

DIagnosis and management of rheumatic diseases remain challenging issues for both primary care physicians and rheumatology specialists. In the U.S., rheumatic diseases are prevalent and are responsible for increased work and functional disability. This course is designed to provide clinicians with up-to-date information regarding the most recent advances in the diagnosis and treatment of rheumatic diseases including osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, osteoporosis, soft-tissue rheumatism, polymyalgia rheumatica, systemic lupus erythematosus, seronegative arthropathies, systemic sclerosis, myositis, and common injection techniques. This CME and CE accredited activity will assist physicians and health care professionals in developing and maintaining their diagnostic and therapeutic skills regarding rheumatic diseases, thereby leading to improved patient outcomes.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this conference, participants will be able to:

• Construct an approach to the evaluation of a patient with rheumatic disease and differentiate several patterns that allow diagnosis of rheumatic disease.

• Determine the appropriate use and limitations of laboratory testing and recognize key radiographic findings in patients with suspected rheumatic disease.

• Develop skills and demonstrate proper technique of common joint and bursal injection procedures commonly performed in the clinic.

• Understand the risk factors, clinical manifestations, and diagnosis of gout.

• Understand the clinical manifestations and current treatment options for patients with a seronegative spondyloarthropathy including anklyosing spondylitis and psoriatic arthritis.

• Understand the rationale for early diagnosis of rheumatoid arthritis and explain the benefits of early therapeutic interventions in rheumatoid arthritis.

• Discuss the therapeutic options for inflammatory arthritis with emphasis on safety.

• Explain the signs and symptoms of systemic lupus erythematosus and describe the current treatment options for systemic lupus erythematosus.

• Discuss the clinical manifestations of and formulate a therapeutic plan for osteoarthritis.

• Describe the etiology of Scleroderma and Myositis and its treatment.

• Understand the etiology of and develop strategies for management of pararticular and soft tissue rheumatism.

• Discuss the clinical manifestations and current therapies for polymyalgia rheumatica and giant cell arteritis.

• Understand the risk factors, clinical impact, and treatment of osteoporosis.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This continuing medical education course is designed for internists, family practitioners, and health care professionals who are involved in the care of patients with rheumatic diseases.

COURSE FORMAT

This seminar will consist of 13 sessions presenting updates on the most recent developments in the diagnosis and treatment of rheumatic diseases and their relevance to patient care. Throughout the course, participants will have the opportunity to interact with a nationally and internationally renowned group of rheumatology faculty. A course syllabus will be provided to serve as a resource during and after the course.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Register online at www.uab.edu/RheumatologyUpdate or complete the following form (please print) and mail:

Name ___________________________ Degree ___________________________
Specialty _______________________
Office/Institution ___________________________
Mailing address ___________________________

E-mail address _______________________
Home phone _______________________
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REGISTRATION FEE

Includes Friday lectures, reception, Saturday breakfast and lunch, all conference materials, transcript/CE and CME certificates.

I plan to attend dinner:
☐ Physicians: $250
☐ Nurses/Nurse Practitioners/Physicians Assistants: $150
☐ Fellows/Residents/Medical Students: $50
☐ Non-registered attendee: $50

*Non-registered attendee fee covers the participation of a spouse/guest to the dinner on Friday, May 20, 2016.

PAYMENT

Check or money order, payable to UAB
☐ Credit Card
☐ Visa/ Mastercard/ AMEX

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Exp. Date_________________________
Signature _______________________

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Reserve your room at the Wyndham at $129 per night + taxes. Room rate is guaranteed until April 25, 2016. After April 25, rates are subject to availability.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be received in writing on or before April 25, 2016. There will be a $50 cancellation fee. After April 25, no refunds will be given for cancellations. UAB reserves the right to cancel or reschedule the conference due to unforeseen circumstances.
ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

The University of Alabama School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Alabama School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 10AMA PRA Category 1 credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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