Current Topics in

PRIMARY CARE AND NEUROLOGY

Update for the Primary Care Practitioner

OCTOBER 20-22, 2017

The High Peaks Resort
2384 Saranac Avenue, Lake Placid, New York 12946

In collaboration with New York Chapter, American College of Physicians

Sponsored by Albany Medical College's Department of Medicine, Department of Neurology and the Office of Continuing Medical Education
WHO SHOULD ATTEND
This program has been designed to be of interest to the physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner whose practice involves the delivery of primary care to the adult and adolescent patient. While generalists are the target audience, sub-specialists who provide primary care will also find the topics useful.

ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM
This conference focuses on topics of interest to primary care practitioners. The sessions will be concise, up-to-date and clinically relevant. Our intent is to bring practitioners of primary care together in a relaxed setting to review the latest trends in medicine and to share their own experiences and viewpoints in the context of evidence-based discussions.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of this conference, participants should:
• Become familiar with advances in multidisciplinary approach to headache management.
• Be familiar with evidence based strategies for diabetes treatment.
• Be able to diagnose and treat common thyroid disorders in primary care.
• Be cognizant of new threats that our adolescents are facing.
• Discuss common clinical nutrition scenarios encountered in primary care.
• Become familiar with nonsurgical and surgical approaches to knee pain.
• Be able to discuss the new frontier of robotic surgery.
• Discuss appropriate optimization of analgesic therapy.
• Recognize Huntington’s Disease in primary care.
• Be able to manage arrhythmias in primary care.
• Become familiar with the epilepsy monitoring unit.
• Recognize the role of immunomodulating therapy in neuromuscular disease.

ACCREDITATION
Albany Medical College is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.
Albany Medical College designates this live activity for a maximum of 12.00 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Physician Assistants: AAPA accepts Category I credit from AOACCME, Prescribed credit from AAFP, and AMA Category I CME credit for the PRA from organizations accredited by ACCME.

Tuition includes admission to the symposium, access to an on-line course syllabus and breaks.

Tuition Refund Policy: Tuition refunds are possible if notification is received by October 13. After that date no refunds are available. Refunds will be processed upon receipt of a written request.

NEED INFORMATION?
For information regarding the conference, contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education by phone at (518) 262-5828, fax at (518) 262-5679 or e-mail at pricej@mail.amc.edu.

For emergency calls during the conference, call the High Peaks Resort at (518) 523-4411.

Web Sites:
• Albany Medical Center - www.amc.edu
• www.highpeaksresort.com

CONFIRMATION
All registrants will receive a confirmation. If you register and do not receive a confirmation notice within one week of your registration, please call the Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828 to be sure we have received your information.

Lodging reservation confirmation will be handled by the High Peaks Resort.

SPECIAL NEEDS
Should you have a disability, dietary restrictions, or require other special arrangements, please call the Office of CME by October 1 to discuss your needs.

ATTIRE
Attire during the conference sessions is neat casual. Since everyone has a different comfort level, we suggest that you bring a sweater or light jacket.

ON-LINE SYLLABUS
Printed syllabus material will NOT be available at the conference. If syllabus material is available it will be posted on-line before and after the conference. In order to receive access you must provide your e-mail address on the registration form. You will receive access information via e-mail. If you do not receive access information please call (518) 262-5828.
CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM
Current Topics in Primary Care and Neurology
OCTOBER 20-22, 2017

Tuition
Registration by October 1:
Physicians $260
Others $210
Full-Time AMC Employees and Residents $110
After October 1:
Physicians $310
Others $260
Full-Time AMC Employees and Residents $160

Only paid registrations can be accepted.

Name & Degree: ____________________________________________________________
(As to appear on conference materials)

CME Credit Tracking: ___________________________ - ____________________________ - ____________________________
Month of Birth Date of Birth First 4 Characters of First Name

Specialty: ____________________________________________________________________

Institution/Affiliation: _________________________________________________________

Department: __________________________________________________________________

Business Address: ____________________________________________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ______ Zip: ______________

Business Phone: ____________________________ Business Fax: _______________________

Home Address: ________________________________________________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ______ Zip: ______________

Home Phone: __________________________________________________________________

E-mail Address: _______________________________________________________________
(You must provide an e-mail address to gain access to the on-line syllabus)

Please Indicate Method of Payment:
☐ My check for $_________, payable to Albany Medical College is enclosed.

☐ Please charge my credit card for the amount of $___________.
(For credit card payment, complete information below.)

☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa ☐ American Express ☐ Discover

Name As It Appears on Card: _______________________________________________

Card Number: ____________________________ Exp. Date: _____/____/_____

Signature: __________________________________________________________________

Method of Registration: Mail or Fax
Fax: (518) 262-5679 Registrations accepted for Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express only. Fax registrations without credit card payment cannot be processed. This is a secure fax. Please register one person per form. This form may be photocopied.

Mail: Return This Form With Payment To:
Office of Continuing Medical Education, Primary Care and Neurology Conference, Albany Medical College, Mail Code – 1 J408, 47 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, New York 12208-3479

OFFICE USE ONLY
Check #: __________________ B/P: ______________ Amount: ______________ Date Received: ______________
C.C. Approval #: __________________ CC: ______________ CL: ______________
Note: ________________________________________________________________________________
AGENDA

Friday, October 20
7:30 - 7:55am Registration, Exhibits & Continental Breakfast
7:55 - 8:00 Welcome, Introductions and Administration of Pre-Test
Ivelisse Verrico, MD
8:00 - 9:00 Case Studies in Optimizing Analgesic Therapies in Primary Care
Jeff Fudin, PharmD
9:00 - 10:30 Multiple Small Feedings of the Mind: Neurology
Karen Powers, MD
Angela Antonikowski, PhD
• Collaborative Pediatric Migraine Treatment
10:30 - 10:45 Break and Exhibits
10:45 - 12:00pm Multiple Small Feedings of the Mind: Endocrinology
Sara Clark, MD
Matt Leinung, MD
• Diabetes: The Latest and Greatest Evidence Based Management Strategies
• Primer on Common Thyroid Disorders
12:00 Adjourn

Saturday, October 21
7:30 - 8:00am Exhibits & Continental Breakfast
8:00 - 9:00 Knee Pain in Primary Care: When to Refer, When to Inject, When to Image
Jared Roberts, MD
9:00 - 10:00 The Future of Surgery: Robotics
T. Paul Singh, MD
10:00 - 10:15 Break and Exhibits
10:15 - 11:00 Recognizing Huntington’s Disease in your Practice
Era Hanspal, MD
11:00 - 11:45 Sex, Drugs and Social Media in our Adolescents
Tricia Pelnik-Fecko, MD
11:45 - 12:30pm Case Studies in Clinical Nutrition
Jennifer Lindstrom, MD
12:30pm Adjourn

Sunday, October 22
7:30 - 8:00am Continental Breakfast and Exhibits
8:00 - 9:00 Update in Managing Arrhythmias in Primary Care
David Steckman, MD
9:00 - 10:00 The Role of the Epilepsy Monitoring Unit
Timothy Lynch, MD
10:00 - 10:15 Break
10:15 - 11:15 Role of Immunomodulating Therapy In Neuromuscular Disease
Matt Murnane, MD
11:15 - 12:15pm What’s New in Pain Management
Charles Argoof, MD
12:15 Wrap Up Session with Post Test

COURSE DIRECTORS
Charles E. Argoof, MD
Professor of Neurology
Department of Neurology
Albany Medical College

Ivelisse Verrico, MD, FACP, FAAP
Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine and Pediatrics
Program Director of the Combined Internal Medicine and Pediatrics Residency
Division of Medicine
Albany Medical College

GUEST FACULTY
Jeffrey Fudin, PharmD, FCCP, FASHP
Clinical Pharmacy Specialist & Director PGY2 Pharmacy Pain Residency
Stratton VA Medical Center
Albany, NY
Adjunct Associate Professor
Western New England University College of Pharmacy
Springfield, MA

ALBANY MEDICAL COLLEGE FACULTY
Angela Antonikowski, PhD
Assistant Professor
Director of Behavioral Science
Director of Research of Family and Community Medicine

Sara N. Clark, MD
Assistant Professor of Medicine
Program Director of Endocrinology Fellowship Program
Division Head for Endocrinology

Era Hanspal, MD
Assistant Professor of Neurology
Department of Neurology
LAKE PLACID

Stretching along the shores of two spectacular bodies of water and surrounded by the Adirondack High Peaks, the Village of Lake Placid is located in the heart of the six million acre Adirondack State Park. Host to the 1932 and 1980 winter Olympics, the Lake Placid area offers a variety of recreational activities. Enjoy golf, tennis, fishing, hiking, biking, boating and rock climbing. Tour the Olympic Museum and the Olympic Sports and Jumping Complexes. Stroll in the Olympic Village where you’ll find a variety of boutiques and eateries. Lake Placid has something for everyone.

ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

A block of rooms has been reserved at the High Peaks Resort for the conference from Thursday, October 19 through Saturday, October 21. The rate is $179 per night single/double occupancy, (based on a two night minimum stay required for Friday arrivals). Rates quoted do not include sales tax. Room rates will not be guaranteed after September 19, 2017.

All lodging reservations are to be made directly with the High Peaks by calling (518) 523-4411. Mention Albany Medical College to secure the above rates.

THE HIGH PEAKS RESORT

The High Peaks Resort is the only hotel in Lake Placid providing three experiences in one convenient setting. Located on Lake Placid’s bustling Main Street. Amenities includes indoor and outdoor pools, a fitness room, lake views and Dancing Bears Restaurant. For more information about the High Peaks Resort go to www.highpeaksresort.com.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A complete list of supporters will be provided at the conference.

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS FOR OUR FACULTY?

If you have specific questions regarding any of the agenda topics, please type them on a separate piece of paper and mail them to the Office of Continuing Medical Education with your registration. The faculty will do their best to respond to your questions, or incorporate the information into their talks.

TRAVEL

Lake Placid is easily accessible by major highways and well-maintained thoroughfares. Air travel is available by commercial carrier to Adirondack Airport in Saranac Lake. (Saranac Lake is 16 miles from Lake Placid)
We use multiple mailing lists for our conferences.
If you receive more than one brochure, kindly pass it on to a colleague.