Conference Registration Form
2011 Hot Topics in Pain Management
October 14, 2011

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Mail This Form With Payment To:
Office of Continuing Medical Education, Pain Conference, Albany Medical College, MC 1 – J408, 47 New Scotland Avenue J408, Albany, New York 12208-3479

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.

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Who Should Attend

This program has been designed to be of interest to the physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, physical therapist and occupational therapist, and other health care practitioners whose practice involves the evaluation and treatment of patients with various types of chronic pain including low back pain, headache, fibromyalgia, osteoarthritis, chronic musculoskeletal pain, neuropathic pain and cancer related pain. The target audience includes both primary care providers as well as subspecialists in neurology, psychiatry, physical medicine and rehabilitation, anesthesia and pain management. Both basic and advanced information regarding acute and chronic pain will be presented.

About the Symposium

This conference focuses on the pathophysiology, the assessment and the treatment of various chronic pain syndromes. The sessions will be concise, up-to-date and clinically relevant. Our intent is to bring practitioners of primary care together with subspecialists in a relaxed and interactive setting to review the latest information regarding chronic pain and to share their own experiences and viewpoints in the context of evidence-based discussions. The format of the symposium will involve both didactic and small group interactive case based learning. We hope that attendees will present their own patient management issues for discussion during the small group interactive case based learning session.

In addition to inviting patients, we would also encourage all health care providers to attend the Saturday, October 15, 2011, sessions.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this conference, participants should:

• Have gained practical knowledge regarding the pathophysiology of acute and chronic pain.
• Be able to evaluate and assess a patient with known or suspected chronic pain.
• Be able to develop and initiate a comprehensive treatment plan including medical, non-medical, and invasive therapies for various chronic, non-cancer as well as cancer pain syndromes.

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 7.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim 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.

For information regarding other professional credit, contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education.

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

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Tuition Refund Policy

Tuition refunds, minus a $35.00 administrative charge, are possible if notification is received by October 1. After that date, one half of the paid registration fee, minus the administrative charge, can be refunded. Refunds will be processed upon receipt of a written request.

Online Syllabus

Printed syllabus material will NOT be available at the conference. The syllabus will be available online prior and after the conference. In order to receive access to the syllabus material you must provide your email address on the registration form. You will receive access information via email. If you do not receive access information please call (518) 262-5828.

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 email at pricej@mail.amc.edu.

For emergency calls during the conference, call the Hilton Garden Inn at (518) 272-1700.

Web Sites:
Albany Medical Center: www.amc.edu
American Pain Foundation: www.painfoundation.org
Troy Hilton Garden Inn: www.troy.hgi.com

Confirmation

Registrations will be confirmed by email. Should you register and not receive a confirmation notice, call the Office of Continuing Medical Education to be sure we have received your information.

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.

Directions to the Hilton Garden Inn-Troy

From The North: Take the Adirondack Northway/NY Route 87, South, to Exit 7/Route 7, East toward Troy/Cohoes. Follow Route 7 over Route 787, about 5 miles. At the bottom of the bridge, go straight through the light and proceed up the hill on Hoosick Street. The Hilton Garden Inn Troy will be three quarters of a mile up the hill on the left.

From The South: Take the New York State Thruway/ I-87 North towards Albany. Merge onto I-787 North, via Exit 23 towards Downtown Albany/Rensselaer/Troy, for about 9 miles. Merge onto NY 7 via Exit 9E towards Troy/ BENnington. Go East, up the hill, on Hoosick Street, at the light at the bottom of the bridge. The Hilton Garden Inn Troy will be three quarters of a mile up the hill, on the left.
Please post this flyer in your office or hand out to patients as appropriate

2011 Hot Topics In Pain Management
Getting the Help You Deserve
For People In Pain and Those Who Care About Them

Join us on Saturday, October 15, 2011 • 9 am - 12:30 pm
Hilton Garden Inn - Troy
235 Hoosick Street, Troy, NY 12180

Featuring:
• Educational Sessions on a Variety of Topics
• Update on Research
• Complementary and Alternative Medicine
• Opportunities to Talk with Others in Pain
• Learn about Local Resources
• Discussions on Common Pain Syndromes
• Talk with Pain Experts
• Exhibits and Hands-On Activities

There will be people on hand to assist with your individual needs.

If you are registering more than one person, please list all names and email addresses. Confirmations will be sent out via email. If you have questions, please contact Pam Demers at (518) 262-4257. There is no cost to attend.

Name: ___________________________________  Email Address:______________________________

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Space will be limited to those who have pre-registered.

Mail To: Hot Topics in Pain Management
Albany Medical College
47 New Scotland Avenue
Marketing and Planning, MC-115
Albany, NY 12208

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Web Sites:
For information regarding future events, go to www.amc.edu/calendar
Albany Medical Center: www.amc.edu
American Pain Foundation: www.painfoundation.org
Troy Hilton Garden Inn: www.troy.hgi.com
**Accommodation Information**

A block of overnight rooms has been reserved at Hilton Garden Inn for the evening of October 13. The rate for a standard room is $129.00 Queen or King. These rates are per night and do not include tax. Please call (518) 272-1700 by October 1, to make your reservation. Please indicate that you are registered for Albany Medical College’s Pain Symposium to secure the group rate. After October 1 the block of rooms will be released. Check-in is 4:00 pm: Check-out is 12:00 Noon.

**Acknowledgment**

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

**Agenda**

**Friday, October 14, 2011**

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<td>Acute and Long Term Management of Headache:</td>
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<td>• Invasive Approaches: Tobias Moeller-Bertram, MD, MAS</td>
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<td>Multimodal Therapy for Chronic Low Back Pain</td>
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<td>• Assessing the Patient and Rehab Approaches/ Medical Management: Nalini Seghal, MD</td>
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<td>• Assessing the Patient: David Walk, MD</td>
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<td>• Medical and Rehabilitation Treatment with Approaches: Mish Backonja, MD</td>
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<td>• Invasive Treatment Approaches: Mark Wallace, MD</td>
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<td>• Understanding Addiction: Stanley Glick, PhD, MD</td>
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<td>• Who is a Candidate for Treatment with Opioids: Howard Heit, MD, FACP, FASAM</td>
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<td>• Treatment Initiation and Monitoring the Patient on Opioids: The Good, the Bad, the Ugly: Ajay Wasan, MD, M.Sc.</td>
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<td>Small Group Case Discussions</td>
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Do You Have a Case That You Would Like Discussed?

If you have a specific case or question 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 incorporate your case into the case based discussion or respond to your questions.

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