Albany Medical College presents

Cardiology for the
Primary Care Practitioner

Saturday, November 7, 2009

Hudson Valley Community College
Bulmer Telecommunications Center
80 Vandenburg Ave.
Troy, New York 12180

Sponsored by Albany Medical College’s Division of Cardiology, the Office of Continuing Medical Education, and the Albany Medical Center Nursing Continuing Education Provider Unit.
Registration Form (Pre-registration is required)

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Please type or print clearly and register one person per form.

Name and Degree __________________________________________________________
(as to appear on conference information—up to two degrees only)

CME Credit Tracking Number ____________________________
(month of birth) (day of birth) (first letters of first name)

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Home Address ______________________________________________________________

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Home Phone ______________________________________________________________

Home E-mail Address _________________________________________________________

NEW REQUIREMENT!
At least one email address is now required as printed syllabus material will NOT be available at the conference.
The syllabus will be available ONLINE at least 5 days prior and 5 days after the conference. An online access
code will be emailed to you near the date of the conference.

Please check method of payment:

☐ My check for $_________________, payable to Albany Medical College, is enclosed.

☐ Please charge my credit card for the amount of $_________________.

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Name as it appears on credit card___________________________________________

Signature ____________________________

Method of Registration: Mail or Fax

Fax: Fax (518) 262-5679 registrations accepted with credit card payment. Fax registrations without credit card
information will not be processed. This is a secure fax line.

Mail: Return this form with payment to: Albany Medical College, Office of Continuing Medical Education,
Cardiology Course—Mail Code 1, 47 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, NY 12208-3479.
Course Description
This year our program will concentrate on cardiovascular risk factors and the outpatient evaluation of patients in whom coronary artery disease is a concern. We aim to provide practitioners with the tools they need to address cardiovascular risk factors including dietary, life style and pharmaceutical approaches. Specific goals for risk factor modification and guidelines for the evaluation of symptoms will be discussed.

Educational Objectives
At the conclusion of the course, participants should be able to:
• Identify the most appropriate diagnostic tools for screening patients for coronary artery disease.
• Explain the relationship between glycemic control and coronary artery disease.
• Explain the role of non-statin lipid lowering agents in the treatment of hyperlipidemia.
• Explain the role of stress, sleep disorders and diet on cardiovascular risk.
• Define resistant hypertension and pursue an appropriate diagnostic and therapeutic program.
• Screen and identify patients with suspected pulmonary hypertension.

Target Audience
The program is aimed at primary care practitioners including physicians, physician assistants and nurse practitioners. The program will be of benefit to nurses and medical technical staff as well.

Acknowledgement
We gratefully acknowledge and express our sincere appreciation to all those who generously support this educational opportunity. A complete list of contributors will be provided at the conference.

Accreditation
Physician:
Albany Medical College is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.
The Albany Medical College designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Physician Assistant:
AAPA accepts Category 1 credit from AOACCME, Prescribed credit from AAFP, and AMA Category 1 CME credit for the PRA from organizations accredited by ACCME.

American Academy of Family Physicians
Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

Nursing:
Albany Medical Center Hospital is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.
This learning activity is coproduced by The Albany Medical Center Nursing Continuing Education Provider Unit and will be awarded a maximum of 6 nursing contact hours.

Nurse Planner
Linda Maguire MS RN CCRN
Education Specialist
The Center for Learning & Development
Albany Medical Center
58 Hackett Blvd., Albany, NY 12209
(518) 262-3705

Tuition
Tuition includes admission to the conference, access to the ONLINE course syllabus, breakfast, lunch and breaks.

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*Residents must send a letter of residency verification from their program director with the registration form to receive the discounted tuition rate.

On-site registration: Add $50.00 to the above tuition schedule.

Refunds minus a $25.00 administrative fee are possible if cancellation of registration is received in writing by October 9, 2009. After that date, one half of the paid tuition, minus a $25 administrative fee, is refundable with written notification.
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**Do You Have Specific Questions?**

If you have questions regarding any of the scheduled topics, write them on a separate sheet of paper and enclose with the registration form. Our faculty will do their best to include the information in their talk.

**Need Information?**

For further information regarding this conference, contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education by phone at (518) 262-5828, by fax at (518) 262-5679, or e-mail: amccme@mail.amc.edu. **For emergency calls during the conference, call the Hudson Valley Community College Security Department at 518-629-7210.**

Be sure to visit the Albany Medical Center Website at [www.amc.edu](http://www.amc.edu). To obtain an updated list of CME activities, click on Upcoming Events.
Accommodations

There is NO block of rooms established at any area hotel. We have, however, included a list of nearby hotels for your convenience.

**Holiday Inn Express-East Greenbush**
8 Empire Drive, Rensselaer, NY 12144
Toll-Free: 800-465-4329
Phone: (518) 286-1011
Fax: (518) 286-3952
E-Mail: hialbany@aol.com

**Fairfield Inn-Albany/East Greenbush**
124 Troy Road, East Greenbush, NY 12061
Phone: (518) 477-7984
Fax: (518) 477-2382

**Comfort Inn & Suites**
99 Miller Road, Castleton, NY 12033
Phone: (518) 479-3217
Fax: (518) 479-3167

**Franklin Square Inn & Suites**
One Fourth Street, Troy, NY 12180
Phone: (518) 274-8800
Fax: (518) 274-0427
Toll-Free: 866-708-2233
E-mail: kbover@franklinsquareinn.com

Directions

**To Hudson Valley Community College**

The Bulmer Telecommunications Center is the first building on the North Road entrance. You will recognize it by its green glass and curved roofline.

**From the North:** The Hudson Valley campus is minutes from exit 7 of the Northway (I-87). Follow Rte. 7 East approximately 1.5 miles to I-787 South. Take I-787 South to Rte. 378 East. Over bridge bear right to Rte. 4 south and continue for 1 mile to the campus on your left.

**From the South:** Take Exit 23 off I-87 (NYS Thruway). Follow I-787 North 6 miles to the exit for Rte. 378 East and follow as above.

**From the East:** Take Exit B-1 of the Massachusetts Turnpike and follow I-90 approximately 9 miles to Exit B. Turn left off ramp to Route 4. Campus is 5 miles ahead on the right.

**From the West:** Take Exit 24 off I-90 (NYS Thruway), continue on I-90 East 6 miles to I-787 North (Troy). Follow I-787 as above.

Faculty

**Course Director**

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Division of Cardiology
Albany Medical College

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Assistant Professor
Division of Cardiology

Sharon Alger-Mayer, MD
Associate Professor of Medicine
Division of Clinical Nutrition

Rachel Hinerman, MD
Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine

Mikhail Torosoff, MD, PhD, FACC
Assistant Professor of Medicine
Division of Cardiology

Special Needs

Should you have disabilities, dietary restrictions or other requirements, please contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828 by **October 9, 2009** to discuss your needs.

Attire

The AMC Professional Image Standards Policy is in effect at AMC sponsored education programs. Employees must comply with the AMC Professional Image Standards Policy when attending AMC sponsored educational events. The attire for AMC educational sponsored events is business casual or appropriate clinical attire. Since everyone has a different comfort level, we suggest that you bring a sweater or light jacket.
Register by October 9th and Save $$$$$$$$$$!

We use multiple mailing lists for our conferences. If you receive more than one brochure, kindly pass it along to a colleague.