23rd Annual
Asthma, Allergy and Immunology Update

Thursday, July 20, 2017
Saratoga Springs City Center
(Attached to The Saratoga Hilton)
522 Broadway
Saratoga Springs, New York

Sponsored by Albany Medical College’s Department of Medicine, Division of Allergy and Immunology and the Office of Continuing Medical Education.
Registration Form

23rd Annual Summer Allergy Conference - Thursday, July 20, 2017
Saratoga City Center, 522 Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY

Please type or print clearly and register one person per form. This form may be photocopied.

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(As to appear on conference materials – two degrees only)

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E-mail Address: ______________________ (NOTE: You must include an e-mail address to access the online syllabus)

Tuition

By July 1, 2017 After July 1, 2017
Physicians $215.00 $265.00
Residents* & Allied Health Professionals $165.00 $200.00
Full Time AMC and Stratton VA Staff $105.00 $165.00

☐ I will attend the Thursday evening Hall of Springs Buffet dinner.

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Amount Due: Tuition: ________ Hall of Springs Buffet Dinner: ________ Total: ________

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Method of Registration: Fax or Mail

Fax: (518) 262-5679 – This is a secure fax. Fax registrations accepted with credit card payment only. Fax registrations without credit card payment cannot be accepted.

Mail: Return This Form With Payment To:
   Albany Medical College
   Office of Continuing Medical Education
   Summer Allergy Conference
   47 New Scotland Avenue, MC-1, J408
   Albany, NY 12208

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About the Conference

Welcome to the 23rd Annual Allergy, Asthma and Immunology conference! This year, we have assembled as usual, a team of outstanding local and guest faculty to discuss the following topics: Atopic Dermatitis, Contact Dermatitis, Urticaria, Angioedema, Drug Allergies and Skin Manifestations of Systemic Diseases including Acquired and Innate Immunodeficiency. Those topics have been selected based on our knowledge gap assessment of those topics, the feedback that we received from last year’s conference as well as the availability and interest of our faculty and respective speakers. The conference will kick off with the traditional Review of the previous year’s Allergy/Immunology Literature that will cover all the major themes of the field. Finally, the one-hour session: “Ask the Professors” will provide ample opportunity to the attendees to discuss contents of the conference as well as appropriate clinical problems encountered in their clinical practice.

Who Should Attend

This conference will be of interest to allergists, internists, primary care physicians, family practitioners, dermatologists, physician assistants, nurse practitioners and residents. Nurses and allied health practitioners, medicine, pediatric and family practice residents are welcome to attend.

Objectives

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

• Initially assess and adequately manage uncomplicated adult and pediatric patients with atopic dermatitis.
• Recognize the manifestations of contact dermatitis and be aware of the availability of patch testing to properly diagnose and manage it.
• Know the role of laboratory testing in the evaluation of chronic urticaria and angioedema and their management.
• Recognize the skin manifestations of drug allergies.
• Identify common dermatological manifestations of acquired and innate immune deficiencies.

CME 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 Live activity for a maximum of 6.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Physician Assistant: AAPA accepts Category I credit from AOACCME, prescribed credit from AAFP, and AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™ from organizations accredited by ACCME.

Nurse Practitioner Continuing Education: The American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Program (AANPCP) accepts certificates of participation for educational activities certified for AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ from organizations accredited by the ACCME. Individuals are responsible for checking with the AANPCP for further guidelines.

American Osteopathic Association (AOA for Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine/D.O.): CME programs which are sponsored by an ACCME accredited provider for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™; approved by the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP), or approved by an internationally known sponsor acceptable to the Council on Continuing Medical Education (CCME) are eligible for Category 2 credit through the AOA. To obtain the Category 2 credit, please e-mail, fax or mail certificates of attendance to the AOA Department of Client and Member Services.

Endorsed By: American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (AAAAI)

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On site registration: Add $50 to the above stated fees.

*Residents must include a letter of residency verification from their program director with the registration form.

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

Refunds are possible if registration cancellation is received in writing by July 14, 2017. After that date, NO refunds are available.

Confirmation

Confirmation notices will be e-mailed to all registrants. E-mail addresses are required on the Registration Form. If you do not receive an e-mail confirmation notice prior to the event, call Albany Medical College’s Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828 to verify that your registration has been received.
Online Syllabus

In an effort to be environmentally conscious, printed lecture material will not be available at the conference. The syllabus will be available online just prior to and after the conference. In order to receive access to the syllabus material, you must provide your e-mail address on the registration form. You will receive access information via e-mail to access the website. If you do not receive access information please call the Albany Medical College's Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828.

Attire

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 dress in layers or bring a sweater or light jacket.

Special Needs

If you have disabilities or dietary restrictions which need special arrangements, please contact Albany Medical College's Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828 by July 1, 2017 to discuss your needs.

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.

Other Information

If you have questions regarding this conference, please contact Jacqueline Hawkins at Albany Medical College's Office of Continuing Medical Education by phone (518) 262-5828, fax (518) 262-5679 or e-mail at HawkinJ@mail.amc.edu. You can also visit us on the web at www.amc.edu - click on Education & Training, Continuing Medical Education, Upcoming Events.

Room Location

This year’s lectures will take place in Saratoga City Center which is attached to Saratoga Hilton - as you stand on Broadway facing the Hilton, City Center is on the right on the corner of Ellsworth Jones Place and Broadway. FREE parking is located in a lot behind City Center on the corner of Ellsworth Jones Place and Maple Avenue. There is an entrance to City Center on the corner of Ellsworth Jones Place and Maple Avenue.

Questions For The Faculty

If you would like to have a specific question addressed by the faculty, please type them on a separate piece of paper and mail it along with your registration form. The faculty will do their best to respond to your questions either in their talks or in the special segment…“Ask the Professors.”

Emergencies

For emergency calls during the conference, please call Saratoga City Center directly at (518) 584-0027. Or you can call Albany Medical College's Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828.

Accommodation Information

The Saratoga Hilton – Saratoga Springs, NY
534 Broadway at City Center, Saratoga Springs, New York 12866
(888) 866-3596 • (518) 584-4000 • www.TheSaratogaHotel.com
A block of overnight rooms has been reserved for the evening of Wednesday, July 19, 2017. The block of reserved rooms will be held until Monday, June 19, 2017. Reservations outside of this block will be handled on a space available basis only and regular season rates will apply. The special conference rate is $189.00 per room, per night, single or double occupancy and does not include taxes. Check-in time is 3:00 pm; check-out is 11:00 am. To make your reservation, please call (888) 866-3596 and request the group rate for Albany Medical College/Allergy Conference 2017.

Please note: Because this is Saratoga's busiest time of year it is strongly recommended that reservations be made well prior to the cutoff date.

Parking Fees

FREE Parking is located in a lot behind City Center on the corner of Ellsworth Jones Place and Maple Avenue. There is an entrance into City Center on the corner of Ellsworth Jones Place and Maple Avenue.

Directions

Use 522 Broadway Avenue, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866 for GPS directions.

Directions For Parking: Go to end of Ellsworth Jones Place (formerly Grove Street) and turn left on Maple Avenue. Parking lot entrance is immediately on right.
Agenda - Thursday, July 20, 2017

7:20 - 7:50 am  
Registration, Continental Breakfast & Exhibits

7:50 - 8:00  
Welcome and Administration of Pre-Conference Test  
Richard Blinkhorn, MD, FACP

8:00 - 8:50  
Allergy and Immunology Literature Review 2016-2017  
Jocelyn Celestin, MD, FAAAAI

8:50 - 9:40  
Contact Dermatitis: An Update  
Asghar Pasha, MD, FAAAAI

9:40 - 10:30  
Atopic Dermatitis in Children and Adults: An Update  
Thomas Edwards, MD, FAAAAI

10:30 - 10:40  
Break & Exhibits

10:40 - 11:30  
Skin Manifestations of Acquired and Innate Immune Deficiency: An Update  
Francisco Bonilla, MD, PhD, FAAAAI

11:30 - 12:20 pm  
Urticaria and Angioedema: An Update  
Kiranjit Khalsa, MD, MPH

12:20 - 1:00  
Lunch & Exhibits

1:00 - 1:50  
Skin Manifestations of Drug Allergy: An Update  
Britta Sundquist, MD

1:50 - 2:40  
Skin Manifestations of Systemic Disease and Autoimmunity: An Update  
Hal Schaffer, MD

2:40 - 3:30  
Ask The Professors: Questions & Answers Session  
Drs. Celestin, Pasha, Bonilla, Sundquist, Khalsa & Schaffer  
Moderator: Sung Lee, MD

3:30 - 3:35  
Closing Remarks and Administration of Post-Conference Test  
Jocelyn Celestin, MD, FAAAAI

6:00 - 8:00  
Dinner at the Hall of Springs

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Welcome Remarks

Richard Blinkhorn, MD, FACP  
Richard T. Beebe Professor and Chairman  
Department of Medicine
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