CARDIOLOGY PEARLS FOR PRIMARY CARE
– BASICS & BEYOND –

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2016

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METHOD OF REGISTRATION:

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MAIL: Return This Form With Payment To: Albany Medical College, Office of Continuing Medical Education, Cardiology Conference, 47 New Scotland Avenue, MC-1, J408, Albany, NY 12208
Welcome to “Cardiology Pearls for Primary Care: Basics and Beyond!” We will be providing a review of common cardiac conditions that all primary caregivers, in and out of the hospital, face daily. Focus will be given to the main treatment strategies in line with the current practice guidelines. Appropriate referral for consultation will be identified.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
This conference will be of interest to anyone involved in the primary care of patients such as Internal Medicine, Family Practice, Hospitalists, PA/NP, Residents, Fellows, Nurses and Medical Students.

OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of the course, participants should be able to:
• Identify basic cardiac conditions and be able to implement treatment plans.
• Acknowledge elevated cardiac risk in certain subpopulations and their need for aggressive treatment.
• Recognize new directions and thoughts in risk factor modification.
• Discuss the options for stroke prevention in patients with atrial fibrillation.
• Identify patients who warrant device therapy for optimal cardiovascular treatment.
• Diagnose and manage coronary artery disease using appropriate guideline-directed therapy.

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.

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Nursing Credits: Kendra Schreiner RN, 20685 SW Deline, Aloha, Oregon 97007, (503) 467-6661 is an independent provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing and has approved this program for 7 contact hours. Provider #15828.

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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 October 21, 2016. 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.

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 October 21, 2016 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.

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.

DIRECTIONS TO HUDSON VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Use 80 Vandenburgh Ave., Troy, NY 12180 for all GPS and Yahoo/Google Maps directions. The Bulmer Telecommunications Center is the first building on the North Road entrance. You will recognize it by its green glass and curved roof-line: parking is available in front of the building.

OTHER INFORMATION
For more information regarding this conference, 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.

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AGENDA

7:30-8:00 am  Registration, Breakfast, and Exhibits

8:00-8:10  Welcome Remarks

8:10-8:40  Heart Disease in Special Populations… Race Matters
Sulagna (Suzie) Mookherjee, MD, FACC

8:40-9:10  The Best Treatment for Patients with Known CAD…. Please Know Your Evidence Based Guidelines
Mandeep Sidhu, MD, MBA, FACC

9:10-9:40  Athletes and Heart Disease…Beyond the Sports Physical
Robert D. Millar, MD, FACC

9:40-10:05  Exhibits and Break

10:05-10:35  Preoperative Risk Assessment… What Never to Say and How to Make it Helpful
Steven A. Fein, MD, FACC, FACP, FASE

10:35-11:05  Metabolic Syndrome….Get Your Tape Measure Out
Joseph D. Sacco, MD, FAHA

11:05-11:30  Don’t Stress About Stress Tests…Know What to Order When
Radmila Lyubarova, MD

11:30-12:30 pm  Lunch & Exhibits

12:30-1:00  Hypertension… New Data, New Ideas?
Robert D. Millar, MD, FACC

1:00-1:30  Heart Failure… How Do We Keep our Patients Out of the Hospital?
Sulagna (Suzie) Mookherjee, MD, FACC

1:30-2:00  Atrial Fibrillation… Why Don’t We Just Get Rid of It?
David A. Steckman, MD, FHRS

2:00-2:25  Stroke Prevention… Too Many Choices?
David A. Steckman, MD, FHRS

2:25-2:40  Exhibits and Break

2:40-3:10  Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy (CRT)…. What is That and Who Gets It?
Henry T. Tan, MD

3:10-3:40  Why Statins Are Our Friends… and Other Options if They Aren’t
Joseph D. Sacco, MD, FAHA

3:40-4:10  Heart Disease Prevention… Questions You May Have Never Thought to Ask
Joshua Schulman-Marcus, MD, FACC

4:10-4:30  Fixing the Valves Without Cutting the Sternum
Anthony G. Nappi, MD

4:30 pm  Closing Remarks, Wrap Up

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