Symposium on

STROKE

& Cerebrovascular Diseases

Saturday, 21 October 2017
Éilan Hotel & Spa
San Antonio, Texas
Dear Colleague,

We cordially invite you to the inaugural UT Health San Antonio Symposium on Stroke and Cerebrovascular Diseases. This one-day conference will equip health care providers with practical, evidence-based knowledge for early stroke identification, evaluation, treatment, transport, and management. The purpose of this knowledge-based program is to enable you to properly diagnosis patients with stroke and cerebrovascular diseases, as well as be able to offer them the most current treatment therapies available inclusive of research programs. Stroke is the fifth leading cause of death in the United States and results in significant disability and healthcare expenditure. We hope that by attending this course, you will leave with new enthusiasm for the advances in stroke and the knowledge you gained would help your patients experience healthier and happier lives.

**TARGET AUDIENCE**

This conference is intended for neurologists, neurosurgeons, emergency physicians, cardiologists, critical care physicians, primary care physicians, hospitalists, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, paramedics, physical therapists, speech therapists, occupational therapists, and other allied professionals involved in the diagnosis, treatment, and management of stroke.

**OBJECTIVES**

Identify recent advances in endovascular therapies for ischemic stroke and subarachnoid hemorrhage
Discuss the recent evidence for treatments of acute ischemic stroke
Discuss the recent evidence for treatments of intracerebral hemorrhage
Discuss surgical procedures for hemorrhagic lesions in the brain
Identify the role of nursing staff in the care of the stroke patients
Discuss management of large hemispheric stroke
Discuss palliative and end of life care of the stroke patients
AGENDA

7:00 – 7:50 AM
Registration & Continental Breakfast

7:50 – 8:00 AM
Welcome & Introduction
Reza Behrouz, DO

8:00 – 8:35 AM
Pre-Hospital Assessment of Stroke
David A. Miramontes, MD

8:35 – 9:10 AM
Intravenous Thrombolysis for Ischemic Stroke: Evolution, Benefits, and Risks
Christopher H. Topel, DO

9:10 – 9:45 AM
Update on Endovascular Management of Ischemic Stroke
Lee A. Birnbaum, MD, MS

9:45 – 10:00 AM
Break

10:00 – 10:35 AM
Cryptogenic Stroke – A Cardiologist’s Perspective
Manoj Panday, MD

10:35 – 11:00
Nursing Care of the Stroke Patient
Michele Patterson, APRN-CCNS, SCRN

11:00 AM – 12:00
Palliative/Hospice Care in Stroke Patients
Julianne Eddy, RN, MPH, CHPN

12:00 – 1:00 PM
Lunch

1:00 – 1:35 PM
Management of Large Hemispheric Cerebral Infarction
Shaberyar Hafeez, MD

1:35 – 2:10 PM
Update of Diagnosis and Management of Intracerebral Hemorrhage
Reza Behrouz, DO
2:10 PM – 2:45 PM
Surgical Management of Hemorrhagic Lesions in the Brain
Jean-Louis Caron, MD

2:45 – 3:00 PM
Break

3:00 – 3:35 PM
Endovascular Management of Subarachnoid Hemorrhage
Ramesh Grandhi, MD

3:35 PM – 4:00 PM
Questions & Answers
Faculty

4:10 PM
Adjourn

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Non-Physicians, Students, Residents, Fellows  $50.00

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