

25th Annual

Current Concepts & Controversies in Surgery

Stowe Mountain Lodge
January 25 - 27, 2016



**MOC Credits
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The University of Vermont
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This conference is designed to present current clinical management issues in surgical patients for the general surgeon in practice, primary care physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners and other health care professionals in the field.

Registration is limited to allow personal contact with the faculty in order that each participant will be able to tap the resources available for his/her own clinical scenarios.

OBJECTIVES

Following this conference, participants attending this course should be able to:

1. Identify potential risk factors for bile duct injury during cholecystectomy.
2. Identify the clinical risk factors associated with an unexpected liposarcoma.
3. Describe strategies for managing anastomotic leaks.
4. Describe the medical and surgical options for Barrett's Esophagus.

OPTIONAL WORKSHOP

Breast Ultrasound: At the completion of this workshop participants should be able to understand the role for and the limitations of ultrasonography in the management of breast disease; and to be able to find, identify and distinguish common breast lesions such as cysts and solid tumors using the ultrasound probe.

ACCREDITATION (Including Optional Workshop)

The University of Vermont College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Vermont designates this live activity for a maximum of 12 **AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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

A self-assessment exam will be given to allow the opportunity to earn 10 credits toward fulfilling Part 2 of the ABS MOC program.

Determination of Nursing Credit is pending. Please contact UVM CME for more information. 802-656-2292

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Monday, January 25

Morning Session

- 7:00 **Registration, Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants**
- 7:30 **Treatment Controversies in Management of Differentiated Thyroid Cancer**
Seth Harlow, MD
- 8:00 **Neoadjuvant Therapy in Breast Cancer Treatment**
Michelle Sowden, DO
- 8:30 **Lipomatous Tumors: Separating the Wheat from the Chaff**
Ted James, MD
- 9:00-9:30 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**

Optional Session

- 1:30-3:30pm **Breast Ultrasound Workshop**
Ted James, MD and Seth Harlow, MD

Participation in workshop does not certify competence.

Afternoon Session

- 4:00 **Refreshments & Exhibits**
- 4:30 **Plumbing for Surgeons: Prevention and Management of Anastomotic Leaks**
Peter Cataldo, MD
- 5:00 **Diverticulitis: The Hard Questions Answered**
Jesse Moore, MD
- 5:30 **Bariatric Emergency for the Non-Bariatric Surgeon**
Patrick Forgione, MD
- 6:00-6:30 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 7:00 **Reception for Participants and Families**

Tuesday, January 26

Morning Session

- 7:00 Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants
- 7:30 **Pediatric Trauma**
Kennith Sartorelli, MD
- 8:00 **Plastic Surgery Tips for the General Surgeon**
Donald Laub, MD
- 8:30 **Bile Duct Injuries - Why Do They Still Occur?**
James Hebert, MD
- 9:00-9:30 Question and Answer Session with Panelists

Afternoon Session

- 4:00 Refreshments & Exhibits
- 4:30 **Early Resuscitation After Trauma:
Current Understanding**
Ajai Malhotra, MD
- 5:00 **Sepsis: Update on Diagnosis and Management**
William Charash, MD, PhD
- 5:30 **Extremity Trauma for the General Surgeon**
Loic Fabricant, MD
- 6:00-6:30 Question and Answer Session with Panelists

Wednesday, January 27

- 7:00 Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants
- 7:30 **Neurometabolic and Endoscopic Therapy
for Obesity vs. Traditional Bariatric Procedures**
Wasef Abu Jaish, MD
- 8:00 **Endoscopic Therapy for Barrett's Esophagus
and Early Stage Esophageal Cancer**
Eric Ganguly, MD
- 8:30 **Endoscopic Techniques to Control Bleeding**
Richard Zubarik, MD
- 9:00 Question and Answer Session with Panelists
- 9:30 Conference Adjourns

HOTEL INFORMATION

A block of beautifully appointed rooms has been reserved at the Stowe Mountain Lodge. Please call the Lodge by **December 24** (888-478-6938 or 802-760-4755) and indicate your participation in this course to obtain our discounted rates: \$299 plus 10% state and local tax, single or double occupancy, for studio accommodations. There is a \$10 daily parking charge. **Room rates cannot be guaranteed after December 24. To ensure room choice and availability, it is recommended that you make your room reservations as soon as possible.**

TRANSPORTATION

By Car: Follow I-89 in Vermont to Exit 10, Waterbury/Stowe. Follow Route 100 North for approximately 11 miles. Turn left at the flashing red light in the village of Stowe onto Route 108 (Mountain Road). The Stowe Mountain Lodge will be located approximately 7.6 miles further on the right-hand side.

By Air: Burlington International Airport at Burlington, Vermont (only 45 minutes to Stowe) is served by several major airlines. Consult your travel agent or airline reservation desk for information.

ENJOYING STOWE

Enjoy the slopeside ski in/ski out convenience of the Stowe Mountain Lodge. The best in **alpine skiing** is found at Stowe's Mt. Mansfield and Spruce Peak complex. Mt. Mansfield is Vermont's highest peak and offers a wide range of terrain for every ability level. It's known for the double-black diamond (most difficult) "Front Four" trails, but also offers some great intermediate cruisers and a lovely group of beginner trails in the Toll House area.

Stowe's interconnected **cross-country ski centers** provide one of the largest, most diverse trail systems in the United States. More than 150km of groomed and 100km of back-country trails criss-cross Stowe's landscape.

A **single all-purpose voucher** will provide a discount (approximately 25%) for each person who plans to ski (Nordic or Alpine) or ride, rent equipment, take a lesson and/or participate in any of the children's lesson programs. Only one voucher is needed per person, regardless of how it is to be used. For more Stowe information:

www.gostowe.com

CONFERENCE SYLLABUS

The conference syllabus will be sent via Dropbox. (Dropbox is a free service, please download at www.dropbox.com.) Alternatively, you may elect to buy a flash drive (with pdf versions of the talks) or printed syllabus for an additional \$15 fee. Please plan to bring your laptop to view Dropbox or flash drive presentations.

REGISTRATION & CANCELLATION

All course materials, coffee breaks and reception are included. Refunds, less a \$75 administrative fee, are available if cancellation is made prior to January 7, 2016. No refunds are possible after that date.

CURRENT CONCEPTS & CONTROVERSIES IN SURGERY

Or Register on-line: www.uvm.edu/medicine/cme

Name: _____
(As it will appear on Nametag and Certificate)

Degree: MD DO PA NP RN Other _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____ Specialty: _____

Email: _____

Initials _____ Last 4 digits of your SSN# _____

_____ - _____ (for CME Tracking Purposes Only)

Registration Fee Summary:

\$525 Physicians \$195 Residents*
 \$295 PA, Nurse, etc. * **Verification Required.**

Dropbox (No charge)

Optional (\$15): Printed Syllabus **OR** Flash Drive

\$100 Breast U/S Workshop (For Conference Attendees)

Late Fee: After December 15, 2015 - Add: \$75

SPECIAL OFFER: Bring a friend/colleague who has never attended and receive a 25% discount on each registration.

Discount will increase with each additional referral. Please indicate name of colleague(s): _____

\$ _____ TOTAL DUE

Pre-Order Discount Ski Vouchers by January 17

Discount vouchers will be available at registration. Please indicate whether the vouchers are required prior to registration on January 25.

_____ # Needed (1/person) Needed Prior to January 25?

PAYMENT METHOD:

To pay by credit card, please register on-line by visiting our website at: www.uvm.edu/medicine/cme

To pay by check, payable to the University of Vermont, please mail your payment along with a completed registration form:

Mail to: University of Vermont, Continuing Medical Education
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