CAROLINAS MEDICAL CENTER’S 4TH ANNUAL LIVER COURSE:
A Patient Based Approach

Friday, December 10, 2010 • 9:00 am – 5:00 pm • Pinehurst Resort

Course Directors:
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If you need any of the auxiliary aids or services identified in the American with Disabilities Act in order to attend this course, call Nancy Mailman at 704.355.2400 or by email to nancy.mailman@carolinashealthcare.org.

REGISTRATION
Registration includes education sessions, breakfast, refreshments and lunch. Your registration will be confirmed in writing. If you do not receive a written confirmation, please contact Paulina Crass at 704.512.7592 to confirm registration status.

CANCELLATION POLICY
To review Charlotte AHEC’s cancellation policy, please visit www.charlotteahec.org.
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, participants should be able to:

- Discuss patient work-up for elevated LFTs.
- Discuss Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease including the development of hepatitis, cirrhosis and hepatic cancer.
- Explore the relationship between viral hepatitis and development of HCC.
- Provide an update about adult liver transplantation including typical patient profiles, access to the transplant program, post transplantation concerns and quality of life.
- Discuss the latest surgical approaches and treatments for patients with liver and pancreatic disease, adjuvant treatments and non-surgical options.
- Describe patient scenarios related to metastatic colorectal cancer including diagnosis, treatment strategies, outcomes data and prevention.
- Describe patient evaluation of pancreatic masses and follow-up.
- Explain diagnostic strategy and follow-up treatment for obstructive jaundice.

PROGRAM

8:15am – 9:00am    Registration/Breakfast
9:00am – 9:15am    Opening Remarks

Session I: Hepatology/Transplantation
9:15am – 9:45am    WU of Abnormal LFT’s
9:45am – 10:15am   Fatty Liver Disease
10:15am – 10:45am  Viral Hepatitis
10:45am – 11:15am  Adult Liver Transplantation
11:15am – 11:30am  Q&A
11:30am – 11:45am  Break

Keynote Address:
11:45am – 12:30pm  Health Care Reform
12:30pm – 1:30pm   Lunch

Session II: HPB Surgery
1:30pm – 2:00pm    Benign Pancreatic Disease
2:00pm – 2:30pm    Metastatic Colorectal Cancer
2:30pm – 3:00pm    Liver Directed Therapies
3:00pm – 3:15pm    Q&A
3:15pm – 3:30pm    Break

Session III: Interventional Endoscopy
3:30pm – 4:00pm    Evaluation of Pancreatic Masses
4:00pm – 4:30pm    Obstructive Jaundice
4:30pm – 5:00pm    Q&A/Closing Remarks

REGISTRATION FORM - Event # 30389 (Carolinas Medical Center’s 4th Annual Liver Course - December 10, 2010)

Last name                      First name                      MI                      Title

Last 4 digits of Soc Sec # (for transcript purposes)    Credentials    Employer

Address                      City                     State                     Zip

Work phone                     Home phone                  Fax number

Hospital Affiliation      Practice name/Specialty         Email address

$100.00 - Physicians and PhDs $50.00 - Allied Health Professionals, Residents and Fellows

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PO Box 32861 Charlotte, NC 28223-2861 Or fax form to 704.512.6560
Register online at: www.charlotteahec.org

For online registration questions, please contact Paulina Crass 704.512.7592 or email: paulina.crass@carolinashealthcare.org
For questions related to course content, please contact Suzie Smeaton at the CMC HPB Program 704.355.4062 or suzie.smeaton@carolinashealthcare.org

LOCAL FACULTY
Herbert L. Bondovsky, MD
Steven Deal, MD
Andrew Dries, MD
Lon Eskind, MD
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KEYNOTE SPEAKER
James T. McDeavitt, MD
Sr. Vice-President, Education and Research
Carolinas Medical Center

COURSE DIRECTORS
David A. Iannitti, MD, FACS - Dr. Iannitti serves as Chief of Hepatobiliary Surgery at Carolinas Medical Center and as Program Director for the HPB Surgery Fellowship Training Program (1 of 12 such programs nationwide.) Dr. Iannitti completed his fellowship training at The Cleveland Clinic Foundation. He was an Associate Professor of Surgery at Brown University prior to joining the faculty at CMC in 2006 to build a comprehensive liver program. He serves as Principal Investigator on multiple clinical trials as well as basic science and translational research endeavors primarily in the area of hepatocellular carcinoma.

John B. Martinie, MD, FACS - Dr. Martinie completed his HPB/Multi-Organ Transplantation Fellowship at McGill University in 2005, following which he served as Assistant Professor of Surgery and Co-director for the Center of Pancreato-Biliary Disease Center at the University of North Carolina. Dr. Martinie joined the faculty at CMC in 2008. He is a certified instructor for training physicians on the DaVinci Robotic System and serves on multiple educational committees in addition to his role as a site reviewer of fellowship programs for accreditation through the Fellowship Council. His research focuses upon pancreatic and hepatocellular carcinoma.

Mark Russo, MD, MPH - Dr. Russo completed his fellowship training in Gastroenterology and Transplant Hepatology at the University of North Carolina. Prior to joining CMC, he was on the faculty in the liver transplant program at Columbia Presbyterian Hospital in New York and the University of North Carolina. He currently serves as the Medical Director of Liver Transplantation at CMC. His clinical research focuses on viral hepatitis, liver transplant, hepatocellular carcinoma and drug-induced liver injury.

CONFERENCE LOCATION AND LODGING

The conference will be held at the Pinehurst Resort in The Carolina Hotel, a historic hotel located in Pinehurst, NC. Built in 1901, it is a National Historic Landmark with everything a first-class traveler desires. The Pinehurst Resort offers world-class golf courses, tennis, spa or leisure time on their famous verandas.

Participants are responsible for making their hotel reservations directly with the hotel at 800-487-4653 or 910-235-8507. Rooms are available on a first come first serve basis. Please mention Carolinas HealthCare System to receive the special group rate.