



June 5 - 7, 2023

Presented by

Department of Neurology

Medical College of Georgia, Augusta University with
Division of Professional and Community Education

The Turtle Point Clubhouse, 1 Turtle Point Ln, Kiawah
Island, South Carolina

Purpose

To present updates for stroke prevention, acute stroke interventions, and management of acute stroke complications.

Objectives

At the completion of this course, participants should be able to:

- Guide the hospital management of stroke patients.
- Review the triage of acute stroke patients.
- Describe the roles of intravenous and intra-arterial therapies in acute stroke.
- Identify stroke patients who are likely to benefit from neurosurgical interventions.
- Optimize treatment for patients with intracranial atherosclerosis.
- Optimize secondary stroke prevention with medications and lifestyle changes.
- Discuss latest developments and ongoing clinical stroke research.

Credit

The Medical College of Georgia at Augusta University is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians and providers.

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits (**12.25 hours**), Non-Physician Credit For Attending An AMA PRA Category 1 Event (**12.25 hours**)

Target Audience

This symposium was designed to update all healthcare providers involved in the care of stroke patients (Emergency Physicians, Neurohospitalists, General Hospitalists, Primary Care Physicians, General Medicine Physicians, Advanced Care Providers, Nurses, Emergency Medical Personnel, and trainees).

Course Schedule

Monday, June 5, 2023

Emergency stroke management

- 7:15 am **Continental Breakfast**
- 7:45 am Welcome & Introduction – **Askiel Bruno, MD**
- 8:00 am On the way to the ED 2023 – **Askiel Bruno, MD**
- 8:30 am Stroke chameleons (disguised stroke) – **Fenwick T. Nichols, MD**
- 9:00 am Up to date acute stroke imaging – **Fenwick T. Nichols, MD**
- 9:30 am Noninvasive emergency management of acute ischemic stroke – **Mithilesh Siddu, MD**
- 10:15 am **15 mins Break**
- 10:30 am Which acute stroke patients can benefit from endovascular therapies – **Sami Al Kasab, MD**
- 11:15 pm Emergency management of intracerebral hemorrhage – **Manan Shah, MD**
- 12:00 pm Faculty Panel Q & A
- 12:15 pm **Adjourn**

Tuesday, June 6, 2023

Hospital stroke management

- 7:30 am **Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 am Acute stroke complications – **Manan Shah, MD**
- 8:45 am Deciding on decompressive craniectomy in large hemispheric infarctions – **John Vender, MD**
- 9:30 am Supportive care during stroke hospitalization (BP, BG, head of bed, DVT, dysphagia, antithrombotics) – **Dilip Singh, MD**
- 10:15 am **15 mins Break**
- 10:30 am Endovascular approaches to cerebral AVMs, aneurysms, and intracranial stenosis – **Kimberly Kicielinski, MD, MSPH**
- 11:15 am What is a sufficient stroke work up? – **Dilip Singh, MD**
- 12:00 pm Faculty Panel Q & A
- 12:15 pm **Adjourn**

Wednesday, June 7, 2023

Stroke prevention

- 7:30 am **Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 am Choosing antiplatelet therapy to prevent stroke – **Jeffrey A. Switzer, DO, MCTS**
- 8:45 am Cardioembolic stroke prevention: beyond medication – **Mithilesh Siddu, MD**
- 9:30 am What's new in rehabilitation after stroke? – **Jeffrey A. Switzer, DO, MCTS**
- 10:15 am **15 mins Break**
- 10:30 am Conditioning to protect against CVD – **David Hess, MD**
- 11:15 am Highlights from recent international and European stroke conferences – **Askiel Bruno, MD and David Hess, MD**
- 12:00 pm Faculty Panel Q & A
- 12:15 pm **Adjourn**

Course Faculty

- Askiel Bruno, MD** - Course Director, Professor of Neurology
- Sami Al Kasab, MD** - Assistant Professor of Neurology (MUSC)
- Dan-Victor Giurgiutiu, MD** - Co-director, Assistant Professor, Interventional and Vascular Neurology
- David C. Hess, MD** - Dean, Medical College of Georgia, Executive Vice President of Medical Affairs & Integration, Professor of Neurology
- Kimberly Kicielinski, MD, MSPH** - Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery (MUSC)
- Fenwick T. Nichols, MD, FACP, FAHA, FAAN** - Professor
- Manan Shah, MD** - Assistant Professor
- Mithilesh Siddu, MD** - Assistant Professor
- Dilip Singh, MD** - Assistant Professor
- Jeffrey A. Switzer, D.O. MCTS, FAHA, FAAN** - Professor and Chair of Neurology, Director, Comprehensive Stroke Center; Director, Telestroke and Teleneurology
- John R. Vender, MD** - Professor and Vice Chairman of Neurosurgery, Professor of Neurology, Otolaryngology, Anesthesia and Perioperative Medicine

Registration

In-Advance Daily Rates

Physician	\$470	\$200
Nurse Practitioner /Physician Assistant	\$365	\$159

Please register online via credit card at:



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For questions please call : 706-721-9090

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Location & Lodging



Since the course will be held in The Turtle Point Clubhouse, various villa accommodations have been reserved for course enrollees.

Daily Rates (Scenic View)

One-Bedroom Villa \$259

Two-Bedroom Villa \$399

Reservations: 800-654-2924

Please identify your group as **Augusta University Stroke**, and/or the group booking number **20080**.

Deposit

Each reservation must be guaranteed by a deposit equal to one night’s lodging (plus 12.5% tax) payable to the Kiawah Island Resort. The Kiawah Island Resort will confirm your reservation directly to you when your deposit is received. If the type of accommodation you request is sold out, the most appropriate lodging available will be reserved for you. Your deposit must be received within five days if not paid by major credit card. All rates are subject to 12.5% tax. Cancellations must be received 14 days prior to arrival date for refund of deposit.

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