



21st Annual Highlights of Recent Scientific Liver Meetings: Impact on Clinical Practice

Saturday, November 17, 2018

Chicago, Illinois
7:30 am - 1:30 pm
Northwestern Memorial Hospital
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New information on the diagnosis and management of patients with liver disease is being gathered at an accelerating rate. It is difficult for the busy practitioner to separate the novel but unproven idea from information that has a direct impact on daily practice. The hepatitis C epidemic is an example of such conflicting demands, with the physician called to address the immediate needs of patient care while extensive new information is being constantly generated.

This educational program is focused toward healthcare professionals involved in the care of patients with liver disease. In a five-hour session, important information presented at the recent meeting of the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases will be reviewed. Nine areas of clinical hepatology will be covered and potential changes in patient management will be discussed. Our guest speaker, **Paul Kwo, MD, Professor of Medicine at Stanford University Medical Center**, will join the informal and interactive discussion.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

After attending this educational activity, participants should be able to:

- 1) Review common causes of cirrhosis, including hepatitis B, hepatitis C and primary biliary cholangitis.
- 2) Describe the newest treatment options for cirrhosis.
- 3) Explain the spectrum of acute liver failure and the selection of patients for transplantation or medical treatment alone.
- 4) Discuss the current status of liver transplantation, with attention to new immunosuppressives and the place of living donor liver transplantation.

For more information, please contact Sarah Baggs, Continuing Medical Education Administrator at Northwestern Memorial HealthCare, at sbaggs@nm.org.

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7:30 am	Continental Breakfast and Registration
7:55 am	Welcome <i>Alfred L. Baker, MD</i>
8:00 am	Hepatitis B <i>Josh A. Levitsky, MD</i>
8:20 am	Hepatocellular Carcinoma <i>Laura M. Kulik, MD</i>
8:45 am	NASH <i>Mary E. Rinella, MD</i>
9:10 am	Complications of Cirrhosis <i>Christopher M. Moore, MD</i>
9:25 am	Alcoholic Liver Disease <i>Haripriya Maddur, MD</i>
9:45 am	Refreshment Break
10:05 am	Managing Fulminant Hepatic Failure <i>Daniel R. Ganger, MD</i>
10:25 am	Cholestatic Liver Disease <i>Richard M. Green, MD</i>
10:45 am	Transplantation <i>Michael M. Abecassis, MD, MBA</i>
11:05 am	Emerging Developments in Hepatology <i>Paul Kwo, MD</i>
11:50 am	Case Presentations by Conference Participants Northwestern Faculty and General Discussion - Working Lunch
12:35 pm	Current Management of Hepatitis C <i>Steven L. Flamm, MD</i>
1:15 pm	Closing Comments and Adjournment

Program Course Director

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Program Location

The program will be held in Northwestern Memorial's Feinberg Pavilion, 251 E. Huron Street, Third Floor, Pritzker Auditorium, Chicago.

Directions and Parking

Please visit our website at nm.org for directions to the conference. We offer discounted parking in the garage just north of the hospital at 222 E. Huron Street.

Hotel Accommodations

To make a hotel reservation, please visit nm.org here to find the list of participating hotels who offer a Northwestern discount. We recommend you make your reservations as soon as possible to ensure accommodations.

Audience

The content of the program is appropriate for gastroenterologists, hepatologists and other healthcare providers caring for patients with liver disease.

Registration Fee

The fee is \$40 for attending physicians and is waived for trainees, nurses and other healthcare professionals. Continental breakfast, refreshments and a light lunch are provided. Space is limited. No refunds will be issued after **November 6**.

Registration Procedure

To register online, please visit northwestern.cloud-cme.com. If paying with check, please mail your check, made payable to **Northwestern Memorial Hospital (CME)**, to the address listed below, prior to **November 6**.

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Registration Form

Registration Category

Physician: ☐ \$40
Trainee, Nurse, or Other HCP: ☐ \$0

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