Shands at the University of Florida Stroke Program

Shands at UF is designated as a Comprehensive Stroke Center by the Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA). Our program is the only one in north central Florida with that designation which identifies Shands at UF as a hospital actively participating in the full spectrum of state-of-the-art stroke care and research. It encompasses not only leading-edge technologies and therapeutics for acute stroke patients, but also system-wide initiatives on stroke prevention, rehabilitation, education, community awareness and clinical and basic science research. At Shands at UF, we offer a comprehensive multidisciplinary approach to care for stroke patients. The medical team of neurologists, neurointensivists, critical care specialists and neuromusicians collaborate to provide patient-centric care.

The Shands at UF Stroke Program has been recognized by these health care industry leaders:

- The American Heart Association/ American Stroke Association honored the Shands at the University of Florida Stroke Program with its Get with the Guidelines Stroke Gold Performance Award in 2010, 2011 and The Gold Plus Award in 2012.
- Target: Stroke Honor Roll (an elevated level of distinction). Only current Get With The Guidelines Stroke Achievement Award-winning hospitals are eligible for this honor.
- The Agency of Healthcare Administration has accredited Shands at UF as a Comprehensive Stroke Center, meeting the criteria of the Joint Commission.
- The University of Florida Department of Neurosurgery is home to one of just two neurosurgical endovascular fellowships approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education in the country.
- The University of Florida Department of Neurology and the Shands at UF Stroke Program offer two ACGME accredited fellowships in cerebrovascular disease. Fellow receive intensive clinical training in ischemic and hemorrhagic cerebrovascular disease and have opportunities in clinical, translational, basic science research, neurointensive care, neuroimaging and neurorehabilitation.

Register Early!
Space is Limited
http://stroke.cme.ufl.edu
CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION
This CME program is designed to improve the knowledge, competence and performance of healthcare providers engaged in the care of patients with cerebrovascular diseases. The goal of the program is to reduce the gap between current evidence and existing practice in stroke care as well as review the most recent clinical trials that impact patient care algorithms and practices. This conference will focus on science, technology and practical applications in order to equip participants with the tools needed to deliver high quality, evidence-based, patient centered stroke care. Speakers include internationally recognized stroke experts offering specialized topics that cover stroke care across the continuum. Topics include pre-hospital and ED assessment, acute stroke care, neuro-imaging and endovascular therapies, intracranial and subarachnoid hemorrhages, nursing and interdisciplinary stroke care. Further specialized topics include neurocritical care and the seven major risk factors for heart disease and stroke.

TARGET AUDIENCE
This program is intended for adult neurologists, neurosurgeons, neurointerventionalists, neuroradiologists, interventional radiologists, emergency medicine specialists, primary care physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, rehabilitation specialists, physical, occupational and speech therapists, respiratory therapists, radiology technologists, case managers, social workers, pharmacists and researchers in the field of cerebrovascular function and disease.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
Upon conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:
• Identify stroke-prone individuals and discuss current and emerging approaches to stroke prevention
• Discuss current status and future directions in treatment of the neurocritical care patient
• Identify best practices in stroke care in pre-hospital, acute care and post acute care setting
• Apply the key concepts that guide acute stroke interventions, including early recognition and determination of eligibility for the administration of intravenous t-PA in acute ischemic stroke
• Discuss how endovascular treatment approaches lead the way in comprehensive stroke care
• Analyze the beneficial impact of utilizing neuro-imaging to detect the stroke lesion, size of infarct and ischemic penumbra
• Recognize the indications for treatment of intracranial aneurysms and examine available neuroendovascular therapeutic options
• Understand the role of rehabilitation in optimizing post-stroke recovery
• Discuss the pivotal role that nurses play in all phases of the interdisciplinary care of stroke patients
• Discuss the benefits of surgical ablation for atrial fibrillation utilizing the Mini Maze procedure
• Evaluate the data and outcomes of clinical trials and the impact on treatment options for stroke patients

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It’s Time To Peak: Translating Evidence and Excellence in Stroke Care

AGENDA

Friday, May 10, 2013
(2.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™)

2 – 3 p.m. 
Shuttle pick up at the Hilton, Registration at MBII for those attending Dr. Vespa’s presentation

3 – 4 p.m. 
The Development of Neurocritical Care: Current Status & Future Directions
Paul M. Vespa, MD, FCCM, FAAN – UCLA School of Medicine
Located at the Evelyn F. and William L. McKeirn Brain Institute, DeWeese Auditorium

4 – 5 p.m. 
Shuttle (on rotation) back to The Hilton University of Florida Conference Center

5 – 6 p.m. 
Registration and reception at the Hilton University of Florida Conference Center

6 – 6:15 p.m. 
Welcome & Objectives Overview
Michael Waters, MD, PhD – University of Florida

6:15 – 7 p.m. 
Dinner

7 – 8 p.m. 
Advancing Approaches for Stroke Prevention
RalphL. Sacco, MD, MS, FAHA, FAAN – University of Miami

8 – 8:15 p.m. 
Q & A and Closing Remarks

Saturday, May 11, 2013
(7 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™)

7:15 – 7:50 a.m. 
Registration, Breakfast & Exhibits

7:50 – 7:55 a.m. 
Program Announcements
Brenda Forrest, BSN, RN-BC – Shands Healthcare

7:55 – 8 a.m. 
Welcome & Introductions
Bayard Miller, MD – University of Florida

8 – 8:40 a.m. 
Pre-Hospital Care & ED Assessment of the Acute Stroke Patient
David Meurer, MD – University of Florida

8:45 – 9:30 a.m. 
Acute Stroke Care Algorithms: What Not to Forget
Michael Waters, MD, PhD – University of Florida

9:30 – 10:15 a.m. 
Acute Neuro-Imaging: Use of CTA, MR to Detect the Stroke Lesion, Vascular Anatomy & Ischemic Penumbra in AIS
Keith Peters, MD – University of Florida

10:15 – 10:45 a.m. 
Break & Exhibits

10:45 – 11:30 a.m. 
Endovascular & Surgical Approach to the Management of Aneurysmal Subarachnoid Hemorrhage
Brian Yeh, MD, FAIC, FAHA, FAANS – University of Florida

11:30 – 12:30 p.m. 
Comprehensive Overview of Nursing & Interdisciplinary Care of the Acute Stroke Patient
Debilee Summers, MSA, ACNS-BC, BSN – St. Luke’s Brain and Stroke Institute

12:30 – 1:15 p.m. 
Lunch & Exhibits

1:15 – 2 p.m. 
State–of–the–Art Endovascular Therapies: Leading the Way in Comprehensive Stroke Care
Spran Blackburn, MD – University of Florida

2 – 3 p.m. 
Rehabilitation & Recovery After Stroke
David Alexander, MD – University of California, Los Angeles

3 – 3:45 p.m. 
Update on Clinical Trials from the International Stroke Conference and UF
Michael F. Waters, MD, PhD – University of Florida

3 – 3:05 p.m. 
Endovascular Trial Update
Michael F. Waters, MD, PhD – University of Florida

3:05 – 3:20 p.m. 
Atrial Fibrillation: Mini Maze Trial / Thoracoscopic Atrial Appendage Closure
Thomas M. Bower, MD – University of Florida

3:20 – 3:35 p.m. 
POVIT / RIS / TICTUS / SAMMPRIS Trials: Where Are We?
Anna Khanna, MD – University of Florida

3:35 – 3:45 p.m. 
Vasopressin Receptor Antagonism in Stroke
V. Shushrutha Hedna, MD – University of Florida

3:45 – 4 p.m. 
Closing Remarks / Evaluation
Michael Waters, MD, PhD – University of Florida

4 p.m. 
Adjourn

CME Information:
Accreditation: The University of Florida College of Medicine is accredited by the University of Florida College of Medicine to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit: Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Continuing Education Information for Nurses, Pharmacists, Rehabilitation Specialists and Social Workers:
Accreditation: Shands HealthCare is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Georgia Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Approved provider status does not imply endorsement by the provider, ANCC, GNA, or any products displayed in conjunction with this activity.

Credit: This activity has been granted 1.5 continuing nursing education contact hours on Day One and 6 continuing nursing education contact hours on Day Two.

Continuing Education Information for Radiologic Technologists:
Accreditation: Shands HealthCare is an approved provider of continuing Radiologic Technology education by the State of Florida Department of Health.

Credit: This activity has been approved for 1.5 category A Radiology Technology CEUs by the FL DOH and AIRM on Day One and 6 credits on Day Two.
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Registration fees include CME / CE credits, course materials and the following meals: Friday dinner; Saturday breakfast and lunch

REGISTRATION FEES:

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For further information, please call the UF CME Office at 352-733-0064.

Refund Policy: Written refund requests must be received prior to April 29, 2013. A partial refund, less a $25 administrative charge, will be issued following the meeting. Substitutions are allowed with advance notice. No refunds will be given after the April 29, 2013 deadline.

We encourage participation by all individuals. If you have a disability, advance notification of any special needs will help us better serve you.

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If you are interested in becoming a supporter of this program by either an educational grant or an exhibit, please contact Melissa Smith, CME Coordinator at melissaann.smith@ufl.edu.

Directions:
- When traveling on I-75 Northbound (from Tampa or Orlando), take exit 384A. Turn right onto Archer Road and follow to SW 34th Street. Turn left on SW 34th Street, hotel is two blocks down on the right. When traveling on I-75 Southbound (from Jacksonville or Georgia), take exit 384B. Turn left onto Archer Road and follow to SW 34th Street. Turn left on SW 34th Street, hotel is three blocks down on the left.

Reservation Information: A block of rooms has been reserved for this conference at a special rate of $159/night for single/doubles, plus sales tax. These rooms will be held until April 10, 2013. To reserve your room, please call the Hilton directly at 352-371-3600 or Toll Free at 1-800-HILTONS and reference the UF Stroke Conference.

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