

ESSENTIALS OF IMAGING ON LANAI: From the Head to the Toe

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Statement of Need

There are many recent technological advances in imaging techniques which can be applied in current clinical practice. Maintenance of certification requires continued review of essential imaging techniques in all areas of radiology, including body, chest, cardiac, vascular, musculoskeletal, and neuro imaging.

Target Audience

Clinical radiologists in academic or private practice.

Description

This course was designed to demonstrate a practical approach to image interpretation. The lectures are intended to show how clinical and imaging data can be used together to narrow a differential diagnosis and aid in patient care. The course will cover topics in body, chest, cardiac, vascular, musculoskeletal, and neuro imaging. Lectures will focus on a sensible approach to imaging equipment utilization to answer a particular clinical question. The appropriate utilization of US, CT, and MR imaging will be stressed in order to optimize patient care. Optimization of imaging techniques to obtain data will be reviewed in each lecture. Focused differential diagnosis will be stressed. Lecture material is based on expert consensus opinion, review of current literature, and pathologically proven case material. At the end of the course, the participant should be able to utilize this information to improve their clinical practice.

Educational Objectives

Given patients who present with extremity impingement syndromes, elbow or ankle pain, more effectively diagnose the disorders based on state-of-the-art MR imaging applications and protocols.

Based on advances in cardiac CT imaging, you will recognize the principles and techniques involved in acquiring an optimized cardiac CT angiography data set.

Using the latest MDCT scanning methodology, you will more effectively detect colorectal polyps and understand the utility and potential limitations of virtual colonoscopy relative to optical colonoscopy.

Based on current imaging techniques, literature and clinical guidelines, you will identify the optimal methodologies for evaluating a variety of pulmonary nodules, and apply this new knowledge to enhance your clinical practice.

Based on the latest imaging protocols, review the fundamentals of neuroimaging of the brain, spine and head & neck for more accurate diagnoses and optimal patient

Accreditation Statement

The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation

The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School designates this educational activity for a maximum of 18 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*.™ Physicians should only claim

credits commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Monday, February 4	4.75 Credits
Tuesday, February 5	4.75 Credits
Wednesday, February 6	Free Day
Thursday, February 7	4.50 Credits
Friday, February 8	4 Credits
Total	18 Credits

Disclosure Statement

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Registration Information

The tuition for this four-day course is \$925; \$650 for residents/fellows/NYU alumni/retirees/V.A. employees, Canadians and physicians who do not permanently reside in the U.S. On-line registration is the easiest way to enroll but we encourage you to book your hotel and airline reservations first. Fees include course materials, breakfast and breaks for registrants, a welcome reception on Sunday evening. Please be sure to print your confirmation/receipt when booking on-line and please include your e-mail address as we send out information one week prior to a conference with final and important details concerning the trip and meeting.

Cancellations

If you need to cancel your enrollment, you will need to send written notification via e-mail 30 or more days in advance. Your tuition will be refunded minus a \$75 service fee. For last-minute cancellations (less than 30 days,) no refunds will be possible.

Special Needs

The Post-Graduate Medical School of the New York University School of Medicine, in compliance with the legal requirements of the Americans Disabilities Act, requests that any participant of this CME course, who is in need of accommodation, submit written requests to our office at least one month prior to the course date.

Dietary Restrictions

Please indicate any dietary restrictions on the registration form or when you register on-line.

Special Topics/Questions

If there is a specific topic or question that would help fulfill your educational needs, please submit it on the registration form or on-line form.