Clinical Management of Orthopaedic Injuries
presenting to the Emergency Department

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The Post-Graduate Medical School of the New York University School of Medicine is committed to improving patient care through continuing medical education.

Target Audience
This course is designed for Physicians, Nurses and Advanced Practice Professionals currently working in the fields of Emergency Medicine and Orthopaedic Surgery.

Course Description
This seminar represents the second academic effort between the Departments of Emergency Medicine and Orthopaedic Surgery. The course will take place during one full day and its content will reflect common, current management issues and will utilize a literature-based approach to provide support for rational, clinical decision making. The course was delivered for the first time last year and was widely received with over 140 participants. The course will be taught by faculty members from both Departments and it will be geared toward practicing physicians, nurses, and physician assistants in community emergency departments. It is anticipated that the course will be highly informative, evidence-based and offer a forum for an enlightening discussion on disparities in the management of common orthopaedic injuries.

Educational Objectives
• Based on the latest tools available for the diagnosis and treatment of patients presenting in the ER with orthopaedic injuries, you will apply this knowledge to your practice.
• After reviewing the literature and comparing/contrasting best practices, you will formulate a patient-driven plan that is non-controversial.
• Given the ER environment, you will differentiate emergent orthopaedic injuries from less emergent ones, and provide appropriate treatment or referrals.