

The Department of Radiology Presents:

NYU Virtual Colonoscopy Workshop

*Very Limited
Enrollment*

• The Benjamin Hotel • New York, NY
November 12-13, 2010 (Friday–Saturday)

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General Information

Purpose Statement

The current role of virtual colonoscopy as related to colon imaging is significant to radiologists interested in developing and implementing virtual colonoscopy into their practices. This workshop has been designed to demonstrate and teach “hands-on” techniques that will enable the participant to detect colorectal polyps at Virtual Colonoscopy in an effort to better screen patients.

Target Audience

Virtual Colonoscopy workshops have been designed for radiologists both in private practice and academic centers.

Description

This one and one-half day workshop has been designed to review current aspects of colon cancer and colon cancer screening. The format for this course is hands-on training using workstations loaded with 50 “endoscopically proven” data sets, chosen to include a mix of normals, abnormals and pitfalls. In addition to the hands-on experience, didactic lectures are included on patient preparation, data acquisition, current screening techniques, and how Virtual Colonoscopy fits in with overall patient management. The workshop will address the value and potential limitations of using virtual colonoscopy, as compared to routine colonoscopy in order to more effectively detect colorectal polyps.

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Educational Objectives

- Create strategies to select colon screening procedures based on the utility and potential limitations of virtual colonoscopy, as compared to routine colonoscopy for effective detection of colorectal polyps.
- Incorporate patient safety concerns when utilizing virtual colonoscopy, including Bowel Preparation and Bowel Distension with CO₂.
- Evaluate the colon through hands-on experience at the workstation and review of the most up-to-date screening methods, including dose issues, fecal tagging, and reporting.

Tuition Fees

The course tuition fee for this workshop is **\$2000** per attendee and includes two breakfasts, one lunch and breaks, in addition to the educational program. Each attendee will have one workstation and the class-size is extremely limited to ensure maximum learning. A discounted fee of **\$1600** per attendee is available for residents, fellows, NYU alumni, V.A., overseas physicians including Canada, military, and retirees.

Registration

You may register online by visiting our website: www.radcme.nyu.edu

Accreditation Statement

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

Credit Designation

The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School designates this educational activity for a maximum of 11.5 *AMA PRA Category I Credits™*. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Cancellation Information

If you cancel your enrollment and we are able to fill your place with another physician, you will only be charged a \$75 administrative fee. However, if you cancel and we cannot re-book your place, you will be charged a \$1000 cancellation fee. This is a high cancellation penalty due to the popularity of this topic and the limited number of enrollees possible.

Disclosure Statement

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Virtual Colonoscopy Program Information

Friday, November 12th

7:45 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30 am	RATIONALE FOR COLORECTAL SCREENING AND CURRENT OPTIONS
9:00 am	REVIEW OF UNKNOWN CASES
10:15 am	Coffee Break
10:25 am	PREPARATION, DATA ACQUISITION, INTERPRETATION
11:30 am	REVIEW OF UNKNOWN CASES
12:30 pm	Lunch (included with tuition)
1:30 pm	REVIEW OF UNKNOWN CASES

3:15 pm

Coffee Break

3:25 pm

REVIEW OF UNKNOWN CASES

5:45 pm

Conclusion of Day One

Saturday, November 13th

7:45 am

Continental Breakfast

8:15 am

CURRENT ROLE OF VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY

9:00 am

REVIEW OF UNKNOWN CASES

10:15 am

Coffee Break

10:25 am

FINAL QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

12:30 pm

Program Adjournment

Hotel Information

The Benjamin Hotel
125 East 50th Street
New York, NY
www.thebenjamin.com

We have selected the Benjamin hotel for this workshop in New York City. Located in Midtown Manhattan, The Benjamin stands alone among other New York luxury hotels. Enter the front doors of this 1927 building and step into the lobby. Restored to its original grandeur, The Benjamin caters to the discerning Manhattan travelers seeking hotel rooms and suites. With exquisite boutique styling, this luxurious hotel in Manhattan is located on the corner of East 50th and Lexington Ave. Designed to help its guests work and relax, The Benjamin offers the finest amenities and a world of services that is hard to replicate by other leading hotels.

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Nightly Rates

- \$329 per night for a Superior Guest Room

Hotel Reservations

For Reservations, please call 866-222-2365 and mention that you are with the NYU Virtual Colonoscopy Workshop. It is important that hotel reservations are made no later than Thursday, October 21st.

Special Needs

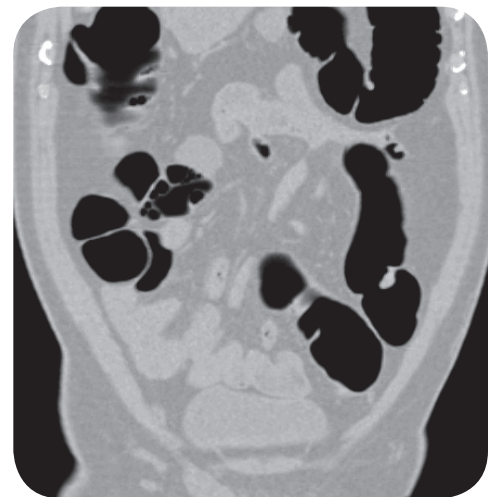
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Dietary Restrictions

Please indicate any dietary restrictions on the registration form.

Special Topics/Questions

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



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