

# NYU Clinical Neurology Update

Contemporary  
Answers to What,  
When and How

Provided by the NYU Post-Graduate Medical School

**Thursday–Friday**  
**December 17–18, 2015**  
**New York, NY**

## **LOCATION**

NYU Langone Medical Center  
550 First Avenue  
Alumni Hall, Farkas Auditorium  
New York, NY 10016

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### COURSE DESCRIPTION

This comprehensive, two-day course will provide the most complete update available for clinical neurology across four key subspecialties. Both established and emerging therapies and diagnostic approaches will be addressed by the expert lecturers and panelists/discussants in this course. Areas not covered by many other neurology courses, including neuro-ICU, sports neurology and simulation technologies will be focused on in-depth by the diverse and knowledgeable course faculty from the rapidly growing NYU School of Medicine Department of Neurology.

### TARGET AUDIENCE

Neurologists; specialists in related fields such as internal medicine, pediatrics, rehabilitation medicine, psychiatry, neurosurgery and radiology; and health care professionals from all backgrounds involved in the diagnosis and management of neurological disease (nurses, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, physical/occupational therapists, athletic trainers, optometrists)

### 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 STATEMENT

The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School designates this live activity for a maximum of 13.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

- Plenary Session: 12.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*
- Optional NYSIM Center Sessions: 1.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*

### DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School adheres to ACCME accreditation requirements and policies, including the Standards for Commercial Support regarding industry support of continuing medical education. In order to resolve any identified conflicts of interest, disclosure information is provided during the planning process to ensure resolution of any identified conflicts. Disclosure of faculty and commercial relationships, as well as the discussion of unlabeled or unapproved use of any drug, device or procedure by the faculty, will be fully noted at the meeting.

### COURSE FEES

**Full Fee:** \$450

**Reduced Fee\*:** \$250

**NYU Langone Faculty and Staff:** \$200  
(must provide valid NYU Langone ID)

*\*Reduced fee applies to NYU School of Medicine alumni, former residents and fellows; physicians employed by the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center; full-time active military personnel; nurse practitioners; retired physicians; and all other non-physician healthcare professionals.*

### REGISTRATION

Register online at:

[www.med.nyu.edu/cme/neurology](http://www.med.nyu.edu/cme/neurology)

After 12 pm on December 16, 2014, only onsite registration is available, provided the course has not reached capacity. Onsite registrants will incur an additional \$20 charge and will receive a receipt by email in 1–2 weeks. Registration is non-transferable.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at 212-263-5295 or [cme@nyumc.org](mailto:cme@nyumc.org).

### REFUND POLICY

In order to request a refund, you must email [maria.mercado@nyumc.org](mailto:maria.mercado@nyumc.org) no later than 14 days prior to the first day of the course. An administrative fee of \$75 will be deducted from your refund. Cancellations or no-shows after this date are not eligible for a refund.

REGISTER ONLINE

Visit our secure website to submit online registration

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## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2015

7:30 am Registration and  
Continental Breakfast

### Neuro-Ophthalmology

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- 8:00 **What Distinguishes the Optic Neuropathies?**  
Floyd A. Warren, MD
- 8:30 **Why is Vision Important in Concussion? Anatomical and Physiological Considerations**  
Steven L. Galetta, MD
- 9:00 **Emergency Room Neuro-Ophthalmology: Where We Should Worry**  
Janet Rucker, MD
- 9:30 **Why Vision is Important to MS: Where Structure Meets Function**  
Laura J. Balcer, MD, MSCE
- 10:00 **Coffee Break**
- 10:30 **Cases in Neuro-Ophthalmology: What Should Not Be Missed**  
Faculty
- 11:30 **Question and Answer Session with Faculty**
- 11:45 **Lunch (on your own)**

### Multiple Sclerosis (MS)

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- 1:00 pm **What MS Therapies Should I Start?**  
Jonathan Howard, MD
- 1:30 **When Do I Consider Change in MS Therapy and What is NEDA?**  
Lana Zhovtis-Ryerson, MD
- 2:00 **When Can I Stop My MS Medications, and By the Way, Do I Have NMO?**  
Ilya Kister, MD
- 2:30 **What About Symptomatic Therapies?**  
Lauren B. Krupp, MD
- 3:00 **Coffee Break**
- 3:30 **Case Studies in MS: Treatment Decisions and Differential Diagnosis**  
R. Erik Charlson, MD
- 4:15 **Question and Answer Session with Faculty**
- 4:30 pm **Adjourn**
- 5:00 pm **Optional NYSIM Center Sessions**  
**Choose One:**
- 1. Neuro-Ophthalmology Skills Transfer**  
Janet Rucker, MD  
Laura J. Balcer, MD, MSCE  
Steven L. Galetta, MD  
Clotilde Hainline, MD  
Floyd A. Warren, MD
- 2. Practical Approach to EEG in the Critically Ill Patient**  
Daniel Friedman, MD  
Jacqueline A. French, MD

### 3. Management of Acute Stroke and Intracerebral Hemorrhage

Aaron Lord, MD  
Barry Czeisler, MD  
Koto Ishida, MD

### 4. MRI/CT Jeopardy

Jonathan Howard, MD

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2015

7:30 am Registration and  
Continental Breakfast

### Epilepsy

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- 8:00 **What is the Story With Marijuana Use and its Derivatives in the Treatment of Epilepsy?**  
Orrin Devinsky, MD
- 8:20 **Emerging Treatments for Epilepsy: When to Start Therapy?**  
Jacqueline A. French, MD
- 8:40 **What to Do About Treatment-Resistant Epilepsy?**  
Patricia C. Dugan, MD
- 9:00 **How Do Psychiatric Co-Morbidities Affect Epilepsy and Its Treatment?**  
Siddhartha S. Nadkarni, MD
- 9:20 **Key Sleep Disorders to Recognize in Neurology**  
Sanjeev V. Kothare, MD
- 9:40 **Coffee Break**
- 10:10 **Cases in Epilepsy**  
Anuradha Singh, MD
- 11:10 **Question and Answer Session with Faculty**
- 11:45 **Lunch (on your own)**

### Stroke and Neuro-Intensive Care

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- 1:00 pm **How New Therapies Have Affected the Treatment of Stroke**  
Koto Ishida, MD
- 1:20 **What is the Role of the Interventionalist in Acute Stroke?**  
Tibor Becske, MD and  
Howard A. Riina, MD
- 1:40 **Contemporary Management of Subarachnoid and Other Non-Operative Intracranial Hemorrhages**  
Aaron S. Lord, MD
- 2:00 **Outpatient Management of Stroke**  
Albert S. Favate, MD
- 2:20 **Medical vs. Surgical Treatment of Carotid Artery Disease**  
Jose Torres, MD
- 2:40 **Coffee Break**
- 3:10 **Case Studies in Stroke and Neuro-ICU**  
Faculty
- 3:45 **Question and Answer Session with Faculty**
- 4:00 pm **Adjourn**

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