



Neuroscience Lecture Series
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Methodist Rehabilitation Center – 2nd Floor Conference Room

Update on Pain Management

Agenda

11:45 Registration
12:00 Lecture
1:30 Evaluation & Adjourn

General Description:

This session will focus on advances in the management of neuropathic pain conditions with a concentration in pain due to diabetic neuropathy and phantom limb pain secondary to amputation.

Objectives

At the conclusion of the lecture, participants should be better able to:

1. Discuss the definition of and distinction between nociceptive and neuropathic pain
2. Describe the current understanding of varying subsets of neuropathic pain mechanisms
3. Discuss pain issues specific to diabetic neuropathy
4. Discuss pain issues specific to limb amputation

Bruce Hirshman, DO completed his medical education at Michigan State University in 1979. Hirshman completed an internship at Riverside Osteopathic Hospital in Trenton, Michigan, a residency in anesthesiology at the University of South Florida College of Medicine in Tampa and a fellowship in pain management at the University of Michigan School of Medicine in 1988. He is certified in anesthesiology, pain management, family medicine and neuromusculoskeletal and osteopathic manipulative medicine. His clinical practice has emphasized pain management in locations in Michigan and Florida. Hirshman has lectured at a variety of functions on topics related to pain management.

Kevin M. Young, MD completed his medical degree at the University of Mississippi School of Medicine in 2004; he followed this with a family medicine residency at the University of Mississippi Medical Center which he completed in 2007. Young has opened a private practice, Flowood Family Medicine Clinic and serves as the medical director for Methodist Specialty Care Center. Prior to entering medical school, Young's academic interests included electrical engineering and physics; he brings this investigative talent to his practice of medicine.

Chris Wallace, BS, CPO, FAAOP received his B.S. in Prosthetics and Orthotics from the University of Texas, Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas, School of Allied Health Sciences in 1991. In addition to certification in orthotics and prosthetics, Wallace maintains multiple technical certifications in his field. He is currently director of the MRC prosthetic and orthotics department and maintains an active clinical practice. He is active in research projects in collaboration with MDRS and USM.

Continuing Education Credit

Satisfactory completion of this activity requires a minimum attendance at 90% of the lecture and completion of an activity assessment and self assessment of achievement of learning objectives. Satisfactory completion of the activity is required for continuing education credit to be awarded.

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Accommodations: In accordance with the ADA requirements, if you are disabled and require special services, contact our office at least one week prior to the date of the presentation.

Tuition: \$25 **To register contact:** Lisa Nichols at 364-3550 or e-mail lnichols@mrrcrehab.org