

27th Annual

Current Concepts & Controversies in Surgery

Stowe Mountain Lodge
An Epic Pass Resort!
January 29-31, 2018



**12 Self-
Assessment /
Category 1
Credits**



The University of Vermont
LARNER COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This conference is designed to present current clinical management issues in surgical patients for the general surgeon in practice, primary care physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners and other health care professionals in the field.

OBJECTIVES

Following this conference, participants attending this course should be able to:

1. Describe special considerations for the perioperative care of elderly patients.
2. Describe the surgeon's role in mass disaster planning.
3. Describe the evaluation and management of patients with retroperitoneal sarcomas.
4. Describe techniques for assessing volume status in acutely ill surgical patients.
5. Describe management options for patients with giant hiatal hernias.

OPTIONAL WORKSHOP High-Stakes Behavior Management: De-escalating Difficult Situations

We all face difficult situations with patients and/or their families. Our patients often face disappointment, fear, pain and loss — and we are challenged by their strong emotions as well as our own. Patient-Family dynamics can make it very challenging to provide robust health care while still attending to the patient-provider relationship. Complex systems and patients' chronic health issues add to the stress.



This workshop is a collaboration between the UVMHC Department of Surgery and the University of Vermont Clinical Simulation Laboratory.

ACCREDITATION

In support of improving patient care, The Robert Larner, M.D. College of Medicine at the University of Vermont is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.



The University of Vermont designates this live activity for a maximum of 12 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*TM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This program has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 12 Nursing Contact Hours.

NOTE: To obtain 12 credits / contact hours, you must sign up for the optional workshop. The main conference will be awarded 10 credits.

A self-assessment exam will be given to allow the opportunity to earn 12 credits toward fulfilling Part 2 of the ABS MOC program.

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Monday, January 29

Morning Session

- 7:00 **Registration, Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants**
- 7:30 **Colon Surgery: What Do Patients Really Want?**
Peter Cataldo, MD
- 8:00 **Perioperative Care in the Elderly Patient**
Krista Evans, MD
- 8:30 **Colonoscopy and Colon Cancer Screening -- Best Practices**
Jesse Moore, MD
- 9:00 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 9:30 **Adjourn for Recreation**

Free Optional Session

(Limited to 20 participants)

- 1:30-3:30pm **High-Stakes Behavior Management: De-escalating Difficult Situations**
Patrick Zimmerman, DO

Afternoon Session

- 4:00 **Refreshments & Exhibits**
- 4:30 **Current Management of Traumatic Extremity Fractures and Their Complications**
Tim Hsin-An Lee, MD
- 5:00 **The Surgeon's Role in Disaster and Mass Casualty Management**
Loïc Fabricant, MD
- 5:30 **Acute Care Surgery in Iraq**
Gino Trevisani, MD
- 6:00 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 6:30 **Adjourn**
- 7:00 **Reception for Participants and Families**

Tuesday, January 30

Morning Session

- 7:00 **Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants**
- 7:30 **Diagnosis and Management of Retroperitoneal Sarcomas**
Seth Harlow, MD
- 8:00 **Evolving Management of Melanoma**
Jessica Cintolo-Gonzalez, MD
- 8:30 **Male Breast Masses: An Overview of Gynecomastia and Male Breast Cancer**
Michelle Sowden, DO
- 9:00 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 9:30 **Adjourn for Recreation**

Afternoon Session

- 4:00 **Refreshments & Exhibits**
- 4:30 **PI: Performance Improvement or "Pain In..."**
Ajai K. Malhotra, MD, FACS
- 5:00 **Too Wet or Too Dry**
William Charash, MD, PhD
- 5:30 **The Surgeon's Guide to Nonoperative Management of Acute Appendicitis**
Alia Aunchman, MD
- 6:00 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 6:30 **Adjourn**

Wednesday, January 31

- 7:00 **Exhibits & Continental Breakfast for Participants**
- 7:30 **Surgical Approach to the Giant Hiatal Hernia**
Edward Borrazzo, MD
- 8:00 **Bile Duct Injuries: The Way the Patient Will Never Forget Your Name**
Jaime Pineda, MD
- 8:30 **The Aging Surgeon - Knowing When to Retire**
James Hebert, MD, FACS
- 9:00 **Question and Answer Session with Panelists**
- 9:30 **Conference Adjourns**

HOTEL INFORMATION

A block of beautifully appointed rooms has been reserved at the Stowe Mountain Lodge. Please call the Lodge by **December 26** (888-478-6938 or 802-760-4755) and indicate your participation in this course to obtain our discounted rates: \$309 plus 10% state and local tax, single or double occupancy, for studio accommodations. There is a \$10 daily parking charge. **Room rates cannot be guaranteed after December 26. To ensure room choice and availability, it is recommended that you make your room reservations as soon as possible.**

TRANSPORTATION

By Car: Follow I-89 in Vermont to Exit 10, Waterbury/Stowe. Follow Route 100 North for approximately 11 miles. Turn left at the flashing red light in the village of Stowe onto Route 108 (Mountain Road). The Stowe Mountain Lodge will be located approximately 7.6 miles further on the right-hand side.

By Air: Burlington International Airport at Burlington, Vermont (only 45 minutes to Stowe) is served by several major airlines. Consult your travel agent or airline reservation desk for information.

Stowe Mountain is now EPIC!

Stowe is now part of the Vail Resorts family. EPIC passholders can ski Stowe at no extra charge!

If you prefer a more limited pass, a **single all-purpose voucher** will provide a discount (approximately 25%) for each person who plans to ski (Nordic or Alpine) or ride, rent equipment, take a lesson and/or participate in any of the children's lesson programs. Only one voucher is needed per person, regardless of how it is to be used. For more Stowe information: www.gostowe.com

Stowe's interconnected **cross-country ski centers** provide one of the largest, most diverse trail systems in the United States. More than 150km of groomed and 100km of back-country trails criss-cross Stowe's landscape.

CONFERENCE SYLLABUS

The conference syllabus will be available for download electronically (no extra charge). A flash drive with pdf versions of the talks (\$15) is also available. **Printed syllabi will not be available.** Please bring your laptop to view the electronic or flash drive presentations.

REGISTRATION & CANCELLATION

Breakfasts, coffee breaks and reception are included. Refunds, less a \$75 administrative fee, are available if cancellation is made by January 2, 2018. No refunds are possible after that date.

CURRENT CONCEPTS & CONTROVERSIES IN SURGERY

Or Register on-line: www.med.uvm.edu/cme

Name: (As it will appear on Nametag and Certificate)

Degree: ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ PA ☐ NP ☐ RN ☐ Other: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Specialty: _____

Email: _____

Registration Fee Summary:

☐ \$575 Physicians

☐ \$250 Residents*

☐ \$300 PA, Nurse, etc.

* **Verification Required.**

☐ No Charge for Download

☐ \$15 added for Flash Drive

☐ **Optional Workshop (Limited attendance)**

☐ **Late Fee:** After December 15, 2017 - Add: \$75

\$ _____ **TOTAL DUE**

Pre-Order Discount Ski Vouchers by January 23

Discount vouchers will be available at registration. Please indicate whether the vouchers are required prior to registration on January 29.

_____ # Needed (1/person)

☐ Needed Prior to January 29

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ To pay by credit card, please register on-line by visiting our website at: www.med.uvm.edu/cme

☐ To pay by check, payable to the University of Vermont, please mail your payment along with a completed registration form:

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