



## PRIMARY CARE CONFERENCES

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### **INTERNAL MEDICINE FOR PRIMARY CARE: CARDIOLOGY/ENDOCRINOLOGY/GYNECOLOGY**

**Las Vegas, Nevada – Bellagio Hotel and Casino  
April 9 – 11, 2021**

**Friday, April 9th:**

**7:00 am – 7:30 am**

**Registration and Hot Breakfast**

**7:30 am – 8:30 am – Gynecology**

**Abnormal Uterine Bleeding**

Overview of normal/abnormal menstrual physiology/profile; menstrual disturbances; ovulatory and anovulatory uterine bleeding; other menstrual abnormalities; diagnosis and appropriate treatment options

**8:30 am – 9:30 am – Gynecology**

**Menopausal Transition and Hormone Replacement Therapy**

Estrogen analogs; options in estrogen therapy; designer estrogens; SERMs; HRTs; risks/benefits, especially in breast cancer and CHD

**9:30 am – 9:40 am**

**Coffee Break**

**9:40 am – 10:40 am – Gynecology**

**Cervical Cancer Screening Including HPV Management**

Current recommendations for cervical cancer screening; incorporating the ASCCP consensus guidelines for management of cytologic cervical abnormalities (including ASCUS, LGSIL, HGSIL and atypical glandular cells) into your practice; algorithm for the appropriate use of HPV testing and managing results; determining appropriate candidates for the use of the HPV vaccine

**10:40 am – 11:40 am – Endocrinology**

**Osteoporosis**

Diagnosis and treatment

**11:40 am – 12:40 pm – Endocrinology**

**Managing Obesity**

Etiology, complications; use of appetite suppressant medications; lifestyle modifications; current treatment options; when should surgery be performed

**12:40 pm**

**Session Adjourns**

**Saturday, April 10th:**

**7:00 am – 7:30 am**

**Hot Breakfast**

**7:30 am – 8:30 am – Endocrinology**

**Thyroid Disorders in Women**

Management of thyroid disorders; postpartum thyroiditis

**8:30 am – 9:30 am – Endocrinology**

**Evaluation and Management of Pituitary Disease**

Diagnosis and treatment of pituitary disorders

**9:30 am – 9:40 am**

**Coffee Break**

**9:40 am – 10:40 am – Gynecology**

**Breast Cancer Screening**

Comparison of recent breast cancer screening recommendations from USPSTF, ACOG/ACS/NCI/NCCN; Discussion of risks and benefits of screening at various ages; Review of the scientific basis for screening

**10:40 am – 11:40 am – Cardiology**

**Hypertension Update**

Most recent ACC/AHA Guideline; New goals of treatment; Special populations – diabetics, the elderly; Renal failure, resistant hypertension; Influence of frailty

**11:40 am - 12:40 pm – Cardiology**

**Arrhythmia Management for Primary Care**

Types and symptoms of arrhythmias; approach to the patient; when to refer, when to admit; atrial fibrillation; ventricular arrhythmias – when are they serious?

**12:40 pm**

**Session Adjourns**

**Sunday, April 11th:**

**7:00 am – 7:30 am**

**Continental Breakfast**

**7:30 am – 8:30 am – Cardiology**

**Work-up of Patients with Suspected CAD: Which Tests for Which Patients**

Risk factor evaluation; symptom evaluation; test selection including stress ECG, echo, nuclear and newer imaging modalities; role of CRP and EBCT; evaluating women – who needs coronary angiography?

**8:30 am – 9:30 am – Cardiology**

**Acute Coronary Syndromes: Initial Work-up and Treatment**

Emergency evaluation; diagnosing and treating ST segment elevation and non-ST segment elevation MIs

**9:30 am**

**Conference Adjourns**

**Target Audience**

This program is targeted to office-based primary care providers and other health professionals with updates in primary care medicine

**Learning Objectives**

Upon completion of this program, participants should be better able to:

- Distinguish between ovulatory and anovulatory uterine bleeding and other menstrual abnormalities and select appropriate treatment options
- Explain the process of menopausal transition (climacteric) and describe the potential risks/benefits of HRT option, especially in relation to breast cancer and cardiovascular disease
- Describe the management of HPV infection and abnormal pap smear results
- Identify current strategies for diagnosing and managing osteoporosis, thyroid disorders and obese patients
- Describe current diagnostic approaches to hypertension, arrhythmias, ACS and CAD
- Implement treatment strategies reflective of current evidence-based medicine for hypertension, arrhythmias, ACS and CAD

**Learning Outcome**

To provide updates in primary care medicine to office based providers

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