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Presented by:
Tulane University School of Medicine
Departments of Medicine, Otolaryngology and Surgery
and Tulane University Health Sciences Center, Center for
Continuing Education

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2015 at Hyatt French Quarter

7:00 am – 7:40 am	Registration, Breakfast and Exhibits
7:40 am – 7:45 am	Welcoming Remarks, <i>Emad Kandil, MD</i>
7:45 am – 8:00 am	How to Deal with Patients with Primary Hyperparathyroidism with Normal Calcium and PTH Levels, <i>Eren Berber, MD</i>
8:00 am – 8:15 am	Adjuncts for Redo Parathyroid Surgery, <i>Emad Kandil, MD</i>
8:15 am – 8:30 am	Management of Secondary and Tertiary Hyperparathyroidism, <i>L. Lee Hamm, MD</i>
8:30 am – 9:15 am	Case Presentations and Panel Discussion: Moderator: <i>Eren Berber, MD</i> Panel: <i>Emad Kandil, MD, L. Lee Hamm, MD, and Ralph Tufano, MD</i>
9:15 am – 9:45 am	Break and Exhibits
9:45 am – 10:15 am	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Contemporary Management of Thyroid Nodules, <i>David Cooper, MD</i>
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Current Available Commercial Molecular Markers for Thyroid Cancer, <i>Robert Ferris, MD</i>
10:30 am – 10:35 am	Introduction of the 1 st Annual Lecture in honor of Dr. Debakey, <i>Paul Friedlander, MD</i>
10:35 am – 11:05 am	<u>1st Annual Lecture in honor of Dr. Debakey</u> : Central Lymph Node Dissection, <i>Ralph Tufano, MD</i>
11:05 am – 11:30 am	Case Presentations and Panel Discussion: Moderator: <i>Robert Ferris, MD</i> Panel: <i>Ashok Shaha, MD, David Cooper, MD, and Ralph Tufano, MD</i>
11:30 am – 11:50 am	Break and Lunch pick up
11:50 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch with Video Presentations, “How I Do It” (10 minutes each): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parathyroidectomy – <i>Ashok Shaha, MD</i> • Robotic Thyroidectomy – <i>Patrick Aidan, MD</i> • Thyroidectomy – XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX - TBD • Video-Assisted Thyroidectomy – <i>Robert Ferris, MD</i> • Robotic Parathyroidectomy – <i>Emad Kandil, MD</i> • Central Lymph Node Dissection – <i>Ralph Tufano, MD</i> • Modified Radical Neck Dissection – <i>Ralph Tufano, MD</i>
1:00 pm – 1:20 pm	Tips for Managing Large Substernal Goiters: Practical Advice, Antonio Alonso, MD - TBD
1:20 pm – 1:45 pm	Low Risk Papillary Thyroid Cancer: Overview of 2014 ATA Guidelines <i>David Cooper, MD</i>
1:45 pm – 2:00 pm	Does Every Thyroid Patient Need Total Thyroidectomy? A Critical Look at the 2014 Guidelines, <i>Emad Kandil, MD</i>
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Recurrent Thyroid Cancer Panel and Challenging Case Presentations Moderator: <i>Ashok Shaha, MD</i> Panel; <i>Antonio Alonso, MD, Robert Ferris, MD, Patrick Aidan, MD, and David Cooper, MD</i>
3:00 pm – 3:20 pm	Break and Exhibits
3:20 pm - 3:40 pm	Contemporary Management of Hyperthyroidism, <i>David Cooper, MD</i>
3:40 pm – 4:15 pm	Current Available Commercial Molecular Markers for Thyroid Cancer - Case Presentations and Panel Discussion: How Current Molecular Markers Affect Surgical Decision, Moderator: <i>Robert Ferris, MD</i> Panel: <i>Ralph Tufano MD and Ashok Shaha, MD</i>
4:15 pm – 4:30 pm	Medullary Thyroid Cancer: What Do We Need to Know? <i>Ashok Shaha, MD</i>
4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Case Presentations and Panel Discussion: Moderator: <i>Ralph Tufano, MD</i> Panel: <i>David Cooper, MD, Robert Ferris, MD, and Ashok Shaha, MD</i>

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SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2015 at the Tulane University School of Medicine

7:00 am – 7:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
7:30 am – 8:00 am	Thyroid Disease in Pregnancy: <i>David Cooper, MD</i>
8:00 am – 8:15 am	Basics of Ultrasound, <i>Rizwan Aslam, MD</i>
8:15 am – 8:40 am	Ultrasound of Thyroid Nodules, <i>Eren Berber, MD</i>
8:40 am – 9:00 am	Ultrasound of Parathyroid, Cervical Lymph Nodes, and Vocal Cords, <i>Emad Kandil, MD</i>
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Break and Transit time to Ultrasound Workshop
9:30 am – 11:15 am	Hands-On Workshops (Laboratory and Practical) Faculty: <i>Emad Kandil, MD, Rizwan Aslam, MD, Tilak Mallik, MD, Tina Thethi, MD, Krzysztof Moroz, MD, Lydia Melendez-Ramirez, MD, Saud Al-Rasheedi, MD, and Harold Miller, MD</i> Participants will be separated into groups and rotate through stations. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hands-on Stations: Ultrasonography on Patients with Thyroid, Parathyroid and Cervical Lymph Node Pathology.• Fine Needle Aspiration Techniques with Simulation Model
11:15 am – 11:30 am	Transit time to Breakouts
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Two Breakouts A – Surgical Approaches and Issues: Moderator: <i>Patrick Aidan, MD</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 11:30 am – 12:10 pm - Panel on Transoral Robotic Surgery, <i>Patrick Aidan, MD, Brian Moore, MD, and Rohan Walvekar, MD</i>• 12:10 pm – 12:30 pm - Update on Management of Vocal Cord Paralysis, <i>Daniel Fink, MD</i> B - Endocrinologists Issues: Moderator: <i>Tina Thethi, MD</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 11:30 am – 11:50 am – Radio-Iodine Therapy for Thyroid Cancer: XXXXXXXXXXXX – <i>David Cooper, MD</i>• 11:50 am – 12:15 pm - Diabetes Management and the Thyroid Patient, <i>Vivian Fonseca, MD</i>• 12:15 pm – 12:30 pm - Thyroid Disease in the Elderly, <i>David Cooper, MD</i>

Maintenance of Certification (MOC) participation may qualify for ABS MOC Part 2 Self-Assessment.

Optional Post-Symposia* – Limited Registration - These activities have been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™

SESSION 1- MONDAY, MARCH 23, 2015 - TULANE MEDICAL CENTER

8:00 am -3:00 pm Ultrasound Observations (approx. 20-25 patients) with *Dr. Kandil*.

SESSION 2- TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2015 - TULANE MEDICAL CENTER

7:00 am -3:00 pm Case Observations (Approx. 6-8 cases) in OR with *Dr. Kandil and Dr. Moulthrop* -- Dependent on Surgery Schedule

*Credit will vary and be determined each day based on the final number of cases.

Every effort has been made to present the program schedule as accurately as possible from information available at brochure printing time. We reserve the right to make changes to the program; notice of changes will be announced at the meeting

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General Program Information

Overview

This program is designed to increase participant knowledge, competence and performance in the diagnosis and treatment of thyroid and parathyroid cancers in order to improve patient diagnosis and management of care. Featuring discussions and debates with experts and a hands-on experience in the surgical laboratory and ultrasound lab, the overall goal of the conference is to impact the diagnostic and selection processes of patients with endocrine tumors and improve surgical outcomes.

Statement of Need

Surgeons, endocrinologists, and otolaryngologists may not possess the most recent knowledge and skills in the diagnosis and treatment of thyroid and parathyroid diseases. The purpose of this symposium is to improve patient care by incorporating the highest quality care regimens into clinical practice.

Goal

The overall goal of the symposium is to impact the diagnostic and selection processes of patients with endocrine tumors, improve surgical outcomes and provide counseling and support for the patient who is facing surgery and post-surgical management.

Target Audience

This course is designed for Surgeons, Endocrinologists, and Otolaryngologists, as well as Internists, and Family Physicians, both in training and in practice.

Competencies

This activity addresses components of the competencies identified by the American Board of Medical Specialties (Medical Knowledge, Patient Care, Interpersonal and Communication Skills, Professionalism, Practice-Based Learning and Improvement, Systems-Based Practice); by the Institute of Medicine (Provide patient-centered care, Work in interdisciplinary teams, Employ evidence-based practice, Apply quality improvement and Utilize informatics) and by the Interprofessional Education Collaborative (Values / ethics for Interprofessional practice, Roles / responsibilities, Interprofessional communication, and Teams and teamwork).-

CME Information

Learner Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be better able to ...

- Describe current guidelines for hyperparathyroidism, hypocalcemia, papillary carcinoma, substernal goiters, and medullary thyroid cancer.
- Discuss the appropriate surgical interventions for redo parathyroid, central lymph node dissection, parathyroidectomy, thyroidectomy, thyroid nodules, and radical neck dissection.
- Identify issues associated with thyroid cancer including recurrence, nerve monitoring, and available commercial molecular markers.
- Explain the basic uses of ultrasound in the diagnosis of thyroid and parathyroid diseases and its applications.

Predicted Outcomes

Predicted changes in practice as a result of participating in this activity may include the ability to:

- Implement the latest treatment and surgical intervention approaches into practice.
- Utilize ultra sound procedures to diagnose thyroid and parathyroid diseases.

Accreditation

Tulane University Health Sciences Center is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation

Tulane University Health Sciences Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 12.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Tulane University Health Sciences Center presents this activity for educational purposes only and does not endorse any product, content of presentation or exhibit. Participants are expected to utilize their own expertise and judgment while engaged in the practice of medicine. The content of the presentation is provided solely by the presenters who have been selected because of their recognized expertise.

Post-Symposia Credit

AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ for the Post-Symposia will vary and will be determined each day based on the final number of cases.

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Hotel Block

For the Tulane Thyroid Symposium, a room block has been set aside at the Hyatt French Quarter for attendees. The room rate is \$195.00 per night single / double. In order to receive the special "Tulane Thyroid" rate, rooms must be booked by **Friday, February 20, 2015**. You can register at: <http://resweb.passkey.com/go/tulanethyroidsymposium> or by calling 1-888-421-1442 and requesting the Tulane Thyroid Rate.

The Hyatt French Quarter is located at 800 Iberville St. New Orleans, LA 70112, 504-586-0800.

By booking in our room block, you assist in keeping our costs down!

Meeting Location

The Saturday Lectures will be at the Hyatt French Quarter.

The Sunday Lectures will be at the Tulane University School of Medicine at 1430 Tulane Avenue. A Tulane Shuttle will be available to transport attendees to the University campus and back to the hotel on Sunday.

The Sunday Ultrasound session and the optional Post-Symposia will be held at the Tulane Medical Center at 1415 Tulane Avenue.

Refund Policy

Written notification of cancellation must be postmarked by Friday, March 6, 2015 to obtain a partial refund of the registration fee (25% of the registration fee will be retained as an administrative fee). After March 6, 2015, no refunds will be issued.

Tulane University Health Sciences Center reserves the right to cancel this activity if there are insufficient registrants. Full refunds would be made in that event. However, Tulane University Health Sciences Center is not responsible for any related costs or expenses including cancellation/change charges assessed by airlines.

If you have not received your confirmation by March 18, 2015, please call (504) 988-5466 to confirm your registration.



Registration Form (or register ONLINE at <http://tulane.edu/cce>)

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Visa MasterCard Discover Credit card registrations may be faxed to (504) 988-1779

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This registration fee includes educational sessions on Saturday and Sunday, materials, Saturday lunch, and continental breakfasts.

Main Symposium	Pre-Registration	On Site
Lectures & Ultrasound		
Physicians	\$495	\$595
PAs & NPs	\$250	\$325
Residents & Fellows **	\$250	\$325

Optional Post-Symposia Sessions *Space is Limited*

Monday Ultrasound Clinic Day	\$500	n/a
Tuesday Live Cases	\$300	n/a

** A letter from the registrant's department is needed to verify resident/fellow status. Confirmation will be sent by email from cme@tulane.edu. If no email is available, please include your fax number.

Total Amount enclosed/to be charged: \$ _____



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