



INTERNAL MEDICINE FOR PRIMARY CARE: GERIATRICS/INFECTIOUS DISEASE/VASCULAR

**Myrtle Beach, SC - Marriott Myrtle Beach Resort & Spa at
Grande Dunes
3/4/2022 - 3/6/2022**

Friday, March 4, 2022

7:00 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Infectious Diseases

Skin & Soft Tissue Infections

Presentation on important skin and soft-tissue infections and their prompt recognition, emphasizing evaluation and management strategies

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Infectious Diseases

Immunizations

Presentation on key vaccine preventable diseases and their presentations with an emphasis on the latest recommendations including newest schedules, safety and efficacy information

9:30 am - 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am - 10:40 am - Infectious Diseases

Gastrointestinal Infections & Clostridium Difficile

Presentation on important enteric pathogens and their recognition, diagnosis and management; special emphasis on clostridium difficile colitis and related updates from the ID and infection control literature

10:40 am - 11:40 am - Geriatrics

Heart Failure: Assessment and Management of the Most Expensive Disease in Older Adults

Recognition of the high mortality associated with heart failure; Understanding how to diagnose heart failure and the difference between reduced ejection fraction and preserved ejection fraction heart failure; Evidence based treatments available for heart failure

11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Geriatrics

Heart Failure Case Discussion and Q & A

Interactive and challenging case presentations in heart failure in older adults and audience questions further clarifying the topic.

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Saturday, March 5, 2022

7:00 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Geriatrics

Controversies in the Management of Hypertension in Older Adults: How Low is Too Low?

Best evidence for treatment goals for hypertension in diabetics and those with previous stroke; Controversial evidence for the various guidelines for diagnosing and treating hypertension in older adults; Best evidence based medications for hypertension

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Geriatrics

Hypertension Case Discussion and Q & A

Interactive and challenging case presentations in hypertension in older adults and audience questions further clarifying the topic.

9:30 am - 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am - 10:40 am - Infectious Diseases

Respiratory Tract Infections

Discussion highlighting critical points regarding the diagnosis and management of pneumonia and bronchitis – with a focus on the impact of multidrug resistant pathogens

10:40 am - 11:40 am - Vascular Medicine

Peripheral Vascular Disease and Approaching Abdominal Aortic Aneurisms

Defining the spectrum of maladies included in peripheral vascular disease and understanding underlying arterial pathology including atherosclerosis; abdominal aortic aneurysm diagnosis, evaluation and treatment is also included

11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Vascular Medicine

Stroke: Initial Presentation to Medical and Surgical Treatment

Carotid occlusive disease and stroke

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns



Sunday, March 6, 2022

7:00 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Vascular Medicine

Venous Thrombosis Through the Eyes of an Interventionalist

Venous Thrombosis: Diagnosis, evaluation and treatment

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Vascular Medicine

The Dysvascular Limb: How to Approach Swelling and Ulcers

The swollen limb and the ulcerated foot: organizational approach to the differential diagnosis, data gathering and evaluation, treatment options and follow-up

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 Outcome

To provide updates in primary care medicine to office based providers

Learning Objectives

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

- Review epidemiology and microbiology of skin and soft tissue infections (SSTI)
- Recommend appropriate immunizations based on patient specific risk factors
- Evaluate the severity of diarrhea and evaluate the need for treatment
- List common causative pathogens for various respiratory tract infections
- Describe the assessment and management of heart failure in older adults
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- Evaluate hypertension in elderly patients and recommend appropriate treatment based on individual risk factors
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- Describe the spectrum of maladies included in peripheral vascular disease
- Discuss presentation and interventional treatment of stroke patients
- Describe the evaluation and treatment of venous thrombosis
- Discuss presentation and interventional treatment of swelling and ulcers of dysvascular limbs



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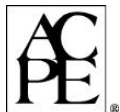
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