



**INTERNAL MEDICINE FOR PRIMARY CARE:
CARDIOLOGY/INFECTIOUS DISEASES/
NEUROLOGY/RADIOLOGY**

**Maui, HI - The Westin Maui Resort & Spa, Kaanapali
June 22 - 26, 2025**



Sunday, June 22, 2025

2:30 pm

Registration

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Infectious Diseases

Skin & Soft Tissue Infections

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

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm - 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

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Infectious Diseases

Genitourinary Infections

Presentation on a relevant and clinically practical approach to the patient with genitourinary complaints focusing on the latest guidelines for the range of urinary tract infections and highlights of selected and important sexually-transmitted disease syndromes.

6:00 pm

Session Adjourns



Monday, June 23, 2025

7:00 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Neurology

The Neurological Exam

Characteristics and objectives of the examination; exam phases; assessing general mental status; long-term predications; examination of infants; demonstration on conducting an exam

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Neurology

Alzheimer's & Other Dementias

Definition; statistics; neurological changes of normal aging; pathology; etiological theories; vascular dementias; investigations; social issues; symptomatic treatment; research therapies

9:30 am - 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am - 10:40 am - Neurology

Parkinson's Disease & Other Movement Disorders

Epidemiology; cardinal features; secondary features; pathology; neurochemistry; differential diagnosis; treatment; complication; other movement disorders; neuroleptic- induced movement disorders; chorea

10:40 am - 11:40 am - Infectious Diseases

Gastrointestinal Infections & Clostridiodes Difficile

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

11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Infectious Diseases

Antimicrobial Stewardship and Multidrug Resistance

Definition of an antimicrobial stewardship program (ASP); Concepts of the antimicrobial stewardship program; Four goals of antimicrobial stewardship; Most recent additions to the antimicrobial armamentarium

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Tuesday, June 24, 2025

7:00 am

Registration and Hot Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Cardiology

Acute Coronary Syndromes: The Patient with Acute Chest Pain

Diagnosis and initial evaluation in the primary care setting, urgent care clinic and emergency department; Initial workup, treatment, and follow-up; Diagnosing and treating ST segment elevation and non-ST segment elevation MIs; The role of drug therapy--primary vs adjunctive to PCI; Follow up after acute coronary syndromome

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Cardiology

Work-up of Patients with Suspected CAD

Risk factor evaluation and risk assessment models; Test selection including ECG, echo, nuclear and newer imaging modalities (including discussion of appropriate use criteria--AUC); The usefulness of CT scanning; The role of bio markers and EBCT; Suspected CAD in special populations (women, diabetics, the elderly)

9:30 am - 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am - 10:40 am - Cardiology

Primary & Secondary Prevention of CAD

AHA/ACC and other lipid guidelines updates; HDL Cholesterol: The good cholesterol?; The role of triglycerides in ASCVD--who to treat; Metabolic syndrome and/or obesity; Who needs treatment and how much; The role of lifestyle changes, exercise and cardiac rehabilitation; The use of vitamin D and supplements for cardiology patients; Drug therapy updates

10:40 am - 11:40 am - Neurology

Evaluating Weakness

Using the history and physical examination to distinguish weakness from non-specific symptoms; characteristics of neurological diseases that produce weakness; presentations of representative diseases of the nervous system

11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Neurology

Headaches & Migraines

Basic headache mechanisms; headache history: characteristics, precipitating factors, medical conditions; migraine: common tension, classic, treatment, complicated, cluster, sinus; trigeminal neuralgia; Giant Cell Arteritis; brain tumor; subarachnoid hemorrhage; emergency room treatment

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

7:00 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Radiology

Appropriate Ordering of Imaging and Contrast

Guidelines to assist referring providers in ordering the most appropriate and effective imaging studies for routine and acute presentations; Special emphasis given to when to use contrast agents

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Radiology

Ultrasound of the Thyroid and Superficial Soft Tissue Masses

Review of benign and concerning features of thyroid nodules, as well as management recommendations according to current guidelines and supportive evidence; Discussion of the role of ultrasound in the evaluation of common superficial soft tissue masses (lumps and bumps); Management recommendations

9:30 am - 9:40 am

Coffee Break

9:40 am - 10:40 am - Radiology

Imaging of the Acute Abdomen

Primary care focused discussion of the role of imaging and special considerations for imaging in the diagnosis and management of both common and uncommon acute abdominal pathologies

10:40 am - 11:40 am - Cardiology

Arrhythmias

Types and symptoms of arrhythmias; Approach to the patient: when to treat, when to refer, when to admit; Evaluation of the patient with palpitations; Atrial fibrillation: the use of anticoagulants indications, CVA risk scores, warfarin vs newer oral anticoagulants, controlling heart rate vs rhythm; Ventricular and other arrhythmias: when are they serious

11:40 am - 12:40 pm - Cardiology

Heart Failure

Etiologies and stages of heart failure; ACC/AHA Heart Failure guidelines; Heart failure with reduced EF (LVrEF) and heart failure with preserved EF (HFpEF); Determining patients for referral using biomarkers; Treatment options: ACE inhibitors, ARBs, beta blockers, mineralocorticoid receptor antagonists; The role of devices in treatment and Anticoagulation and antiplatelet drugs; Issues related to the hospitalized patient with acute decompensated heart failure

12:40 pm

Session Adjourns



Thursday, June 26, 2025

7:00 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Radiology

Managing Common Incidental Findings

Discussion of common incidental findings in radiology; Review of management guidelines according to the American College of Radiology (ACR) and other medical and surgical societies

8:30 am - 9:30 am - Radiology

Imaging of the Genitourinary Tract

Primary care focused imaging review and management guidelines of common urinary tract and reproductive organ pathologies using a case-based approach

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:

- Review epidemiology and microbiology of skin and soft tissue infections (SSTI)
- List common causative pathogens for various respiratory tract infections
- Diagnose and manage genitourinary infections
- Evaluate the severity of diarrhea and evaluate the need for treatment
- List goals of an antimicrobial stewardship program and strategies for antimicrobial treatment
- Perform a neurological exam
- Discuss evidence-based management options for Alzheimer's disease
- Evaluate weakness and recognize cardinal features of Parkinson's disease as well as other movement disorders
- Utilize history and physical examination to distinguish weakness from non-specific symptoms
- Describe the differential diagnosis of headaches and migraines
- Describe current diagnostic approaches and the role of drug therapy to the patient with acute chest pain
- Describe the work-up, risk assessment and test selection of patients with suspected CAD
- Implement lifestyle changes as well as lipid and cholesterol guidelines for the prevention of CAD
- Describe current diagnostic and treatment approaches to arrhythmias and atrial fibrillation
- Implement treatment strategies reflective of recent guidelines and current evidence based medicine for heart failure
- Describe recent advances in ultrasound technology and rationale for ordering radiologic tests
- Discuss current guidelines for using ultrasound in the management of thyroid nodules
- Utilize imaging in the management of abdominal pathologies
- Manage incidental findings on imaging tests
- List imaging considerations for common urinary tract pathologies



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