

AANS/CNS Section on Pain Biennial Meeting

Complication Avoidance in the Neurosurgical Pain Patient: How to Make the Situation Better, Not Worse

Who Should Attend

The education sessions will be directed towards pain neurological surgeons, residents, nurse clinicians and physician assistants and will be directly applicable to their practices.

Description

To provide practicing neurosurgeons with the framework to assist in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of complications in the neurosurgical pain patient.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this CME activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe techniques for complication avoidance in the neurosurgical pain patient.
- Describe the psychological and medicolegal factors which can influence patient outcome.
- Describe various techniques for complication management including but not limited to pharmacologic, behavioral, and surgical treatment.
- Describe the role of neuromodulation therapies in the treatment of pain-related complications.

Continuing Medical Education Credit

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the AANS and the AANS/CNS Section on Pain. The AANS is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The AANS designates this educational activity for a maximum of 7.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)[™]. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Registration and Housing

For registration and housing information please visit www.neurosurgery.org/pain. You can also register online at <https://www.cteusa.com/aans31/>.

Friday, April 30, 2010

Time	Subject
8:15–8:30 AM	Welcome and Introduction
Pain Complications: Overview and Diagnosis	
8:30–9:00 AM	Psychological assessment of the chronic pain patient
9:00–9:30 AM	Medicolegal issues involving chronic pain patients
9:30–9:45 AM	Coffee Break
9:45–10:30 AM	Pain Complications: Spinal
10:30–10:45 AM	Pain Complications: Cranial
10:45–11:15 AM	Pain Complications: Peripheral Nerve
11:15–11:45 AM	Panel Discussion
11:45 AM–1:00 PM	Lunch

Pain Complications: Treatment

1:00–1:30 PM	Medical Pain Management
1:30–2:00 PM	Surgical Pain Management
2:00–2:30 PM	Neuromodulation I: Spinal Cord Stimulation
2:30–2:45 PM	Coffee Break
2:45–3:30 PM	Surgical Treatment: Neuromodulation II – Peripheral Stimulation
3:30–4:00 PM	Surgical Treatment: Neuromodulation III – Intrathecal Infusion Therapy
4:00–4:30 PM	Complications of Neuromodulation
4:30–5:00 PM	Panel Discussion
5:00–6:00 PM	Reception

Meeting Registration

Registration Fee	On or before 3/22	After 3/22
Pain Section Member (601)	\$350	\$450
Non-Member Neurosurgeon (602)	\$475	\$575
Pain Section Nurse Member (603)	\$350	\$450
Non-Member Nurse (604)	\$475	\$575
Neurosurgical Residents/Fellows (605)	\$350	\$450
Non-Member Office Staff (606)	\$350	\$450

Please note that the pre-registration deadline is March 22, 2010

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