

8th Annual John D. Loeser Pain Conference

Improving Care, Improving Outcomes in Primary Care

Friday & Saturday
October 23–24, 2015
Shoreline Conference Center
18560 1st Avenue NE
Shoreline, WA



WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Primary care providers (MD, DO, ARNP, NP, PA-C) who manage patients with chronic, non-malignant pain. Other interested specialties may include rehabilitation medicine, occupational medicine and psychiatry.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Chronic pain is one of the most common complaints of people seeking medical care. The vast majority of this care is delivered in primary care venues with only occasional input from specialists. The Loeser conferences are meant to help primary care providers improve their knowledge, comfort level and treatment resources in working with patients who can be challenging and high utilizers of medical care. Opioids are a mainstay of chronic pain treatment and will be discussed in detail with a special focus on issues surrounding weaning of high-dose chronic opioids. Other areas of focus during this year's conference will include neurology, with specific lectures on neuropathy and headache and psychiatric comorbidity in chronic pain patients, particularly focusing on substance use disorders. The emphasis in all presentations will be on providing evidencebased and actionable information which PCPs can then use in their clinical work with chronic pain patients.

Case Presentations: During the lunch hour, an optional case discussion session will be led by speakers.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this activity, attendees should be able to:

- Discuss realistic expectations of the healing process following injury
- Assess and recommend treatment for chronic low back pain
- Describe the risks associated with high-dose opioid use
- Discuss the benefits and best approaches to opioid weaning
- Recognize and manage chronic daily headache
- Manage the use of methadone in the chronic pain setting
- Evaluate patients with comorbid depression, anxiety and substance use

ACCREDITATION

Accreditation with Commendation

The University of Washington School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation

The University of Washington School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 11.5 AMA PRA Category 1 $Credits^{TM}$. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Application for CME credits has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

FEES AND REGISTRATION

MD/DO/PhD	\$295
Allied Health	\$245
Resident/Fellow	\$95

The fee for this course includes catering, all instruction materials and transcript of *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*™. To ensure enrollment, please complete the enclosed registration form and forward it with the appropriate tuition. Allow up to fifteen working days to receive your email confirmation of enrollment. If you have not received confirmation prior to your departure for the course, please contact the Continuing Medical Education office at 206.543.1050. Continuing Medical Education will not be responsible for expenses incurred by an individual who is not confirmed and for whom space is not available at the course.

CONFERENCE SYLLABUS IS GOING GREEN

Syllabus materials will be available for download at uwcme.org (for conference registrants only). The password for the download website will be sent with your registration confirmation email. Materials will be available from **October 16 - November 25, 2015**, for registrants to print and/or download. A booklet with the conference agenda and pages for note-taking will be provided at the conference.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Course activities are exclusively reserved for course attendees. Badges provided at registration are required for entrance into all functions and this requirement will be strictly enforced.

UWCME takes into consideration diverse nutritional preferences and restrictions when planning our complimentary menu. However, those individuals who might find that our menu is not completely aligned to their specific nutritional needs are welcome to bring their own food items.

CHILD CARE POLICY

In consideration of other participants and speakers, please do not bring infants/children into conference sessions.

CANCELLATION POLICY

The Office of Continuing Medical Education must receive written notification of your cancellation by October 12, 2015. A \$50.00 processing fee will be deducted from refund requests received by this date. No refunds will be issued following October 12, 2015. The Office of Continuing Medical Education reserves the right to cancel this course twenty (20) days prior to the course date when a minimum enrollment is not met or for other reasons that prevent the University from holding the course. Each registrant will be notified by telephone followed by written notification and a full refund. The University of Washington is not responsible for any other costs incurred such as non-refundable airline tickets or hotel penalties. Contact CME Registrar with questions — call 206.543.1050, fax 206.221.4525 or email cme@uw.edu.

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HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

For your convenience, listed below are hotels located within the vicinity of the conference. To make reservations, please call the hotels directly. No room block has been reserved.

Embassy Suites Seattle - North/ Lynnwood 20610 44th Avenue West Lynnwood, WA 98036 Reservations: 425.775.2500 embassysuites3.hilton.com Best Western Plus Edmonds Harbor Inn 130 West Dayton Street Edmonds, WA 98020 Reservations: 425.771.5021 bwedmondsharborinn.com

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Friday, October 23, 2015

7:30	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:55	Welcome and Introduction Suzanne Rapp, MD
8:00	Evidence-Based Algorithm for Management and Treatment of Low Back Pain $\textit{John Loeser}, \textit{MD}$
8:40	About Lumbar Spine Imaging: When to Order and How to Read Reports to Patients Jeffrey Jarvik, MD, MPH
9:20	How to Approach Your Patient about Weaning Opioid Medications David Tauben, MD
10:00	Question and Answer Session
10:20	Break
10:35	Chronic Pain in the Primary Care Setting Joseph Merrill, MD
11:10	The Role of Injection Interventions in Pain Management: What the PCP Should Know Brett Stacey, MD
11:45	Question and Answer Session
12:00	Lunch (provided)
12:15	Optional: Relevant Case Presentations and Discussion (Bring Your Cases) <i>James Robinson, MD, PhD</i>
12:45	Break
1:00	Tapering Post-Operative Pain Medications Mina Kim, Pharm D
1:30	Managing the Inherited Pain Patient Daniel Krashin, MD
2:00	Fibromyalgia: An Update James Robinson, MD, PhD
2:30	Nutrition for Chronic Pain Heather Tick, MD
3:00	Question and Answer Session
3:20	Break
3:35	What to Do <u>After</u> the Pain Consult <i>Ivan Lesnik, MD</i>
4:05	Managing Chronic Daily Headache Natalia Murinova, MD
4:35	Question and Answer Session
4:50	Adjourn

Saturday, October 24, 2015

7:30	Sign-In and Continental Breakfast
7:55	Welcome and Introduction Suzanne Rapp, MD
8:00	Supporting the Patient Through Opioid Taper Mark Sullivan, MD, PhD
8:35	Multimodal Pain Treatment Rebecca Dale, MD
9:00	Understanding and Treating Neuropathy Leo Wang, MD, PhD
9:45	Question and Answer Session
10:00	Break
10:15	Mindfulness and Compassion in Chronic Pain Irakli Soulakvelidze, MD
10:45	Recognizing and Addressing Substance Abuse in Pain Patients Christine Yuodelis-Flores, MD
11:15	Not Only Opioids: My Patient Has Anxiety, PTSD, and Alcohol Problems <i>Mark Duncan, MD</i>
11:45	Question and Answer Session
12:00	Adjourn



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