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UPDATE IN NEURO-ONCOLOGY:

A MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACH

Friday, May 2, 2008

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LETTER FROM ACTIVITY DIRECTOR:

On behalf of the University of Rochester Program for Brain and Spinal Tumors, please accept our invitation to attend the First Annual Update in Neuro-Oncology: A Multidisciplinary Approach.

This unique, multi-faceted course is designed with two groups in mind: healthcare professionals and brain tumor patients/families. The course will provide a comprehensive update on current management strategies for patients suffering from brain and spinal tumors. It will incorporate the latest data from ongoing clinical trials and the brightest technologies now being developed in laboratories both at the University of Rochester and the medical community at large. Speakers for the conference are drawn from faculty of the University of Rochester departments of neurosurgery, neurology, radiation oncology, radiology, pediatrics, and rehabilitation medicine. A plenary address will also be given by Dr. Mark Gilbert, professor and director of neuro-oncology at the MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas.

The conference will use a unique format where simultaneous sessions are provided for both health care providers and patients. The same information will be covered in each session to allow time for interaction and questions between the speakers and audience. Additional exhibits will be ongoing throughout the day where participants can discuss patient management and research one on one with program faculty.

All participants will enjoy a continental breakfast and luncheon during the session. At the conclusion of the conference, participants are invited to enjoy a casual wine-tasting session at the beautiful Casa Larga Vineyards in Fairport, NY and may also choose an overnight stay at the nearby Del Monte Lodge and Spa in Pittsford, NY.

Once again, this symposium promises to be an exciting one, well worth your time as well as your personal and professional interest.

We look forward to seeing you there!



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Associate Professor, Neurosurgery
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STATEMENT OF NEED / COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The purpose of this activity is to inform the target audience of recent advances in the multidisciplinary management of neuro-oncological disorders, including primary brain tumors, metastatic brain tumors, and neurosurgical complications of cancer. The management of these rare disorders is not well covered in most training programs and is underrepresented in CME type programs. The topics that are chosen aim to provide a broad introduction to the field and to address some of the particular challenges that the target audience faces in the care of these patients. It is expected that the audience would gain a better understanding of the surgical and oncologic management of these diseases and better understand the supportive care needs of the patient population.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The conference is designed so that at its conclusion, participants should be able to:

- Discuss new advances in the multidisciplinary treatment of primary brain tumors
- Describe the multidisciplinary approach to brain metastases
- Evaluate and treat medical and neurological complication in the brain tumor patients
- Evaluate and treat neurological complications in the cancer patient

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GUEST FACULTY:

MARK R. GILBERT, M.D.

Professor, Department of Neuro-Oncology
The University of Texas
MD Anderson Cancer Center

PLANNING COMMITTEE:

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Senior Instructor of Neurology
University of Rochester Medical Center

MICHAEL MILANO, M.D., Ph.D.

Assistant Professor, Radiation Oncology
University of Rochester Medical Center

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JOOHEE SUL, M.D.

Senior Instructor of Neurology

EDWARD VATES, M.D., Ph.D.

Assistant Professor
Department of Neurological Surgery

LOCATION :

The conference will take place at Casa Larga Vineyards, 2287 Turk Hill Road, Fairport, NY 14450
 Phone: (585) 223-4210. Driving instructions will be mailed with the registration acknowledgement.

REGISTRATION :

Please complete and return the registration form with payment by April 18, 2008 to:
 University of Rochester
 Office of Continuing Professional Education
 601 Elmwood Ave., Box 677
 Rochester, NY 14642-8677
 Fax: (585) 275-3721
www.urmc.rochester.edu/cpe/calendar/conferences.cfm

FEES :

On/Before April 18:	After April 18:
MD/ \$100	\$125
NP/PA/ \$55	\$80
RN/LPN \$55	\$80
Other/ \$55	\$80
Residents/ \$50	\$50
Students/ \$20	\$20
Patients/ \$20	\$20

Fee includes attendance at all course sessions, course materials, and refreshments. The registration fee must accompany the registration form.

Please make checks payable to Continuing Professional Education. If you are paying by credit card, you may fax your registration form to (585) 275-3721. Receipts will be issued at the conference.

For all cancellations, an administrative fee of \$25 will be deducted from all refunds. No refunds will be issued after April 18, 2008.

U OF R VOUCHER AWARD PROGRAM :

The CME Voucher Award Program has been developed to recognize the efforts of the Medical School's community based preceptors, to encourage their continued involvement and to acknowledge the importance of their contributions. Vouchers can be redeemed ONLY for activities registering through the University of Rochester Office of Continuing Professional Education. Instructions for use are on the Vouchers. A limited number of 'Voucher' registrations will be available for any given activity. Vouchers are redeemed on a first come-first serve basis.

UR NURSING CONTACT HOUR (NCH) COUPON AWARD PROGRAM :

This Program has been developed to recognize the efforts of the School of Nursing's preceptors, to encourage their continued involvement, and to acknowledge the importance of their contributions. Coupons can be redeemed for activities registering through the University of Rochester Office of Continuing Professional Education, the School of Nursing and the Center for Lifelong Learning at the Community Nursing Center at the School of Nursing. Instructions for use are on the Coupons.

ACCOMMODATIONS :

Attendees requiring overnight accommodations should call:

Renaissance Del Monte Lodge Hotel & Spa
 41 N. Main Street, Pittsford, New York 14534
 Telephone: (585) 381-9900

When calling for reservations, please specify that you are with the University of Rochester Neuro-Oncology Conference. Please make reservations before April 18 to assure conference rate.

SPECIAL SERVICES & INFORMATION :

For more information or to make disability arrangements, contact the Office of Continuing Professional Education at (585)275-4392 (10 days in advance of the conference for disability arrangements). Office hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm. E-mail: office@cpe.rochester.edu

CERTIFICATION :

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

The University of Rochester School of Medicine & Dentistry designates this educational activity for a maximum of 5.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 credits*[™]. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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

This continuing nursing education activity has been submitted to the New York State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

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SESSION I: WELCOME AND KEYNOTE

- 8:00 – 8:10 Welcome | Kevin A. Walter, M.D.
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SESSION IIa: ADULT GLIAL TUMORS | Chair: David Korones, M.D.

- 9:00 – 9:20 Update on Surgical Therapy | Kevin A. Walter, M.D.
9:20 – 9:40 Update on Radiation Therapy | Michael Milano, M.D., Ph.D.
9:40 – 10:00 Update on Chemotherapy | Joohee Sul, M.D.
10:00 – 10:20 Update on Neuro-Imaging | Sven Ekholm, M.D., Ph.D.
10:20 – 10:30 Break/Exhibits

SESSION IIIa: PROBLEM MANAGEMENT IN NEURO-ONCOLOGY | Chair: Michael Milano, MD, Ph.D.

- 10:30 – 10:50 Seizure Management – Surgery | Webster Pilcher, M.D., Ph.D.
10:50 – 11:10 Seizure Management – Medical | James Fessler, M.D.
11:10 – 11:30 Systemic Complications | Joohee Sul, M.D.
11:30 – 11:50 Neuro-Cognitive Function | John Langfitt, M.D.
11:50 – 12:10 Spinal Tumors | Kevin A. Walter, M.D.
12:10 – 1:00 Lunch/Small Group Discussions

SESSION IVa: PEDIATRIC AND NON-GLIAL TUMORS | Chair: Webster Pilcher, M.D.

- 1:00 – 1:20 Pediatric Tumors – Medical Perspective | David Korones, M.D.
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1:40 – 2:00 Primary CNS Lymphoma | Nimish Mohile, M.D.
2:00 – 2:20 Rehabilitation in Neuro-Oncology | K.R. Poduri, M.D.
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