

# For Your Continuing Professional Development

## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual What's New in Anatomic Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

Friday - Saturday, May 18-19, 2012  
Harvey Morse Auditorium

9.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
Friday - 1:00 am to 3:30 pm;  
Saturday - 7:30 am - 4:30 pm

The rapidly expanding field of pathology challenges pathologists to remain informed of novel technologies and their application to the diagnosis and treatment of disease. Over the course of this conference, our expert faculty will address the learning needs of practicing pathologists, pathology residents and clinical laboratory scientists with respect to new and relevant topics in anatomic and clinical pathology.

The meeting will highlight the applications of liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry in the clinical laboratory, the use of genome based testing in the diagnosis of malignancies, and an update on methods to assess coagulation. The course will continue with presentations that address common diagnostic challenges that general pathologists face during the evaluation of lung biopsies from patients with diffuse lung diseases or pulmonary infections.

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## Deep Brain Stimulation: A Multidisciplinary Approach

Saturday, May 19, 2012  
Fairmont Miramar Hotel

7.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
7:30 am - 5:00 pm

Over the past decade, deep brain stimulation (DBS) has rapidly become a fundamental tool in the treatment of advanced, medication refractory movement disorders. This course will provide neurologists, neurosurgeons, neuropsychologists, psychiatrists, primary care physicians, rehabilitation specialists, and allied healthcare professionals an opportunity to enhance their knowledge of a variety of topics, encompassing the multidisciplinary approach to this life saving treatment. The program will present patient selection, technical and management issues in an interdisciplinary fashion using plenary lectures, hands-on sessions and panel discussions.

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## Pediatrics State of the Art

Saturday, June 2, 2012  
Harvey Morse Auditorium

7.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
7:30 am - 4:30 pm

Knowledge regarding the care of children with acute and chronic medical conditions continues to grow rapidly. Personalized care of each individual patient requires subspecialized practitioners who focus on these patients and conditions working hand in hand with primary care providers. This course is designed to update pediatric practitioners on cutting edge care for these common, yet challenging, conditions, with a special emphasis on multidisciplinary team and personalized medicine. The course will include both didactic and case-based sessions, with real-time audience polling. Audience participation and interaction will be strongly encouraged. Participants are requested to bring interesting or difficult cases for faculty panel discussions.

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## Additional CME Programs

13<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL HIV/AIDS  
CONFERENCE  
September 28, 2012  
Location: SLS Hotel

STATE OF THE ART SPINE CARE  
2012  
September 29, 2012  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

NEW THERAPEUTICS IN  
ONCOLOGY: THE ROAD TO  
PERSONALIZED MEDICINE  
October 26-27, 2012  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

MULTI-SPECIALTY PLASTIC  
SURGERY SYMPOSIUM AND THE  
BERNARD G. SARNAT, MD  
LECTURESHIP  
November 2-4, 2012  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

ARRHYTHMIA SYMPOSIUM AT THE  
CEDARS-SINAI HEART INSTITUTE -  
FOCUS ON SUDDEN  
CARDIAC ARREST  
December 7, 2012  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL EMERGENCY  
MEDICINE SYMPOSIUM  
December 7, 2012  
Location: Four Seasons Hotel

ADVANCES IN NUCLEAR  
CARDIOLOGY & CARDIAC CT  
January 18-20, 2013  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

20<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM  
ON PANCREATIC & BILIARY  
ENDOSCOPY  
January 25-27, 2013  
Location: Harvey Morse Aud.

To join our e-mail list and receive  
announcements about our  
upcoming courses, please  
[click here](#)

## **Regularly Scheduled Series (RSS)**

To access the weekly calendars of internal CME RSS meetings, please click the link below:

[RSS Weekly Schedule](#)

## **Online CME Activities**

Click on the activities below to participate on Real CME:

[Kimberly Visit 1: 38-year-old recently reported having joint pain and swelling in her hands](#)

[Kimberly Visit 2: 38-year-old recently referred to a rheumatologist by her primary care physician](#)

[Rheumatoid Arthritis in Primary Care 1: Management and Screening of Rheumatoid Arthritis in the Primary Care Setting](#)

For additional online courses [click here](#)

## **Cedars-Sinai Office of CME**

If you have any questions about any CME activities, call the CME Office at 310-423-5548 or [click here](#) to send us an email.

## **Advances in Neurology and Neurosurgery 2012**

Saturday, July 14, 2012  
Bakersfield Marriott

4.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
7:30 am – 12:10 pm

The clinical neurosciences are undergoing rapid changes in the diagnosis and treatment of neurological disorders, particularly those concerning surgical treatment options. At the conclusion of this 1/2 day course, neurologists, internists, family practitioners, neurosurgeons, pain management and rehabilitation specialist, oncologists, and allied healthcare professionals will have an increased awareness of both established and emerging treatment options for brain tumors, movement disorders (Parkinson's disease), degenerative neurological and spinal disorders, and endovascular and stroke management.

The program will present the treatment options in an interdisciplinary fashion using plenary lectures and case presentations. This symposium will offer participants an opportunity to engage in interactive discussions with renowned faculty who are involved with initiating these neurological advances.

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## **Roadmap for the Gynecologic Surgeon: A Hands-On Course Focused on Minimally Invasive Pelvic Surgery**

Saturday – Monday, July 21-23, 2012  
Harvey Morse Auditorium & SLS Hotel

24.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
Saturday – Sunday – 7:00 am to 5:30 pm  
Monday – 7:00 am – 12:00 pm

The Advanced Laparoscopic Gynecologic Surgery conference will provide an in-depth review of the latest information and techniques in gynecologic laparoscopic surgery. It is designed for clinicians who desire to advance their laparoscopic skills, improve dexterity with instrumentation and suturing, and apply these skills to perform more advanced gynecologic laparoscopic surgeries in their practices. Furthermore, this comprehensive conference offers hands on experience with energy sources in addition to laparoscopic instrumentation and suturing techniques. Participants will learn and practice these basic and advanced laparoscopic skills and techniques using laparoscopic trainers, computer simulators and cadavers.

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## **Optimal Care and New Therapies for Advanced Heart Disease**

Saturday, September 15, 2012  
Riverside Marriott

5.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
7:30 am – 2:30 pm

This one-day course features expert presenters on topics related to the diagnosis, treatment and management of advanced heart disease. This educational activity offers 5 hours of intensive teaching activity focusing on core competencies of Advanced Heart Failure, Mechanical Circulatory Support, Surgical Interventions and Transplant Cardiology. The course will include a combination of didactic lectures and case-based presentations with emphasis on guidelines, knowledge, and practice management.

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## **Rehabilitation Topics in the Management of Brain Injury**

Saturday, September 15, 2012  
Luxe Hotel

6.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™  
7:30 am – 4:30 pm

Recent advances in technology and research can influence the course of recovery of the person with a brain injury. Current issues with plotting the trajectories of these specific patients' recoveries, coupled with practicing within an environment that demands total complex patient management with an attention to detail is the focus of this one day conference. A discussion on the pathophysiology of brain injury and the management of concussion will provide a basic review of the topic. Other discussions will center on management of behavioral and sensory impairments, as well as linking the participant with novel treatment approaches. Formal presentations will be accompanied by question and answer periods with general discussion.

[Registration Information Coming Soon!](#)