15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium

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Saturday, October 15, 2022
8:30 am – 12:30 pm (PDT)

A Hybrid CME Conference

Four Seasons Hotel Westlake Village
Two Dole Drive
Westlake Village, CA 91362
The 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium will provide a state-of-the-art update and scientific exchange on prevalent liver diseases and their complications using a multi-disciplinary approach with hepatologists, radiologists and surgeons.

Course Description

Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this program, participants will be able to:

- Identify liver failure milestones in patients with cirrhosis and understand the role of liver transplantation.
- Review the pros and cons of Transjugular Intrahepatic Portosystemic Shunts in patients with cirrhosis and portal hypertension.
- Discuss updates in the management of patients with viral hepatitis B, C, and D.
- Implement new and novel strategies for the treatment of hepatocellular carcinoma.
- Review the treatment of alcoholic hepatitis and understand controversies associated with early liver transplantation.
- Treat non-alcoholic fatty liver disease and employ non-invasive tests for diagnosis.
CHAIR

Sammy Saab, MD, MPH, AGAF, FACG, FAASLD
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Chief, Transplant Hepatology
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Assistant Professor of Medicine

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Assistant Professor of Medicine
Program Leader, Hepatology
UCLA Medical Center, Santa Monica
Program

7:45  Breakfast & Registration

8:30  Welcome & Introduction  
  Mohamed El Kabany, MD

8:35  “B, C, and D” of Viral Hepatitis Soup  
  Sammy Saab, MD, MPH

9:00  Indications for Liver Transplantation & When to Refer for OLT  
  Fady Kaldas, MD

9:25  Role of TIPS in the Management of Cirrhosis Portal Hypertension  
  Edward Lee, MD, PhD

9:50  Update on Biomarkers for Liver Cancer Screening  
  Vatche Agopian, MD

10:15  Break

10:30  Advances in the Treatment of Hepatocellular Carcinoma  
  Saeed Sadeghi, MD
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| 10:55 | **Current and Future Therapy of NASH**
      | Akshay Shetty, MD                                                       |
| 11:20 | **Long Term Management of Liver Transplant Recipients**
      | Gina Choi, MD                                                           |
| 11:45 | **Debate: Role of Liver Transplantation in Patients with Alcoholic Hepatitis**
      | Debaters: Douglas Farmer, MD, Arpan Patel, MD and Beshoy Yanny, MD
      | Moderator: Steven-Huy Han, MD                                           |
| 12:15 | **Panel Discussion: Question and Answer**
      | Moderator: Sammy Saab, MD, MPH                                          |
| 12:25 | **Closing Remarks**
      | Douglas Farmer, MD                                                      |
| 12:30 | **Adjourn**                                                             |
      | Douglas Farmer, MD                                                      |
General Information

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Where:
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Two Dole Drive
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(818) 575-3000

Conference Location:
Sound Stage Room

Parking:
Valet parking $13

In-person attendees will be provided breakfast and refreshments at the conference.

The 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium will also be available through a live virtual meeting web platform.

• Attendees who choose to attend the live virtual activity will receive a virtual meeting link and password to access the live virtual conference.

• All registrants (live or virtual) will be provided the opportunity to review recorded sessions up to 3 weeks following the conference.

• Attendees will be awarded CME credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the live activity (either in-person or virtual). The recorded sessions are not certified for CME credit.

In the event in-person attendance is cancelled or capacity limits modified per CDC or public health guidelines, the UCLA Liver Diseases conference will be modified accordingly or presented entirely as a live virtual activity.

Enrollment:

Online
Go to www.cme.ucla.edu/courses and click on 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium. You may use your MasterCard, Visa, American Express, or Discover card.

By Mail
Mail the attached form to the Office of Continuing Medical Education, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium, 10920 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1060, Los Angeles, CA 90024-6512.

By Fax
Send the completed enrollment form with your charge card information and authorizing signature to (310) 794-2624.

Any questions, please email the UCLA CME Office at UCLACME@mednet.ucla.edu or call 310-794-2620

Accreditation
The Office of Continuing Medical Education, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Office of Continuing Medical Education, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA designates this live activity for a maximum of 3.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The California State Board of Registered Nursing accepts courses approved by the AMA for category 1 credit as meeting the continuing education requirements for license renewal. Nurses from states other than California should inquire with their local State Board for specific continuing education policies.

The American Board for Transplant Certification (ABTC) has approved this educational offering for up to 3.75 Category One Continuing Education Points for Transplant Certification (CEPTCs).

Disclosure Statement
The FDA has issued a concept paper which classifies commercial support of scientific and educational programs as promotional unless it can be affirmed that the program is “truly independent” and free of commercial influence. In addition to independence, the FDA requires that non-promotional, commercially supported education be objective, balanced, and scientifically rigorous. The policy further states that all potential conflicts of interest of the CME staff and faculty be fully disclosed to the program’s participants. In addition, Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education policy mandates that the provider adequately manages all identified potential conflicts of interest prior to the program. We, at UCLA, fully endorse the letter and spirit of these concepts.
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Application for Enrollment

Course Title and Number | Amount
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15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium M223-3 | $50 Physicians
A Hybrid CME Conference Saturday, October 15, 2022 | $35 Nurses and Other Allied Healthcare Professionals

Will you be attending Live or Virtually? (please check only one option)

- Live
- Virtual

- $50 Physicians
- $35 Nurses and Other Allied Healthcare Professionals
- $25 Fellows and Residents

Last four digits of your Social Security Number

Name (First/Middle/Last)

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Check enclosed payable to: The Regents of the University of California

Charge: □ MasterCard □ Visa □ American Express □ Discover

Authorizing Signature Expiration (Mo/Yr)

Name of Cardholder

For quickest registration processing, please register online at www.cme.ucla.edu/courses. Click on 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium. You will be able to register under the “Registration Information” tab.

Registration will also be accepted via Fax. Fax with credit card and expiration date directly to our office at (310) 794-2624, or Mail to: Office of Continuing Medical Education, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, 15th Annual UCLA Liver Diseases Symposium, 10920 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1060, Los Angeles, CA 90024-6512.

Due to the low enrollment fee, no refunds will be offered. A full refund will be provided if this course is cancelled, or postponed.

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