#### Overview

The Division of Pulmonary Medicine and Critical Care is pleased to offer the 2nd Annual Advances in Pulmonary Disease. This event is designed for physicians, physician assistants, advanced practice providers and nurses in primary care, rheumatology and pulmonology who provide care to patients with COPD, pulmonary embolus, ARDs and pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH). In addition, a multidisciplinary approach to lung cancer pulmonary disease will be presented. There will be an opportunity to meet faculty and discuss practice issues during the round table discussions. Content will be case-based addressing evidence based approaches to care as well as novel treatments on the horizon.

**Learning Objectives:** 

- Discuss the scientific evidence and translation to practice in the uses of neuromuscular blockade in the patient with ARDS.
- Describe surgical management of sub massive pulmonary embolus.
- Identify current guidelines in order to provide optimal care to patients with COPD.
- Identify current guidelines in order to provide optimal care to patients with pulmonary embolism.
- Discuss management of scleroderma associated with pulmonary hypertension
- Identify current guidelines for identification and treatment of early lung cancer.
- Describe epidemiology of scleroderma-related pulmonary hypertension (PH).
- Describe advances in the screening and evaluation of PH in scleroderma.
- Review advances in therapies for various types of PH in scleroderma.

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Advances in Pulmonary Disease

Saturday April 28, 2018 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

> The Place at Innsbrook 4036-C Cox Road Glen Allen, Virginia 23060 (804) 346-2100

Provided by VCU's Department of Pulmonary Medicine, and the Office of Continuing Medical Education





## Faculty

Marjolein de Wit, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, VCU Health

Alpha A. Fowler, MD, Professor of Medicine, Division of Pulmonary Disease and Critical Care Medicine, VCU Health

Catherine Grossman, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, VCU Health

Rajiv Malhotra, DO, Assistant Professor of Medicine, VCU Health

Stephen Mathai, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University SOM

Patrick Nana-Sinkam, MD, Chair Division of Pulmonary Medicine and Critical Care, VCU Health

Sammy Pedram, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, VCU Health

Janet Pinson, NP, FCCP, Nurse Practitioner, VCU Health

Samira Shojaee, MD, IP Fellowship Director; Assistant Professor of Medicine, VCU Health

## **Registration and Fees**

The registration fee includes program materials, continuing education contact hours, break refreshments. and luncheon. Minimum and maximum numbers for attendance at this event have been established, and we reserve the right to substitute speakers/topics, or cancel if necessary.

Registration is online (preferred) at:

https://vcu.cloud-cme.com Please use Google Chrome for best results

Cancellation Policy: Full refund, minus \$35 processing fee for written cancellations postmarked by April 14, 2018. No refunds will be given for cancellations received after this date.

## **Planning Committee**

Catherine Grossman, MD; Charnetta Lester, BSN, RN, ACM; Walter Lewanowicz, MN, BSc, RN-BC; Patrick Nana-Sinkam, MD; Sammy Pedram, MD, Course Director; Janet Pinson, NP; Laura Savage, RN, MSN; and Samira Shojaee, MD, Course Director.

#### **Conference Agenda**

Welcome and Introductions Patrick Nana-Sinkam, MD 8:45 The Many Faces of Pulmonary Hypertension Associated with Scleroderma Stephen Mathai, MD Challenging Cases in COPD 9:35 Catherine Grossman, MD Janet Pinson, NP, FCCP 10:20 **Break** 10:45 Lung Cancer: A Multidisciplinary Approach Samira Shoiaee, MD Patrick Nana-Sinkam, MD

Luncheon and Networking 11:30

12:45 From Bench to Bedside—ARDS

> Alpha (Berry) Fowler, MD Marjolein de Wit, MD

1:35 Pearls and Pitfalls: Managing Patients with Pulmonary Embolism

> Sammy Pedram, MD Rajiv Maholtra, DO

2:30 Close of conference

# **Continuing Education**

Nurses: Up to 4.0 Contact Hours. VCU Health is approved as a provider of continuing education in nursing by the Virginia Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Accreditation Commission.

**Physicians:** VCU Health Continuing Medical Education is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

VCU Health Continuing Medical Education designates this live activity for a maximum of 4.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits (TM). Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## **Pulmonary Symposium Registration Form**

Name

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**Home or Cell Phone** 

Degree or Specialty

Employer (DEPT/DIV NAME for VCU EMPLOYEES)

**Mailing Address** 

City, State and Zip Code

#### **Registration Fees**

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#### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**

POSTMARKED BY APRIL 14, 2018 OR WHEN MAXIMUM CAPACITY IS MET! FEES INCREASE BY \$50 AFTER APRIL 14.

CANCELLATION: Registration fee, less a \$35 nonrefundable administration fee, will be refunded only if written notice of cancellation is received before April 14.

#### Mailing of Payment/Registration Form

If not registering online, please mail the completed registration form with checks payable to UHS-PEP at:

> UHS-PEP. Inc. Box 980048 Richmond VA 23298-0048

#### Questions:

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